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WAGON HEADED FOR STATE COMPETITION--Hitching up to the wagon, cast members of 'Mother Courage' are headed for state competition in Austin for their play after sweeping Regional competition in Lubbock on Thursday. Several of the cast members were named to the All-Star cast and Fran Berryhill received the Best Actress award. The judge who critiqued the play was lavish with compliments of the acting job done by all the MHS drama students under direction of MHS Speech and Drama Director, Kerry Moore.

Muleshoe Man, Son Dead From Accident Near Snyder

Wednesday morning, a 38-year old Lubbock man, Maurice Brown, was charged with involuntary manslaughter in connection with the Tuesday night traffic death of a 25 year old Muleshoe man and his two year old son.

According to the investigating officer, Victor Vega, Jr., 25, was stopped on the shoulder of U.S. 84 10 miles west of Snyder Tuesday night around 11:30 p.m. when a moving van driven by Brown allegedly left the highway, hitting the Vega vehicle.

Apparently killed instantly were Vega, who was County Agent

Has Announced Upcoming Meet

Bailey County Extension Agent Spencer Tanksley is urging all interested persons to attend a Thursday night meeting of the Bailey County Program Building Committee.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum. Dr. Marvin Sartin will be the guest speaker and will discuss "How to Beat Inflation."

Tanksley said there is no charge for the meeting, and said the general public will be welcome to hear the discussions.

CofC Urging Participation

For Clean-Up

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture would like to remind all resident and business people that Saturday, April 26, is Keep America Beautiful Day.

On that day, people all across the country will be picking up trash, clearing away brush, painting and repairing. Why not set April 26 as your day to clean up? asks the C of C.

The City of Muleshoe is cooperating in the effort by making some of their trucks available to haul away large amounts of trash which would not fit into the dumpsters.

If you would like to have one of the city's trucks made available to you for that purpose, please contact the Muleshoe City Hall. They request that you let them know at least 24 hours in advance of when you will need the truck.

These vehicles are available on a first-come

standing near the car, and his son, Ruben, who was reported to be sleeping inside the parked vehicle.

Late Thursday, Brown was still jailed in Snyder after failing to post a \$2,500 bond for each of the two counts of involuntary manslaughter.

Services for Victor Vega Jr., and his son Ruben are scheduled at 2 p.m. Monday in Davis Funeral Home Chapel in Georgetown. The bodies of the Vegas were taken to Georgetown Saturday.

Burial is scheduled for Memorial Cemetery, under direction of the Davis Funeral Home. Muleshoe arrangements were by Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Vega was reported to have moved to Muleshoe 14 months ago from Killen, and for the past eight months had been director of the Texas Migrant Council office in Muleshoe.

He was born September 1, 1954 in San Juan Puerto Rico. He was a catholic. Victor Vega Jr. was married

Area Family Featured In Magazine

In the April/May Issue of Farm and Ranch living magazine, one of the four featured families is the Allan Davis family who reside and farm in the Goodland community.

The Davis family, along with their son, T.J., reside approximately four miles from the New Mexico line in Bailey County, and their feature is a diary account of their day to day living during the month of January of this year.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wedel of Muleshoe, and their story, although on the surface it may appear

ried to Janie Gonzales on May 12, 1976 in Georgetown.

Survivors include his wife, Janie; a daughter, Liza Marie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vega, Sr., a sister, Rhona and a brother, Rafi Vega, all of Puerto Rico.

Ruben Dwight Vega was born November 27, 1977 at Taylor, Tx. and was 14

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Lazbuddie 'Horns Sweep Track Win

Lazbuddie's Longhorn tracksters monopolized the 4-B District track meet April 15 in Sundown by winning the track crown for the third consecutive year.

The 'Horns dominated the running events by accumulating 101 points than came back to score 91 points in the field events for 192 total for the event. Their nearest rival was Amherst, who had 113 total points.

Dennis Steinbock won the discuss with a heave of 141 feet, two inches; and Keihm Smith and Robert Stanley were second and third, to make it 'All Lazbuddie' in that event.

Smith won the shot put with 46 feet, three inches and Tommy Hall was second, with Robert Stanley in fifth position in that event.

Reggie Treider continued his form in the high jump with six feet, four inches, and was followed by fellow team members, Quentin Mimms, who placed fourth, with Russell Windham fifth in that event.

Windham, who was the 1979 Regional champion in the long jump, again won his berth in the event and will compete in Regionals again this year. He jumped 21 feet and one-half inch to win, the Treider placing sixth

Area Banks Continue Steady Growth Pattern

HS Drama Group Headed For State

Consistently in the top winning column, the muleshoe High School Drama Department has 'done it again!' Thursday, amid glowing words and an excellent critique, the MHS students waltzed away with the Regional play winner with "Mother Courage."

Dr. Maurice Berger of Southern Louisiana University, who awarded Fran Berryhill as the mute Katrin with the Best Actress award, said there was not one second she was out of character in the play, and said more without ever saying anything than anyone had ever seen.

Performing in Texas Tech University Theatre, others of the play cast also won honors. Named to the All-Star cast were Jesse Silguero, Lauri Burgess, Rodney Unrein, Lori Butler and Michael Isaac for their performances in the regional play.

On Thursday, May 1, the MHS group will be performing 'Mother Courage' in the state competition at Hogg auditorium in Austin.

Previously, the students won area last Saturday at Plainview High School with the judge, Dr. Dorothy Dodd of Austin critiquing the performances.

In area competition, Lauri Burgess was named Best Actress and Fran Berryhill and Jesse Silguero were both named to the All-Star Cast.

Going into area competition, the MHS drama group shared district honors.

Gibbins Family Chosen

This year, the Tommy Gibbins family has been chosen as the Library Family of the Year for 1980.

Librarian Anne Camp said, "The Gibbins, along with their three children, Jodie, seven; Donald, four and Summer, 24 months, have come in week in and week out, and have checked out books.

"They have a very good record, not keeping books overtime, keeping their books in good condition and the children are always well-behaved in the library.

"We are happy to have young families such as this use the library, and start their children on the road to a lifetime of reading enjoyment. We are very happy to have them receive our Library Family of the year award," she added.

The Muleshoe Study Club presented the Gibbins family with a large family dictionary, and Anne Camp, librarian, gave the children a storybook and a certificate for a family portrait.

Both Deposits, Loans Up For '80 Figure

Despite numerous reports of crop damage due to hailstorms last summer and fall, and low prices reported to be obtained for crops in the area, the eight area banks continue to show an increase in total deposits, and a slight increase in loans over the totals of March 31, 1979.

This year at the close of March, total deposits were \$150,995,792, up by \$14,914,060 over the deposits of \$136,081,732 a year ago at the same time.

Loans did not increase as much during the past year, although they did increase. Total deposits to close business in March, 1980 were \$70,839,673 and were \$65,708,766, at the end of March, 1979, for an increase of \$5,130,907 during the year.

Just over one third of the total deposits are deposited in the two banks in Muleshoe, who show a combined total of

Miss Tri-County

Is Postponed

By Muleshoe JC's

Galen Bock, Muleshoe Jaycee Chairman of the annual Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant, which was to have encompassed Bailey, Parmer and Lamb Counties, has announced that too many end-of-school conflicts have proven to be insurmountable, so the pageant, initially scheduled for April 25, has been postponed to later this year.

In the interim, the present Miss Tri-County, Laura Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis of Friona, will continue as Miss Tri-County, and other current reigning royalty will retain their crowns until perhaps August or September.

\$54,613,916 on deposit at the end of March this year. This figure is up by \$8,898,050 over the \$45,715,866 shown on deposit to close out March 1979.

At the same time, the loan figures in Muleshoe showed a slight increase. Loans were increased by \$1,684,842 during the past year, with loans of \$25,749,113 reported at

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Golden Eagle Shot, Killed Near Morton

Steven R. Hamilton, special agent with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service reported the killing of a golden eagle to The Journal Thursday afternoon.

Hamilton said the eagle was shot and killed on or around March 22 on the Don Sanford farm between Enochs and Morton. He reminded that the golden eagle is a protected bird, and the penalty for killing one of the birds is 'rough.'

The special agent said one half of a fine, up to \$2,500, reward will be paid for information leading to the conviction of a person guilty of killing a golden eagle.

A first offense carries a fine of \$5,000 and up to six months in prison; a second offense is a felony and is punishable by a fine of \$10,000 and two years in a federal prison.

Special Agent Hamilton said persons with any information about the killing of the immature, one and one-half to two year old eagle, is asked to call his office collect at 817-334-5202, or call the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge at 946-3341.



Muleshoe Area Youth Activities Committee Inc. will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, April 21 at the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum.

All members and interested persons are asked to attend the meeting.

Muleshoe YAC will sponsor a youth skating Sunday from 2-5 p.m. at the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum. Admission is 50 cents each for the three hour skating.

The State Highway and Public Transportation Commission has approved the 1981 State Highway Safety and Betterment and Farm to Market Road Improvement Program.

Work to be performed in District Five will include on U.S. 70, from U.S. 84 in Muleshoe to the Lamb County line, 6.5 miles, sealcoating, at an estimated cost of \$107,000.

The Panhandle High School Press Association Convention was conducted at West Texas State University at Canyon recently, and the Muleshoe Mule-train won three awards. They include third in



LIBRARY FAMILY OF THE YEAR--Vivian White, of the Muleshoe Study Club left, presented a large dictionary and congratulated the Tommy Gibbins family as the 1980 Library family of the year in Muleshoe. The children

Xi Omicron Xi Of Beta Sigma Phi

Xi Omicron Xi of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. Skip Magby on Tuesday night, April 15. Mrs. Clifford Black served as co-hostess for the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by President, Mrs. Bob Finney. A communication from the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce concerning future dates and activities was passed around so that all members could look at it.

Committee reports were given. Some of the reports were: Founder's Day will be on April 29, at the Muleshoe Country Club. Awards for the past year will be presented and a meal will be served. The new City Council officers will also be installed. The new officers are: Mrs. Stan Black, President; Mrs. Mike Wartes, Vice President; Mrs. Tommy Black, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Marcia Henry, Corresponding Secretary; and Mrs. Ken Box, Treasurer. The next City Council

meeting will be at 4:30 on Thursday, in the home of Mrs. Kearney Scoggin.

It was also reported that plans for the Mother's Day luncheon are continuing and that it will be a salad luncheon at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall on Saturday, March 10. A discussion was held concerning the Lady of the Year. There were three names to be considered. Each member voted on their choice. The final decision will be from all three local units of Beta Sigma Phi. The new Lady of the Year will be honored at the Mother's Day luncheon. The program for the night was the revealing of the secret sisters for the past year. Each member was given a gift from her secret sister but she had to try to guess who it was before she could open it. There were very few who were sure of the identity of their gift-giver.

The next meeting will be on May 6, in the home of Mrs. Paul Wilbanks. The

membership committee will serve as co-hostess and a meal will be served. The members that are

Brownie Troop Visits Wildlife Refuge

On Saturday, March 22, Brownie Troop #247, traveled to the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge. They had a picnic at a roadside park and picked up unusual rocks to take home.

March 25, they took a tour through the Muleshoe Animal Clinic. The doctors there explained various things to them concerning sick animals and the care and treatment of them. It was reported that they enjoyed the tour and want to say "thank you" to the Muleshoe Animal Clinic Personnel, for taking time from their busy day to share a part of their work.

April 1, they met at the Girl Scout Hut, after roll call and the Pledge of Allegiance, leaders Glenda Copley and Cherry Estep took the girls on a nature

progressing into Xi Omicron Xi will be given rituals and the newly elected officers will be installed. Refreshments of nachos

walk. The Brownie's picked up trash along the way and talked about all the signs they saw of spring. They also walked to Damron Drug, where they all had ice cream cones before returning to the hut.

Members attending all outings were: Beth Johnson, Brandi Estep,

were served during the meeting and after the meeting the members were served banana splits which they had to make themselves.

The following members

Marcia Blackwell, Lisa Coleman, LaTavia Copley, a Vilia Garza.



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CAR-SENSE Kent Kelly



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Jana Leigh Pittman, Gage Exchange Wedding Vows



MR. AND MRS. WELDON DEAN GAGE

Art Association Annual Spring Exhibit

The Muleshoe Art Association will be accepting entries for the "Annual Spring Exhibit", Friday, April 25. Entries must be hand delivered to the Muleshoe Art Loft at 1529 West American Blvd., between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m., on Friday April 25.

All members of the Muleshoe Art Association are eligible to participate in the exhibit. Any non-member who wishes to join the Association may do so by paying membership dues. Any non-member who

does not desire membership may exhibit by paying the entry fee for non-members. Fees will be collected when entries are accepted.

Entries must be original and done without supervision. Any works not in good taste will be rejected. Paintings shown should not have been exhibited previously in Muleshoe Art Association Shows.

The exhibit will be open for public viewing Sunday, April 27, from 1:30-5 p.m., weekday hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m., the business hours for the Art Loft.

Awards will be presented on Friday, May 2 at 3 p.m. Paintings may be removed after the awards on Friday. They must be removed by 5 p.m. Saturday, May 3.

Entry fees are Muleshoe Art Association Members; \$3 and non-members; \$6. Judging the show will be Olive Bugbee, Curator of the Fine Arts Division of The West Texas Museum at Canyon.

There will be \$2,140 given as Purchase Awards, Merchants Awards and Place Awards.

Categories with First, Second and Third are Oil Acrylics, framed without glass, Water media framed with glass, Graphics, Sculpture, and other art forms (including pottery, enamels and jewelry.) Students from all area schools are invited to enter any media with out entry fee. Ribbons will be given for first, second, and third, as well as honorable mention ribbons.

For further information contact Mrs. Jack Schuster, phone 806-946-3626 or Mrs. Joe Smallwood, phone 806-272-3137.

Friday, March 28, at 6 p.m., Jana Leigh Pittman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pittman, Earth became the bride of Weldon Dean (Dondie) Gage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gage, Muleshoe.

The vows were exchanged in the brides home. Mrs. David Burum, Earth, played the traditional wedding march upon the approach of the bride and her father.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a street length dress of candlelight tones. She carried a nosegay of peach, beige and white flowers with matching ribbon.

The scene of the vow exchange was accented by two spiral candelabras adorning peach tapers and bows.

Eddie Gage, brother of the groom and youth director for the Central Church of Christ in Amarillo, officiated at the marriage ceremony.

Attendants serving the bride and groom were, Lisa Pittman of Earth, sister of the bride, Kenneth Miller, Muleshoe was best man. Lisa wore a street length dress of peach tones with beige accents. Her flowers were carnations of peach, beige

Up-Up And Away With 4-H

The monthly meeting of the Muleshoe 4-H Club met on April 14th, at the 16th and D. Church of Christ. Vice-President, Zanna Huckaby, called the meeting to order. Debbie Isaac led the group in the U.S. Pledge and Jayna ris led in the 4-H pledge. Secretary Mandy Plank called the roll and read the minutes.

After a short business meeting, county agent Jim Irvin assisted the members in making balloon messages. Each 4-H'er wrote his name and address on a card. Then they put it in a paper sack and attached it to a balloon.

They watched the balloons float in a southwestern direction. The 4-H'ers are hoping someone will find the messages and correspond with them.

Refreshments were served by leaders Mrs. Lyndon Huckaby and Mrs. Walter Sain. Members present were Nettie Ruth, Theresa, Thurman and Willie Coleman, Krystal Derrick, Jayna and Kevin Harris, Holly and Zanna Huckaby, Mandy and Pam Plank, Tim Sain, Marisa Sayago, and Debbie Isaac.

and white.

Following the matrimony the bride's parents hosted a reception. The table was decorated with an ecru linen tablecloth with an underlay of peach.

Crystal and silver appointments graced the table. Centering the table was a flower arrangement of peach, beige and white enhanced by two twin candelabras bearing peach tapers.

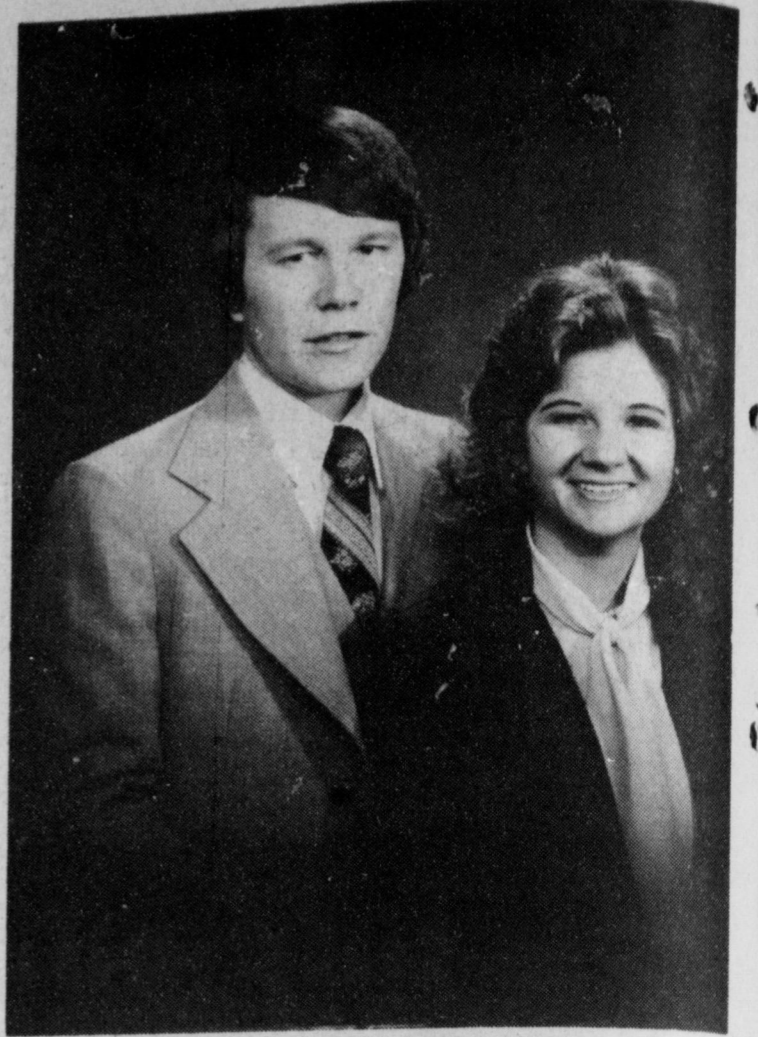
The cake was designed by Mrs. Don Haberer. The tiered cake complimented the brides colors of peach and candlelight.

Serving at the reception table were the sisters-in-law of the couple, Mrs. Eddie Gage, Amarillo and Mrs. Barry Pittman, Muleshoe.

The couple left immediately after the reception for a short honeymoon in Amarillo. Gage is employed by Young Sales Corporation of Amarillo. The couple will make their home in Amarillo.

Out of town guests and relatives for the wedding were; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wood, Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gage of Sudan, grandmothers of the groom, also the brides grandmothers, Mrs. C.H. Pittman, Abernathy and Mrs. Shelby Stapleton of Plainview.

Also Lonnie Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gage all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Barry Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Farley all of Muleshoe and Bill Gage of San Antonio.



JULY DATE SET...Mr. and Mrs. James Leslie Lambert of Muleshoe wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Gayle to David Ashley Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn F. Thomas of Boulder, Colorado. The bride elect is a graduate of Muleshoe High School and attended Commercial Business College and Amarillo College. The prospective groom is a graduate of Boulder High School and Mesa College of Grand Junction, Colorado. Both are employed by Pioneer Natural Gas in Amarillo. The couple plan to be married July 5, at 7:30 p.m., in the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

Retired Person Association

The annual American Association of Retired Persons, of chapter training workshop, met in Lubbock, at the Hilton Inn, Tuesday, April 15th.

Members from Muleshoe attending were; nominating committee, Erma Ray; membership committee, Mrs. Buck Creamer; and board member and public relation committee, Lena Hawkins.

Others attending were; D.J. Gage, R.D. Gilliland and Mrs. Homer Millsap.



JUNE WEDDING ANNOUNCED...Mr. and Mrs. Gene Templeton of Earth wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jennifer to Frank Thomas III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas II of Channing. The couple plan a June 6, wedding in the home of the brides parents. Jennifer and Frank are both students at West Texas State University in Canyon.

Lazbuddie Senior Citizen Tea

The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers will be hosting a tea for the Senior Citizens, Sunday, April 27, from 2-4 p.m., in the Lazbuddie School cafeteria.

Mrs. Effie Jennings, Mrs. Dixie Barns, Mrs. Luther Ham, Mrs. Clara Weaver, Willie Steinbock, Ed Clark, Sam Layman and Alford Scott will be given a special honor.

The Young Homemakers would like to urge all senior citizens to attend.

Refreshments will be served and a short program is planned.

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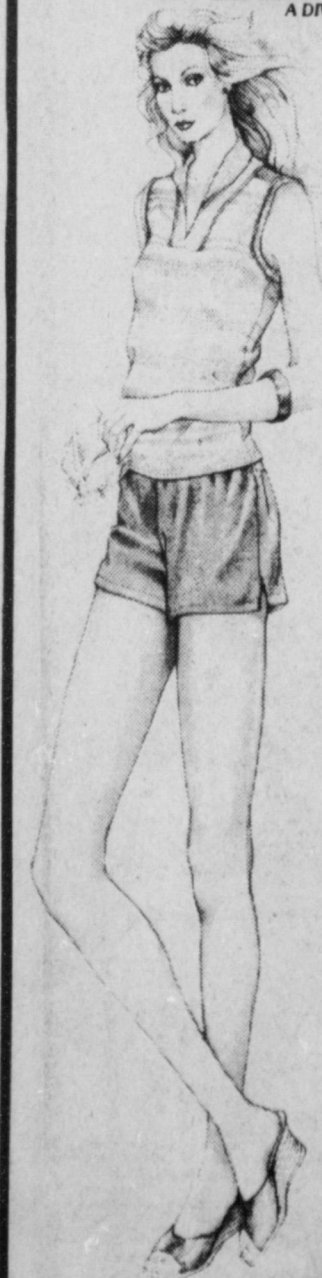
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Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Burton, the former Linda Cain, were honored with a wedding shower Tuesday, April 15, from 7:30-9 p.m., in the community room of Tri-County Savings and Loan.

Katrina Cain, sister of the bride, registered the guests. Ruthie Burton, sister of the groom, assisted the bride at the gift table. Special guests were; Janice Snell, mother of the bride, Loyce Burton, mother of the groom the brides grandmothers, Mrs. Vernon Syncox of Oklahoma Lane and Mrs. Opal Cain of Clovis, the honoree's aunts, Susan Franse, Annabell Hillock and Rita Dollar all of

Farwell and Lois Rudd of Springlake. The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth, a bride doll and cake with the inscription, "Congratulations DeWitt and Linda", across the top accented the table. The honoree's corsage was of blue silk flowers.

Mary and Earlene Burton, sisters of the groom, served cake, nuts, mints and pineapple punch from crystal appointments.

The hostesses presented the honoree with a blender and individual gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were; Mrs. James Williams, Mrs. Lonnie Merriot, Mrs. Vernon Brown, Mrs. Benny Floyd, Mrs. Lamon Whitaker, Mrs. Jerry Don Roedler, Mrs. Bob Donaldson, Mrs. Thurman White, Mrs. Rod Springfield, Mrs. R.G. Bennett, Mrs. R.D. Gilliland, Mrs. Wayne Holmes, Mrs. Mable Howard and Mrs. Cecil Mills.

Progressive Home Club

The Progressive Home Club met, April 16, in the home of Lucille Harper, with five members and a guest, Pat Johnson, present. Pat later joined the club.

Norene Thomas, president, presided over the meeting. Due to the absence of the secretary, Bera Engelking, called the roll, members answered by giving hints, tips and poems. Treasurers report was given, but no minutes were available.

Vera Engelking gave the program on crafts, made from articles usually thrown away. Lucille Harper showed two afghan's. The hostess gift was drawn by Pat Johnson.

After the fellowship, refreshments were served to Mrs. Troy Thomas, Mrs. Leon Stratton, Mrs. M.J. Gibson, Pat Johnson, Vera Engelking and the hostess, Lucille Harper.

Club was adjourned to meet in the home of, Mrs. Harold Newson, May 21.



London grew up on the site of an ancient Roman fort named Londinium.

Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge

Wilma Wise of Friona, the District Deputy, president of District five of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, made her official visit to Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge, Tuesday evening, April 15th.

After a pot luck supper the Noble Grand, Raneta Dawson, called the meeting to order.

Wilma Wise presented the president's program and gave a school of instruction. Charlie Wise was also present. There were 29 members present.

Pintores Art League Sets Date For Spring Showing

Pintores Art League has set their Art Fling date for May 17th through May 22nd. The event will be held at Paint 'n Place Gallery, 900 Pile St., Clovis, N.M., giving the public opportunity to see beautiful paintings from the best area artists.

Entries are to be hand delivered on May 15th between 10 A.M. and 5 P.M.

The winners will be judged by Michael C. McCullough of Amarillo and will remain on view at Paint 'n Place through Thursday, May 22. Persons responsible for their paintings must pick them up after 4 P.M. on May 22 and between 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. on Friday, May 23. Non-member artists in the surrounding areas are invited to submit as many original paintings as they would like in each category at \$5 per entry. Fee for Pintores members is \$3. Cash, purchase and merchandise awards totaling approximately \$1,970 will be awarded.

Entries must be original (not copies of other painting) and done without supervision.

Entries are not to exceed 24 x 30 inches in size and must be framed and secured.

Each entry must have a card attached to the back stating the name and address of the artist, media, title and purchase arrangement.

For further information call Ginnie Scifert, 763-4998; B. Laney, 763-4141; or Dorothy Franklin, 763-3157. Area code is 505.



Christopher Scott Lacaze

Mr. and Mrs. Al C. Lacaze, Jr. of Ft. Worth, are the proud parents of a new son, born April 7th, at 12:37 a.m., in the Harris Hospital in Ft. Worth. He weighed 6lbs., 9ozs. and was 18 1/2 inches long, and has been named, Christopher Scott.

The maternal grandparent is Mrs. Betty Hopper of Muleshoe. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al C. Lacaze, of Rhome, Texas.

Mrs. Lacaze is the former Sandra Hopper.



P.T.A. OFFICERS...the Elementary School P.T.A. held its installation of officers for the 1980-81, school year, Monday April 14, in the Richland Hills School Cafeteria. Pictured L-R Charles Brewer, parliamentarian; Mary Autry, treasurer; Jean Richardson, historian; Jan Crawford, first vice-president; Elaine Strout, secretary; Sheryl Morris, second vice-president; Doris Palmer, president.

Elsie Smith Installed PTA Officers

The final meeting of the P.T.A., for 1979-80, was held Monday April 14, at the Richland Hills cafeteria.

Elsie Smith, president of the South Plains Council of P.T.A., installed the new officers for 1980-81, president, Doris Palmer; first vice-president, Jan Crawford; second vice-president, Sheryl Morris; third vice-president, Barbara Bush; secretary, Elaine Stout; treasurer, Mary Autry; parliamentarian, Charles Brewer; historian, Jean Richardson.

The new committee chairmen are; publicity, Robin Niptune; Karen Kidd; budget, executive committee membership, Shirley Reynolds; life membership, Elizabeth Watson; nursery executive committee, hospitality, Ricky Kelly; Kay Elliott; Susie Rhodes; Dovie Knowles; legislative, Joyleine Costen.

Voting delegates attending the spring conference of the P.T.A. in Lubbock, May 2, will be Doris Palmer, Elaine Stout, Robin Neptune, and Joyce Holmes.

Anyone else interested in attending should call Doris Palmer at 272-3734.

The Life Membership Banquet, will be held May 2, at 7 p.m. The installation of District officers will be held that night. Doris Palmer is running for the office of vice-president, for Bailey and Lamb County and will be installed that evening.

The executive committee made a proposal to purchase a camera case and electric flash bar for the P.T.A. camera at the cost of \$21.58. The members voted and agreed to make the purchase.

Room count winners were Mrs. Norma Prather from Richland Hills and Mrs. Guinn from Mary DeShazo.

Mrs. Prather introduced Harold Horne, the new Superintendent of Schools, who then gave a talk on "Criticisms of Public Education", in which he states that major criticism from the public comes in four major categories.

One-Test scores are falling and thus the quality of education is not what it used to be, it was reported. Also Two-The standards for achievement in public schools too low. No. Three-Discipline in public schools is at an all-time low. And four-public education is spending more and more money on education without being accountable to the tax payers who are footing the bill.

Mr. Kane states in reply to these criticisms that, "our schools are better today than they ever have been." "Our teachers are better trained and do a better job today than they ever have."

The problem lies in what is expected of our schools today. Schools today are expected to reform drop outs, teach students to drive, teach drug education, crime prevention, respect for law and order, the free enterprise system, and many other subjects, which do not deal with what schools are established to do and for which we are being criticized for not doing.

In conclusion Mr. Kane says "schools are better than ever". "The future generation is our most precious asset and it is natural for parents to be alarmed when there are

reports of lower student achievement, lower test scores, discipline problems."

"But conscientious educators have no reason to be defensive." "Schools are doing a better job than ever for a greater number of students and there is no reason to believe this won't continue."

Mrs. Elizabeth Watson has been nominated for the most outstanding woman for the area. Congratulations, Mrs. Watson!

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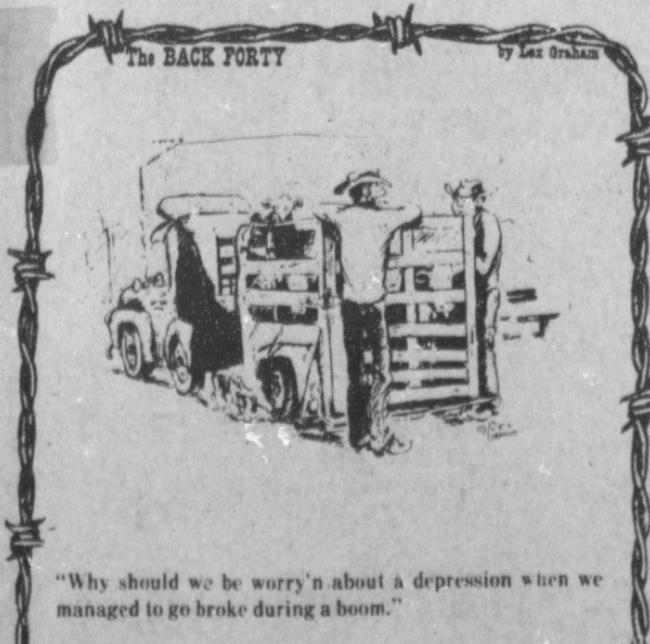


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"Why should we be worry'n about a depression when we managed to go broke during a boom."

Banks...

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the end of March, 1979 up to the current figures of \$27,433,955.

Muleshoe State Bank gained \$4,717,000 in deposits during the past year with deposits on March 31, 1979 of \$29,505,000, compared to the \$24,788,000 on deposit at the same time a year ago.

Loans at the bank reflect less than \$1 million increase during the past year. The MSB had loans of \$11,782,000 at the close of business in March 31, 1979 and had increased by \$966,000 to \$12,748,000 at the end of March, 1980.

First National Bank showed an increase of deposits during the past year of \$4,181,050. Deposits at the bank on March 31, 1979 were \$20,927,866 and on March 31 of this year, the figure was \$25,108,916.

At the same time, loans at First National in Muleshoe grew by \$718,842. Loans were \$14,685,955 to close business at the end of March, 1980 and a year previously at the same time, loans were \$13,967,113.

Frona State Bank reflects a slight decrease in deposits in the past year. Deposits at the bank on March 31, 1980 were \$29,795,829, down by \$801,607 from the \$30,597,436 on deposit at the same time last year.

Almost one half million increase was noted in

loans at the bank in Frona. Loans were \$16,090,539 on March 31 last year, compared to the \$16,554,182 on loan at the same time this year for a difference of \$463,643.

Citizens Bank of Earth shows an increase in deposits and a decrease in loans during the past year for the same time of year. Deposits increased by \$854,664 with \$10,727,409 on deposit at the end of March this year, and at the same time last year, \$9,872,745 was on deposit at the bank.

At Earth, the loans decreased by more than \$1 million. Loans were \$7,038,252 to close out March, 1979, and at the end of March this year, were \$5,651,549, for a decrease of \$1,386,703.

First National Bank of Sudan gained a little, and may be coming out of a temporary very slight slump. Deposits at the bank were \$7,516,235 at the end of March this year, up by \$1,112,637 over the deposits of \$6,403,598 at the same time last year.

Loans at the bank also gained a little. Loans to close out March, 1980 were \$1,465,521, compared to the \$1,259,713 for a gain of some \$205,728 during the past year.

From Farwell, Security State Bank lost a little in deposits in the last year. Deposits at the bank to close out March, 1979 were \$16,941,592, and lost by \$499,910 to the \$16,441,682 on deposit at the end of March this year.

Loans at Security State were \$10,236,250, a gain of \$5,618,273 over the \$4,617,977 on deposit at the end of March last year.

At Bovina, First State Bank cashier Steve Sherrill reports an increase in deposits during the past year. On March 31, 1980 deposits were \$9,417,443, up by \$1,541,330 over the \$7,876,113 shown on deposits at the end of March last year.

However, loans were down by \$606,901 during the year. Loans to close out March this year were \$4,510,912, compared to the \$5,117,813 at the same time last year.

From Morton, First State Bank reported March 31, 1980 deposits of \$22,483,278, an increase of \$3,808,896 over the \$18,674,382 on deposit at the same time last year.

Loans at the bank in Morton decreased by \$848,055 during the year with loans of \$4,987,304 to close out March this year, compared to the \$5,835,359 on loan at the end of March last year.

Accident...

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months old at the time of his death.

His survivors include his mother, Mrs. Janie Vega, Muleshoe; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales, Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vega, Sr. of Puerto Rico and a sister, Liza Marie Vega of the home.

A home town booster is a man who helps make his home town better as well as bigger.

SPS Issues Report On '79 Fat Cattle

Sam Thomas, manager of agricultural development for Southwestern Public Service Company in Amarillo, has announced that 4,891,492 fat cattle were produced in 1979 in the 45,000 square mile area served by SPS. This is a decrease of 1.67 percent over the previous year but is still the third largest number ever produced in a 12 months period.

These facts were shown in a survey conducted by SPS each year since 1963. The survey is quoted throughout the United States at the most authoritative source as to the production of fat cattle in the Southern Great Plains area, explained Thomas.

According to the survey, Bailey County produced 73,500 fat cattle and the current capacity at this time is 49,000. Cochran County produced 45,000 and their current capacity is 40,000 while Lamb County produced 147,500, with a current capacity of 88,999. Parmer County

Horns...

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strong third place showing, and the 1600 meter relay team of Montreal, Quentin Mimms, Reggie Treider and Russell Windham was second with a very respectable time of 3:34.0.

In individual running events, Reggie Treider was second in the 800 meter dash with a time of 2:07.2, while Lonnie Neil was a third place finisher.

In the 110 high hurdles, Russell Windham left all the competition behind to win that event with 14.8. Johnny Gonzales ran a good race, and came up third with Ariel Sanchez placing fifth.

Keihm Smith placed sixth in the 100 meter dash with a time of 11.6.

In the 400 meter dash, it was anyone's race; as the first five places were all within the 53-second mark; Quentin Mimms placed third with a time of 53.4.

Russell Windham defended his championship in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles with a time of 40.2 with Johnny Gonzales placing fourth.

Longhorns who placed in the 200 meter dash were Steve Monreal with a fourth place finish, and Keihm Smith who placed fifth.

Martin Mendoza found enough stamina to outlast his field in the 1600 meter run and he won in 4:49.8. Terry Jesko was fourth with a time of 5:07.4.

Coach Jimmy Noland said he was very proud of his team's efforts at District, and was hoping for a repeat performance during the Regional meet in Levelland April 25-26.

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-The Synopsis.

produced 409,251 fat cattle with a current capacity of 287,500. A total of 3,969,152 fat cattle were produced in the SPS 45,000 square mile area, and currently 2,198,749 are in the feedlots in the same area.

"During the 1979 period, the feedlot capacity came to 2,718,549, which reflects a reduction of 9,851 head over 1978," Thomas said. "The total impact of the feedyard industry on the business community exceeded 13.8 billion dollars and the farm sale value exceeded 5,595 million dollars."

The total feedlots surveyed remained the same as last year. Lots with a 1,000 head capacity and above decreased by four percent and lots with 5,000 head capacity and above increased by 2.56 percent. Total feed lot capacity decreased by .03 percent.

Thomas said, "Over production of pork and poultry have caused prices on these products to drop and also caused the price of beef to drop. Beef prices are difficult to maintain at more than one and three fourths that of pork. If this glut of pork and poultry continues, fat cattle prices could drop to 45 cents."

He said the feedyards used 195,659,680 bushels of feed grain and 1,222,873 tons of silage. At 50 cents per pound cost of gain and 400 pound gain per animal, the feedlot bill is estimated at \$978,298,400. At 52 cents per pound cost of gain, the feedlot bill is increased to \$1,017,430,336 and at 54 cents to \$1,056,562,272.

Thomas added that the interest cost at 16 percent for the time the animals were in the feed lot would mount to \$241,248,385, or \$49.32 per animal, about five cents per pound live weight or eight cents on dressed weight.

The survey has made a major contribution to the development and growth of the industry and has been especially valuable in the vertical integration that has occurred in the SPS service area, continued the SPS agriculturist.

"Copies of the survey will be available at Southwestern Public Service Company in about 60 days," Thomas said.



WESTERN SPRINKLER HONORED--For the fourth consecutive year, Western Sprinkler of Muleshoe has been in the top five dealers of the more than 200 Zimmatic Sprinkler dealers for Lindsay Manufacturing Co. of Lindsay, Neb. Pictured with the latest plaque, and other plaques displayed in the background are from left, Roger Schulz, Western Division Sales Manager for Lindsay Manufacturing Co.; Keith Pate, owner, Western Sprinkler and Jack Bloomer, Lindsay Manufacturing Co. district manager, San Antonio.

Western Sprinkler Gets Company Award

Admittedly feeling growing pains, Western Sprinkler's Keith and Shirley Pate and their crews are working long, hard hours to install and service the sprinkler systems they handle.

However, some of the hard work has paid off. Last week, for the fourth consecutive year, they have been awarded by Lindsay Manufacturing Co., builders of the Zimmatic sprinkler system.

Roger Schulz, Western Division Sales Manager, of Lindsay, Neb., home of the Zimmatic system, told The Journal that a plaque consistently won by Western Sprinkler is "the highest award presented by Lindsay Manufacturing Co. to the top 18 dealers in Lindsay's 200-plus dealer organizations."

Four years ago, Western Sprinkler was the top new dealer with Lindsay Manufacturing Company in their first year, and have earned the top award all four years of their existence, according to Schulz.

He said they were number one in 1978, and have consistently been in the top five dealerships in the other years.

With a branch office in Littlefield, Western Sprinkler serves an area from Lubbock to Littlefield to Friona to Morton and to Portales and Arch in New Mexico.

Western Sprinkler's home office is in Muleshoe where the Pates are active in civic and church functions. Pate is a member of the Optimist Club of Muleshoe; the Muleshoe Rotary Club; an organizer and President of the Muleshoe Area Youth Activities Committee Inc. and active in the First Baptist Church.

His wife, Shirley, is active in the First Baptist Church, where she is a Sunday School teacher.

At this time, of their three children, one is associated with Western Sprinkler, Brad, who is a graduate of Texas Tech University, is also a member of the Muleshoe Jay-

cees, and works with the Muleshoe Area Youth Activities Committee Inc. and works with the Muleshoe Little League baseball.

Daughter Kathy is teaching eighth and ninth grade at Thompson Junior High School in Lubbock and Steve is still a student at Texas Tech University.

Schulz explained that the top dealers with their company are chosen on the basis of the number of Zimmatics sold by a dealer; management skills and service.

Farm Safety

On Tractors

To Be Taught

Members of Bailey County 4-H will be able to learn how many farm and ranch people are critically or even fatally injured by tractors and machinery at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 22, at the Fellowship Hall of the 16th and Ave. D Church of Christ, when a Texas Farm Bureau Safety Representative will speak to the group.

The speaker will use miniature equipment and a 16 MM film to stress the many ways people are hurt or killed by tractors and machinery.

He will emphasize a number of accident prevention methods that will eliminate the many causes of accidents.

The program is being brought to Bailey County 4-H and to Ag students during the day on Tuesday, April 2, courtesy of the Bailey County Farm Bureau. Preceding the evening presentation, the program will be presented to all Ag students at Muleshoe High School.

Jimmy Carter, President, on passage of "windfall tax" bill: "This is good news for the country and, I think, good news for the whole world."

Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Banda Lorenzo, Jr. and Nikki Lynn Foster, both of Portales

WARRANTY DEEDS

Rigoberto Hernandez and wife, Maria Hernandez to Elia Noe Anzaldua, Jr. and Jessie Leal -- Southwesterly 50 feet of Lots 1,2,3,4, and 5 of Block 36, of original town of Muleshoe.

Narciso Lopez Guana and wife, Nora Guana to Joe L. Smallwood -- Lot one Ladd's Subdivision of Block six, Hillcrest Addition No. 2, to the town of Muleshoe.

D.A. Graves and wife, Betty Graves to Needmore Cooperative Gin Company -- A 75 acre tract of land out of Labor No. (16), League No. (193), Foard County School Lands, in Bailey County.

Felix Ybarra and wife Annie C. Ybarra to Pedro Nunez -- all of Lots (17) and (18), Block No. (9), Morrison Addition No. (2) to Muleshoe.

COUNTY COURT

Charles L. Lenau dba Charles L. Lenau Lumber Company VS Manuel Lopez -- Order of Discontinuance.

State of Texas VS Billy Gober - Order of Dismissal Francisco H. Gonzales - Driving while Drivers License's Suspended - \$75 fine and 3 days jail

Garry Donny Young - Driving While License's Suspended \$100 fine 3 days in jail

Jefferson W. Hamilton - Worthless Check - \$18 fine

Golden Gleams

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It's good to be able to tell someone what they can depend on.

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Nursing Home News

By Joy Stancell

Onnie McDaniel was given an Easter Lily by Ann and Jessie. Onnie was visited by Royce Garth, Janie and Rudolph Moraw, Alta Garth of Lubbock, Audrey and Lillian Jones, Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Head, Buck Ragsdale, Mrs. Ola Ragsdale, Earl and Helen, her grandson Randy Schmitz and Melissa Edwards of Odessa, Anita, Judy, Melissa, Shay and Paul, Bro. Stone. Her sister called Sunday Afternoon.

Visiting Ora Roberts were Ruby Ward, Dee Silger, Eileen L. Martha, Mrs. Kerma McGuire and boy's, Stacey Campbell, Mrs. W.W. Wilson, Mrs. Lendrix, Darla Kay and Johnny Dale Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass, Luella Kendrick from Sudan, Viola Core from Sudan, Myrtle Wells of Sudan, her great granddaughter and family from Sterling City, Mr. and Mrs. George Robert Clark.

Annie Brown and Perlie Haskins were visited by Mrs. Maude Young.

Murphy Berry's wife comes everyday to visit him.

Mrs. Bell is visited by Naomi Julian everyday.

Guy Nickels was visited by his family.

Edith Bruns was visited by Ruth, Don and Lesley.

Berdie Phelps received two new dresses for her birthday.

Clara Weaver was visited by Pat Henson and her two children, Chris, Clara went home Sunday morning. Most of her family were there for an Easter dinner. Clara was visited by Iva Carpenter, Marilyn Engeling and Rosemary Pool.

Carrie Boydston was visited by Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Falkner, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Price of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Boydston of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Boydston and Jimmy of Ralls and Dorothy Knight.

Dottie Wilterding was visited by Mr. and Mrs.

D.B. Head, Kelly Head visited Saturday, Mae Wilterding and Lona Embry.

Lois Hays was visited by her sister Easter Cappel and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hays and family from Ringwood, Okla.

Lena Hawkins and ladies from the First Baptist Church brought children from, "Mission Friends" to sing to the residents. They gave each resident a tray favor, and visited the residents.

Sunday morning E.B. Wilson came to have Bible Study with Archie Scarlett, Marie Engram, Dottie Wilterding, Sena Buhrman, W.W. Parker, Chellie Bradley, Charlie Garth, Russ Duncan, and Lottie Hall.

The Needmore and Circleback singers came to sing to the residents Sunday afternoon. Residents attending were Annie Brown, Marie Engram, Dottie Wilterding, Maggie London, Rose Sebring, Russ Duncan, Lottie Hall, Ora Roberts, Rosemary Pool, Archie Scarlett and Charlie Garth.

Bro. and Mrs. Crenshaw from the Lazbuddie Methodist Church came Wednesday afternoon to have a Sing-A-Long with the residents. Residents participating were Sena Buhrman, Marie Engram, Dottie Wilterding, Maggie London, Russ Duncan, Annie Brown, Charlie Garth, Archie Scarlett, Marie Patton, Bulah Connell, Ora Roberts, Roie Stine, W.W. Parker, Juanita Garrett, Dasha Dykes, Lottie Hall and Chellie Bradley.

The Muleshoe Young Homemakers came Tuesday morning to play Bingo with Bertie Hendrix, Rosemary Pool, Grace Kemp, Russ Duncan, Maggie Engram, Charlie Garth, Marie Patton, Ora Roberts, Maggie London, Edith Bruns and Chellie Bradley. They served refreshments of blueberry muffins and hot chocolate.

Rita Lane from the Young Homemakers, brought birthday cards for the residents having a birthday this month.

Ed Clark was visited by his son, Wayne Clark, Tuesday.

Thursday morning Zona Gatewood came to play the piano for the residents at group.

Thursday afternoon C.W. Wilhite came to the Nursing Home to play Dominos with; Ora Roberts, Charlie Garth, Russ Duncan. Residents watching the game were Edith Bruns, Archie Scarlett and Annie Brown.

Friday morning Mrs. Dawson came to help the residents with crafts. Residents participating were Ora Roberts, Maggie London, Marie Engram, Charlie Garth, Archie Scarlett and Edith Bruns.

The Spudnut Shop brought spudnuts to the Nursing Home Thursday.

E.B. Wilson came Sunday to have Bible study with Dottie Wilterding, Marie Patton, Russ Duncan, Maggie London, Ora Roberts, Marie Engram, Lottie Hall, Archie Scarlett and Charlie Garth.

Sunday afternoon the Calvary Baptist Church came to sing to the residents. Residents attending were Bertie Hendrix, Marie Engram, Dottie Wilterding, Maggie London, Ora Roberts, Marie Patton, Dasha Dykes, Grace

Kemp, Archie Scarlett, Charlie Garth, Edith Bruns, Rosemary Pool and Ruth Myers.

Glenda Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Crenshaw from the Lazbuddie Methodist Church came Wednesday to have a Sing-A-Long with the residents.

Marie Engram was visited by Blanch Callier, Mrs. C.W. Wilhite, Mrs. Odom, Rachelle Hardage, Terry Bouchelle, Bessie Stephenson, Lena Hawkins, Jerry Hutton, Mr. and Mrs. Blondie Ray and Maude Kersey.

Maggie London was visited Sunday afternoon by her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leon London from Farwell.

Ora Roberts was visited by Kate Tuhez, Matthew, Adam, Maggie (who are Russ Duncan's daughter and great grandchildren) Mr. and Mrs. Joe Embry, Jeanie Holman of Albuquerque N.M. Cora Jean Rush, Bruce Duncan and Florene Mills.

Ora Roberts made snow ice cream Saturday morning April 12th. She shared it with the nurses and other residents.

Willie Steinbock, Marie

Engram, Russ Duncan, Ora Roberts played Dominos Saturday night.

Josie Ross's daughter Maxine Ragsdale is giving Mrs. Ross a birthday party in her room Thursday afternoon. The residents and staff of the nursing home have been invited.

Clara Weaver was visited Tuesday by Johnnie Weaver and Terri Nelson and Chad.

Monday night Jr. and Winnie Mills visited her. Friday night April 11th, Clara and her husband Quinn celebrated their 44th, wedding anniversary, with a big fish supper.

Annie Brown was visited by her daughter Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Simpson of Clovis, Barbara Milburn visited her Friday, she was also visited by Nina Aud-dell.

Burtie Hendrix was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Embry, Sherry and Audrey. Mrs. Hendrix keeps busy crocheting and knitting.

Mrs. Bell was visited by her granddaughter Laverne Blackwell, Naomi Jualan, Joe Wilson and Maye Phillips.

Onnie McDaniel was vis-

ited by Janie Garth, Terry Bochelle, Mrs. D.B. Head, Ruby Gardner, Barbara Milburn, and LaTrice Garth.

Josie Ross was visited Tuesday by two of her brothers.

Sena Buhrman was visited by her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Eubanks of East Texas, Margaret and Kline, Gladys and Russell.

Dottie Wilterding was visited by Lona Embry and Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Head. Last week Mildred Head took Dottie out to see the remodeling they are doing on Dottie's house.

Charlie Garth was visited by Mr. Odom Tuesday.

Ruth Nowlin and her son came to play the guitar and sing to the residents Saturday afternoon. Residents attending were Ora Roberts, Russ Duncan, Marie Patton, Edith Bruns, Charlie Garth, Dottie Wilterding, Archie Scarlett, Rosemary Pool, Marie Engram, Maggie London, W.W. Parker, Bulah Connell, Annie Brown, Grace Kemp, Chellie Bradley, Effie Splawn, Willie Steinbock, Lottie Hall and Josie Ross.

The Hospital and Nursing Home Aux. have purchased new dining room furniture for the nursing home.

Our monthly birthday party will be at 2:30 p.m., April 24. Residents having a birthday this month are Dr. McDaniel, Josie Ross, Burdie Phelps. We invite friends and family of these to attend, or just anyone who would like too.

Texans warned of water shortage

COLLEGE STATION — While the rest of the country struggles with the energy shortage, oil and gas-rich Texas is facing a potentially greater crisis: lack of water.

"We are simply drawing on our underground water supply faster than it is being replenished," warned Dr. Jack Runkles, director of the Texas Water Resources Institute at Texas A&M University.

"If the state continues to grow at its current pace, we may in fact have to consider bringing in water supplies from outside and that would be very, very expensive," he said.

Runkles predicted by the year 2,000, Texans will be consuming 24 billion gallons of water a day, up from an estimated 15 billion gallons a day currently.

Carter seeks increased surveillance on spy suspects.



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Seventeen Students Tour Washington DC



Seventeen students and three sponsors visited Washington, D.C. and Williamsburg April 4-9. They flew from Lubbock.

While in Washington, they had a visit with Kent Hance. Members of Hance's staff conducted them on a tour through the Nation's Capital, the Supreme Court Building, and the Library of Congress. The Muleshoe group also visited the Washington Monument, the Smithsonian Institute, the Wax Museum, and enjoyed a night tour of all the monuments along with a short stop at the Kennedy Center.

Other tours included Ford's Theater, the F.B.I., the National Cathedral, Arlington Cemetery, Mount Vernon, the Archives, and the Naval Museum.

In Colonial Williamsburg, the group visited the Governor's Palace, the House of Burgesses (our nation's first capital), George Wythe's Home and Bruton Parish Church. They visited specialty shops including a candlemaker, basketweaver, printer, and book binder. They ate lunch at a colonial tavern. Also while in the Williamsburg area, they visited the first settle-

ment of Jamestown. Cherry blossom time in Washington, D.C. is a very colorful time, and those on the trip enjoyed watching the budding and blooming of the cherry blossoms.

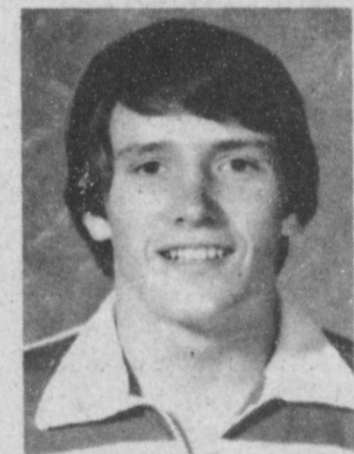
Those making the trip were; Curby Brantley, Alan Harrison, Todd Holt, Earl Parish, Sandy Dunbar, Jacinda Gleason, Denise Wilson, Kelly Harrison, Benton Glaze, Scott Saylor, Abbye Kennedy, Joni Sudduth, Jimmy Gleason, Greg Harrison, Sherri Henry, Gary Cox, Melinda Ross, Pat and Stan Black, and Stephen Johnson.

Student Council Elects Officers

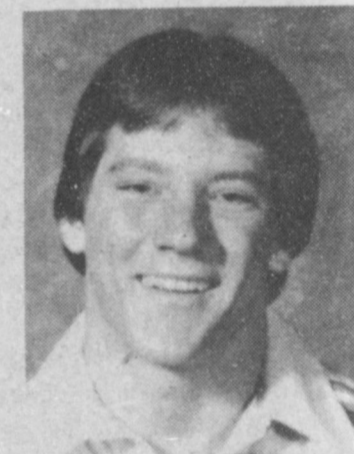
Student Council officers electee

The Student Council Officers for the 1980-81 School year were elected last Wednesday, April 23. Clifford Watson was selected as the President, Carroll Precure-Vice President, Secretary-Jan Whitt, Reporter-Janet Shain, Chaplain-Susie Pierce, Treasurer-Wayne Precure, and Historian-Cara Bass.

The 1980-81 school year should be a successful one under the leadership of these students. Congratulations to them.



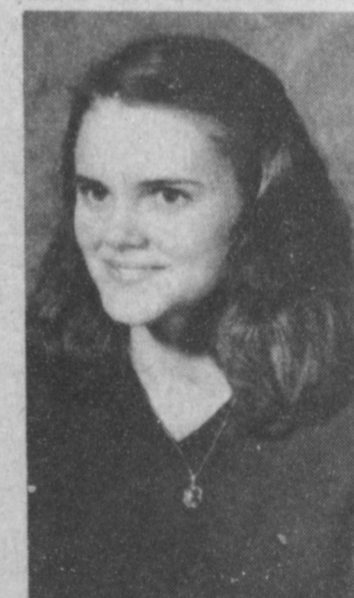
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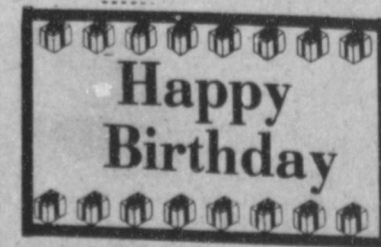
JANET SHAIN



CARA BASS



SUSIE PIERCE



The Mule's Tale Staff would like to wish the following people a very Happy Birthday!!! Sunday, April 20 -- Jo Ann Lopez, Johnny Puckett

Monday, April 21 -- Tina McDaniel

Wednesday, April 23 -- Joe Angel Martinez, Irma Alfaro

Thursday, April 24 -- Tyrri Vandiver



WAYNE PRECURE

Novel Thought

Muleshoe School Lunch

MONDAY BREAKFAST

Milk
Cereal
Fruit

LUNCH

Bar-B-Q Franks
Potato Salad
Blackeyed Peas
Cornbread
Pudding

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Milk
Toast
Jelly
Juice

LUNCH

Milk
Juicy Burgers
Lettuce & Tomato
Tater Tots
Pickles & Onions
Cobbler

WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Milk
Honey Buns
Fruit

LUNCH

Chicken Enchilada Cass.
Pinto Beans
Buttered Corn
Cornbread
Fruit

THURSDAY BREAKFAST

Milk
Toast
Jelly
Juice

LUNCH

Sandwiches
French Fries
Pork & Beans
Cheese Sticks
Pineapple Upside Down
Cake

FRIDAY BREAKFAST

Milk
Honey Buns
Fruit

LUNCH

Milk
Fried Chicken & Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Eng. Peas
Hot Rolls
Fruit Cup

'79 Muletrain Winner

Muletrain-Mule's Tale staff members attended the 46th Annual Convention of the Panhandle High School Press Association at West Texas State University Activities Center Tuesday, April 15. Those attending were Muletrain Co-editors JoRonda Rhodes and Shelley Splawn; Mule's Tale co-editor Keva Roming; Sharla Henry and advisor Mrs. Lucy Faye Smith. More than 450 students attended from twenty-five Panhandle and South Plains schools.

The Muletrain '79 placed third in the Division II schools, which includes AAA and AA schools. The Tula Hornet won first place and the Canyon Soaring Wings placed second.

The Muletrain also won

Artist Of Month

Jon Miller was awarded April's Artist of the Month. He is the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller. They moved to Muleshoe from Missouri.

Jon's activities include oil painting, art carvings and photography. At the scholastic art competition in Amarillo, Jon received two certificates for his oil paintings.

Miller said, "Many of my accomplishments could not have been done without the help and guidance of Mrs. Elizabeth Black, who I thankfully acknowledge."

The Muletrain Art Club would like to say, "Congratulations Jon!"

End Of Six Weeks

The fifth six weeks period ended Wednesday, April 23. Report cards

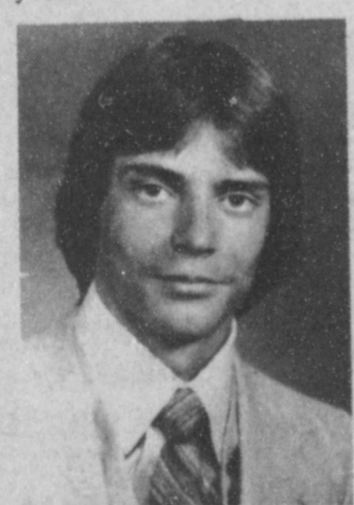
third place certificates in development of theme, sports spread, and the cover.

Scott Donley of Amarillo's Tascosa High School has been awarded the Dorinda E. Bond trophy and a \$200 scholarship as the "outstanding high school journalist of the Panhandle".

The program included election of officers for the next year.

Mrs. Marjorie Wilson, Coronado High School, presented "The Yearbook: Leaving No Stone Unturned".

The Muletrain '79 has also received a yearbook award of Honor in Journalism from the Interscholastic League Press Conference, The University of Texas in recognition of achievement and progress in journalism among school yearbooks in its classification for the school year.



JON MILLER

FTA Meeting

The FTA District Presidents' State Meeting was held March 27-29 in Austin at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel. District XVII President Clifford Watson and District Advisor Stephen Johnson attended the meeting. All the incoming district Presidents, advisors and state officers were present. Workshops were held on preparing a newsletter, parliamentary procedure and choosing next year's theme.

A banquet was held Friday night to install the

DECA Employer & Employee Of The Month

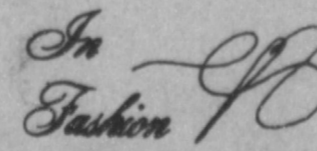
The Muleshoe High School Chapter of Distributive Education Clubs of America has chosen Mr. Alex Williams as Employer of the Month of March and Debra Stevens as the Outstanding Student of the month. Both of these people are very deserving of these awards.

Mr. Williams has employed DECA students for a number of years. He is a member of the DECA-HECE Advisory Board. Mr. Williams has always taken a great deal of interest in helping the students learn the basic clerical and accounting skills. His employees say that he is a very good employer and really helps them in their jobs.

Debra is the first year DECA Chapter member. She enjoys still life painting, Country Club Golf Pro Shop. She has been involved in many of the club's activities and projects throughout the year.

Senior Invitations, Caps And Gowns

Class of 1980 Invitations, caps and gowns have arrived. Monday April 21 the envelopes will be passed out showing exactly what is owed on the account and exactly what was ordered. Tuesday, April 22, Mr. Roger Pamperin will be here to collect for the invitations. Remember Seniors, if you do not have the correct amount of money do not expect to get your invitations. Also if you would like to buy your Class of 1980 T-Shirt, we will be selling them in the cafeteria for \$5.50 the same day.



year. Debra made the following comments, "The DECA Chapter is one of the best organizations in Muleshoe High School. I have learned a great deal during my year in DECA. I am glad that I was given the opportunity to gain work experience while in High School, and I hope that other students will take advantage of the opportunities available to them through the DECA program."

Congratulations to these people.



DEBRA STEVENS



MR. ALEX WILLIAMS

Easter Bunny Winner

The Freshman class held an Easter Bunny raffle before school was dismissed for the Easter holidays. Coach George Washington won the bunny by purchasing a 25 cent ticket. The class made

Not Practical Overhead: He says he'd like to give me the

Students Absent Due To Activities

Thursday and Friday, April 17 and 18, many students were absent due to extracurricular activities.

The Boys' golf team was out Thursday competing in the third round of District competition at Friona. Those attending were Sam Gonzales, Scott Saylor, Ronnie Angeley, Joe Neel and Lynn Moore.

The following students were out April 17 and 18 for the FHA/HERO Convention in Houston: Shelli Hawkins, Kristi Henry, Donna Parish and Lavon Rhodes along with Mrs. Jan Powell and Mrs. Mary Furguson, sponsors.

The Mighty 'M' Band was absent for their annual field trip. They were out Thursday and Friday for competition in Houston. Those attending were: SENIORS - Junior Alvarado, Scott Baker, Wes Cook, Sandy Dunbar, Kanetha Hysinger, Christine Isaac, Robert King, Chriselda Lopez, Russell Magby, Linette Newman, Zeke Pecina, Gloria Recio, and Kim Williams; JUNIORS - Melissa Allison, Steve Claybrook, Awyna Cox, Nancy Garcia, Tena Landers, Adam Laredo, Sally Lunsford, Anna Martinez, Minerva Martinez, Mary Mata, Nora Rojas, Diana Saldana, and Tracie Webb; SOPHOMORES - Eric Allison, Gina Bevers, Debra Bouchelle, Tami Bratcher, Dana Brewer, Nettie Ruth Coleman, Shelley Davis, Denna Harris, Delilah Lopez, JoAnn Lopez, Rosemary Lopez, Terrie Martin, Mary Alice Orozco, Rudy Orozco, Eugene Porras, Tim Sain, Staci Vandiver, Marsha Williams, and Jenny Ziegenfuss; FRESHMEN - Eddie Alvarado, Janelle Burks, Zeke Contreras, Perry Flowers, Mike Foss, Irma Garcia, J.K. Harris, Jackie Holmes, Dale Hughes, Shawna Kelton, Benjamin Martinez, Alex Navejar, Roberi Nowlin, Sandra Speck, Shelli Walker, Laura Leal, and Chris Kirven.

The girls' track team was absent all day Friday for the Regional Track

Attention Junior And Senior Mothers

You are urgently needed to work on the prom decorations. We are working each and every Tuesday and Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. in the Fire Department meeting hall. Please come and help if at all possible.

Meet. Those competing were: Shelly Durham, Nettie Ruth Coleman, Lupe Pacheco, Sandra Graves, Sherry Ellis, and Ella Graves.

The Girls A team was absent Thursday and Friday for a Regional Meet at Lubbock. Those competing were Traci Walker, Stacey Campbell, Denise Wilson, Jennifer Tillema, and Jerria Beasley.

The following students were absent Thursday for the Regional One Act Play Contest: Lauri Burgess, Rodney Unrein, Manuel Garcia, George Vela, Michael Isaac, Freddie Vela, Fran Berryhill, Marlin Bynum, Lori Butler, Jeff Combs, Jesse Silguero, Dana Brewer, Kevin Robinson, Carla Shafer, Lynette Shafer, Dusty Puckett, and Sheri Ellard.

The following Vo Ag students competed in the South Plains Junior College livestock judging contest Thursday afternoon. Curby Brantley, Larry Nowlin, and Johnny Puckett.

Calendar Of Events

Monday, April 21
Cheerleader tryouts in gym at 9:00

Tuesday, April 22
Vo-Ag Department District Meeting at Whiteface Tryouts at 7:30 p.m. in the Auditorium for Senior Play 9:00 a.m. Seniors pick up invitations, balance due

Thursday, April 24
7:30 TSTA Public Relations Banquet in Cafeteria Student Council Junior Olympics 3:30 Student Council Convention in Austin

Friday, April 25
Vo-Ag Department State Judging Contest at College Station Junior Olympics sponsored by Student Council - 3:30

Boy's Regional Track at Lubbock
Boy's Regional Golf at Lubbock
Student Council Convention at Austin

Saturday, April 26
Junior Olympics sponsored by Student Council - 9:00
Student Council State Convention at Austin
Vo-Ag Department State Judging at College Station

Philip Crane, Republican presidential candidate, asking supporters to work for Reagan: "I do not want to contribute in any way to undermine Reagan's efforts."

Cheerleader Tryouts

High School Cheerleader and Mascot tryouts will take place Monday, April 21, at 9:00 a.m. in the high school gym. Those trying out for cheerleader will perform before

HERO-DECA Employer Banquet

The second annual HERO-DECA Employer Appreciation Banquet was held April 15 in the High School Cafeteria.

Max Sherman, President of West Texas State University, was the guest speaker. The entertainment was by a Gospel group under the direction of Geary Broussden from the First Baptist Church of Friona.

The banquet was given in appreciation for all of the HERO-DECA Employers for all of their time and patience given to the students.

Shelli Hawkins was awarded Outstanding HERO member and Mrs. Jan Powell Honorary Member. Outstanding DECA member was awarded to Jerry Puente and Honorary members Janie Hughes and Steve Thrasher.

the student body one cheer and the fight song. Mascot candidates will give a speech.

Wagnon, Sylvia Quesada, and Michelle Agee.

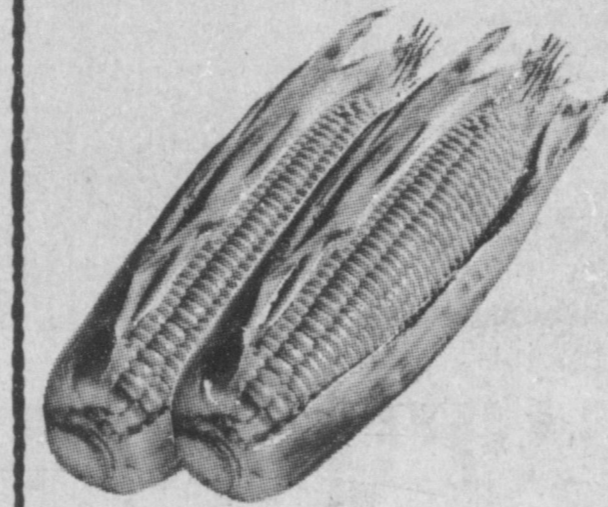
Trying out for Mascot are Kristi Henry and Donna Hawkins.

Running for J.V. Cheerleader are Kelly Bayless, Terri Dulin, Rhonda Dunham, and Berna Lopez.

Six Varsity Cheerleaders, one Mascot, and three J.V. Cheerleaders will be selected. Good luck to these girls!!!

ON HOSTAGES

THE HAGUE, NETHERLANDS -- The U.S. government, appealing for an urgent world court decision on the Tehran hostages, warned that Iran might hold the 50 Americans indefinitely and thereby undermine world peace. The court will now consider the case in private and issue a judgment.



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Fellowship Of Christian Athletes

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes met Thursday, in the home of Clifford Watson. The program was a tape by Josh McDowell, "The Secret of Loving."

The elite group attended a rally in Amarillo to hear Tom Landry speak Friday night. It was an extraordinary experience.

Also the group has been selling suntan lotion as a money making project. The sales went very well, and we would like to thank all the people that contributed to this project.

The FCA's golf tournament and Spring banquet

are fast approaching, so mark your calendar for May 31.

The athletes would like to thank the Watson's for allowing us to meet in their home and for the hospitality.

U.S. PLANE DOWN WASHINGTON -- A radar-jamming plane based on the carrier Kitty Hawk crashed into the Indian Ocean recently and its four-man crew was reported missing and presumed dead. Navy officials said.



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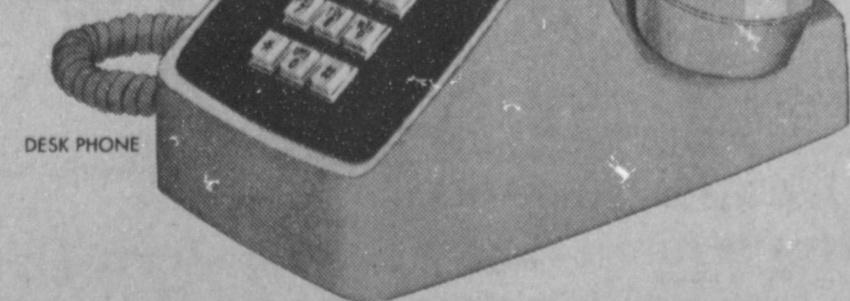
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County Agent Tells About Bug Problem

The alfalfa weevil was first detected in Texas in 1968 in several eastern counties. Since that time, it has spread across the state, being first reported in the High Plains in 1972, said Bailey County Agent Spencer Tanksley.

Damage to alfalfa occurs in the spring when the larval (or worm) stage feeds in the foliage. The weevil is primarily a pest of first cutting, said the county agent. It over-

winters as an adult, with a few eggs being laid on warm winter days. Eggs are laid in clusters in the stem. In the spring, with the advent of warm weather, females begin laying numerous eggs. The young larvae which hatch out are very small, yellow-green in color and feed in the growing tips and developing buds of alfalfa. Older larvae are green with a white stripe down their back. All larval

stages have curved bodies and shiny black heads.

The alfalfa weevil has only one generation per year, explained Tanksley. After the larvae finish feeding, usually by mid May in our area, the larva spins a net-like cocoon on the plant or in the soil debris. From this cocoon, the adult weevil emerges and leaves the alfalfa field. The adults stay out of the fields all summer and re-enter them in the fall. The cycle then repeats itself.

Very small alfalfa plants which are attacked in early spring can withstand only limited feeding by the larvae. Larger alfalfa plants (12-18 inches and height) can support considerably larger numbers of weevil larvae. If populations of alfalfa weevil are heavy, a damaged field will have a greyish appearance.

"We expect to have our peak alfalfa weevil activity in late April or early May in our area," said Tanksley. "If larvae numbers are high enough to reach the economic threshold,

one properly timed application should give control. Chemical Treatments are recommended if more than 25 percent of the terminals, or growing tips, are infested with larvae. Several effective insecticides are registered for alfalfa weevil control."

Mosquito brings virus to Texas

COLLEGE STATION — A species of mosquito, the Aedes aegypti, will be a double threat this spring and summer, warns an entomologist at Texas A&M University.

This mosquito, also known as the yellow fever mosquito, carries a virus called dengue (dang-gee) that causes extreme pain in the joints of the bitten victim.

Because of its closeness to Mexico where the disease is known to be present, Texas, particularly the coastal regions from Houston to Brownsville, could be inundated by the virus as early as this spring.

"We're fertile ground to both yellow fever and dengue outbreaks in Texas because of the mild winter and the build-up of this species of mosquito in Texas," said Dr. Jim Olson, Texas A&M professor of entomology.

Olson said there is currently no vaccine for the dengue virus. Treatment is only symptomatic, which means reducing the pain and intravenous feeding.

Enochs News By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hall of Phoenix, Ariz. arrived Wednesday, April 2, for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless and Carl Hall and other relatives; and stayed for the Baptist Church 50th Anniversary April 13.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols Thursday till Saturday was their son Jerry Nichols and family of Dell City. Other guests Thursday was Donald Grusendorf of Plainview and two of his friends.

The First Baptist Church will have their spring revival April 27 - May 3. Evangelist will be Rev. Don Cass from the

First Baptist Church of Tahoka, singer will be Alan Wallace of Monterey Baptist Church of Lubbock. Sunday services will be at the Regular times, Monday - Saturday the evening services will be 7:30 p.m. the morning services to be determined. Everyone is invited.

CELEBRATION at the First Baptist Church at Enochs will be April 13, 10-4 p.m. Don't miss the great day of Celebration and worship. Worship service will begin at 10:00 a.m. Former pastors Rev. Charlie Shaw and Rev. Preston Harrison will speak. After a brief intermission, they will reassemble for the regular 11:00 A.M. worship hour. Rev. Alford Richards, the third pastor of the church will preach. At noon everyone will share an old-fashioned

dinner in the fellowship hall. At 2:00 p.m. we will meet in the sanctuary for worship and recognition of some special people. Speaking in the afternoon services will be Rev. J.J. Terry, Rev. R.W. Harris and Rev. Tony McKinney, all former pastors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton had all their children home for the weekend. Dennis and boys of Stinnett, came Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Newton and son of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newton and children of Three Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pree's guests spending last Tuesday night with them were his brother,

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pree of Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hall of Phoenix, Ariz. showed slides and told of their Crusade trip to Brazil in September 8, 1979 at the Enochs Baptist Church Sunday night at Training union hour.

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Hall of Ariz. Rev. and Mrs. Harold Abney and children and a friend of Three Way. Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Dupler, Sheryl Waltrip of Three Way. Ted Belez has several of his nephews with him.

Treasury Secretary cleared on any wrongdoing.



Opposition to forced soil and water conservation practices, proposed by USDA as one possibility under the 1977 Resource Conservation Act (RCA), has become widespread, highly vocal and appears to be growing, according to Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock.

PCG, acting on a board position taken in October last year, on numerous occasions has presented arguments against suggestions that government decreed conservation practices be made a requirement for farm program eligibility or be mandated by other penalty-bearing regulations.

PCG makes clear that the organization and its members are strong believers in conservation of soil and water resources, but maintains that the solution to conservation problems should come through the provision of "incentives to conserve, not penalties for failure to conserve."

The latest voices to speak out firmly in support of that same position are those of Representatives Thomas Foley, Democrat from Washington, and Kika de la Garza, Democrat from Texas.

Foley is Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee and de la Garza is Vice Chairman of the Committee and Chairman of its Subcommittee on Department Investigations, Oversight and Research. According to a House Agriculture Committee news release, both recently have "... told Agriculture Department officials they will not support coercive conservation practices.

"We made it clear that we do not think the government should propose such policies and we are convinced Congress would not adopt them. Certainly we need strong conservation programs but they should be based on cooperating with and assisting landowners in their own voluntary efforts — not on trying to black-jack people into compliance," the Committee leaders said.

Foley and de la Garza added "We are confident that the recommendations and views submitted to the Agriculture Department by thousands of interested and concerned people will be heard, and the Department has assured us this will lead to practical proposals for future conservation policies. We are confident these policies will not include coercion."

De la Garza also noted that "When the 1977 Conservation Act was written, I personally insisted on and secured the inclusion of a provision specifying that no conservation practices would be used under the bill except at the request of the landowner."

In response to the Committee news release, Johnson commented, "We are gratified that these and other people in high places have joined us in the effort to prevent bureaucratic interference with what farmers across the nation have found to be the most productive and efficient farming practices."

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BANQUET SPEAKER--Max Sherman, president of West Texas State University at Canyon, was guest speaker at the annual DECA-HERO banquet for employers last Tuesday night in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria.

Flattery is one way some people pave the walkway of life, but it often costs one more than it is worth.

Give the other man credit for some sincerity of purpose and you might be able to understand him better.

Six Qualify For Regional Track Meet

The Muleshoe girls track team competed at the 3-AA District track meet at Hereford, April 12, and qualified six girls for the Regional track meet that was held April 19 in Lubbock.

Winning first place in District in the 800 meter relay were Shelly Dunham, Sandra Graves, Nettie Ruth Coleman, and Lupe Pacheco. Shelly Dunham took first in both the Shot put and the discus. Sherry Ellis, Sandra Graves, Ella Graves and Shelly Dunham, made up the team that won second in the 400 meter relay, also Lupe Pacheco qualified in the 400 meter dash.

Girls placing in District, but not qualifying for the Regional track meet were the mile relay consisting of Rhonda Dunham, Jill Turner, Nettie Ruth Coleman, and Lupe Pacheco, Ella Graves fourth in the 100 meters, Nettie Cole-

man fourth place in the 200 meters, and Rhonda Dunham tied for fifth in high jump.



JANA JONES

Texan Cheerleader Awards Banquet

In the recent Texan Cheerleader Awards banquet, at South Plains College at Levelland, two area girls received plaques.

Jana Jones, a sophomore business major from Muleshoe, was named "Most Spirited". She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Roy Jones and squad leader for the group.

Candy Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore of Lazbuddie, was named "Most Congenial". She is also a squad leader for the Texas Cheerleaders.



CANDY MOORE

Hobby Club

The Muleshoe Hobby Club met, Thursday in the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room, with Sammie Ethridge as host.

Ethel Jullian, vice-president, opened the meeting due to the president, Doris Phipps, being absent. Seventeen members were present.

Those present were: Ada Thompson, Veta Self, Opal Robinson, Fiddle Shafer, Allie Barber, Joe Wilson, Ola Epperly, Mrs. Briscoe, Myrtle Chambliss, Mabel Caldwell, LeVina Pitts, Mrs. Collum, Mrs. Sherwood, Bernice Amerson, Gurtie Kirk and Sammie Ethridge.

Gurtie Kirk drew the hostess gift.

The next meeting will be May 1, at which time they will meet at Gibson's parking lot at 11 a.m. and go to Clovis in a group for their Mother's Day luncheon.

Food — Tool Of International Diplomacy

Use of food as a tool of international diplomacy poses a serious threat to the Texas economy, declares an economist in marketing and policy with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"The result of continued use of food as a diplomatic tool will result in the loss of our competitive edge in the international market for food grains, feed grains and cotton," Dr. Ron Knutson says.

Two billion dollars worth of Texas agricultural products moved into export markets in 1978. In addition, more than \$5 billion worth of agricultural products moved through Texas ports from out of state, Knutson adds.

"By analyzing the countries that have bought grain from the U.S., it appears that food diplomacy strategies could affect 80 percent of the wheat exports, 76 percent of the rice exports, 58 percent of the feed grain exports, 23 percent of the soybean exports and 60 percent of the cotton exports," the economist says.

Such adverse effects to Texas, Knutson explains, would result from the U.S. being a less favored grain supply source for importing countries. American agriculture would truly become a market of "last resort" for importing countries. In years of favorable worldwide production, Texas farmers would be left "holding the bag" in terms of surplus stocks, low prices and high storage costs.

Texas grain merchandizing and transportation

firms would be adversely affected by lower volume of grain handled, he adds.

Effective use of food as a tool of international diplomacy will require centralization of export decisions in the government, Knutson believes.

"It has become increasingly apparent that the Russian grain embargo is not effective," Knutson declares.

The embargo was supposed to prevent Russia from obtaining 17 million metric tons of grain from total anticipated Russian imports of 35 million metric tons. Shifts in world trade patterns, combined with second and third party sales of U.S. grain to the Russians, now makes it appear that Russia will get all-or nearly all- the grain it originally anticipated buying. Even the U.S. Department of Agriculture now admits that Russia will be able to obtain 30.5

million metric tons of the desired 35 million tons, the economist says.

"Centralization of exports in the hands of the U.S. government would destroy the free enterprise system in grain marketing," Knutson declares. Major grain marketing firms would simply become handlers and shippers, he points out, and sales and prices would be determined politically on the basis of government negotiations.

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Charles L. Schultz, Economic adviser:
"For the first time, inflation began to spill out...into the economy more broadly...a dangerously development."

Robert Helmick, member U.S. Olympic panel:

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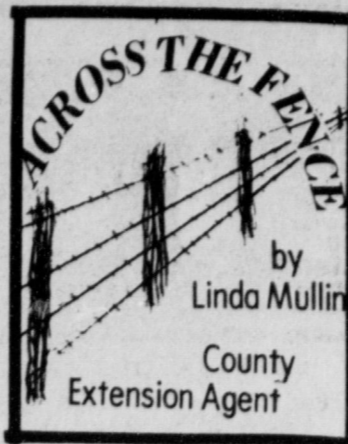
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DECA HONORED BY MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY--Following a recent Rock-A-Thon, which MD personnel said put Muleshoe in the top bracket in the nation in obtaining funds to help fight Muscular Dystrophy, the DECA group and the City of Muleshoe were presented plaques commemorating the successful fundraising event. Pictured from left are Muleshoe Mayor Charles Bratcher; Paul Moore, MD worker from Lubbock; Jerry Puente, chairman of the DECA Rock-A-Thon and Lola Pylant, DECA instructor.



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Flounder Curry
2 pounds flounder fillets or other fish fillets
1 cup thinly sliced celery
1 cup thinly sliced onion
1 tablespoon melted margarine

1 teaspoon curry powder
1 teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
3/4 cup slim milk
Paprika
Skin fillets and place in a single layer in a greased baking dish
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Mabel Wolfe.
Special guests were; Pat Black, Jamey Thrasher, Liz Morris, Renee Taylor, Debbi Hutto, Janna Wartes and Bitsy Mayberry.
Other members present were; Johanna Wrinkle, Kathy Kramer, Ethel Allison, Bobbie Johnson, Virginia Bowers, Joyeline Costen, Kathleen Francis, Mary Scoggin, Ethel Marie Dillman and Lena Hawkins.

Virginia called the meeting to order and Joyeline Costen gave the prayer. Card games were also played.

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 2. Who was the author?
 3. What position did he hold?
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WITNESS my signature this the 14th day of April, 1980.
 Lester Howard (s)
 Lester Howard
 County Chairman
 Bailey County, Texas
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West Plains Medical Center Report

ADMITTED:
 April 14, Reyes Estrada, J.C. Kimbrough, Tom Williams, Elizabeth Harden, Maxine Smith, Robert Beavers, Brant Chapman, Jane Jeffcoat, Fannie Evans, Nola O'Neal
 April 15, Nora Miller, Ignacia Bermea, Suzy Whatley, Mario Gomez, Joseph L. Renaud
 April 16, Kim Black, Josie Ross, Jesus Espenosa, J.W. Maddox, Billie Walden, Bobbie Blesingame, Delpha Vincen
 April 17, Patricia Salinas, Wayne Taylor
DISMISSED:
 April 15, Murtle Lee, Fred Stigaulle, Dever Moreland, Pam Stockard
 April 16, John Burch, Lynn Bratcher, J.C. Kimbrough, Mary Houston, Joseph Renard
 April 17, Brent Chapman, John Sowder, Carrie Boydston
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