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Blood Drive Next Tuesday
$\qquad$ Those giving blood will have a reserve
$\qquad$ the Lubbock Blood Services supply.
DONOR QUALIFICATIONS
Age--Between 18 and 65 years,
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Sales Tax Rebates Set Record

Wheat Grazing Deadline Extended
$\qquad$ According to an announcement from
the FFold County ASCS offiee the
deadline on wheat grazing has been
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Day Care Center
Reservations
Should Be Made Now
$\qquad$ Bailey Asks Not
To Be Reappointed
Mackenzie Director
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$\qquad$ paving of 116 city blocks; building the
new city hall; and getting the highway
department to pave Locust Street $\qquad$
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THIS WILDCATTER has just started drilling on a quarter section just north of Lakeview on the Ona Ruth Neff farm. It is about five appears that this time preparation is being made for a pump on the Cities Service well. Meridian Oil has the lease on the Neff land.

Consignment Sale At Silverton

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Anyone interested contact Wayne Stephens.
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Proposed Bill Calls For Vote Before Cloud Seeding
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Senate which REPORT FROM whether or not they wan NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL
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prices needs a closer look to put it in its proper prices they relate to farmer prices and the general economy.
as 15. At that time, farm parity was 69. A month ago it wa 68, while a year ago it was 72 . appened to Texas farm prices during that time compared o a month earlier. 15 Cents from a month ago. Sorghum prices averaged $\$ 3.56$ 5 cents from a morer this is down ten cents from a month per hundredweigh, with parity and you get an even bigger
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discrepancy Parity for wheat is $\$ 4.98$; parity for grain discrepancy. Parity
Cotton did show an increase of 2.4 cents per pound to pound.
So farmers still her arith
Their major crops.
The same is true when you look at the livestock price ructure. True, hogs did go up 50 cents, beef cattle price went up almost $\$ 2$, calf prices jumped almost $\$ 4$.
But that's not all the story.
Hogs did average $\$ 38.50$; a year ago they were $\$ 44.90$ and parity for hogs is $\$ 54.90$. Beef cattle parity is $\$ 57.70$, calf parity is $\$ 30$ under parity.
In poultry prices, broilers averaged 27 cents compared
to 24.5 cents a month ago; egg prices, at 74.5 cents a dozen, are up a penny from a month ago, and turkey prices,

## FARM LABOR FORCE ON TEXAS FARMS and

 ranches showed a decrease of six per cent compared to the survey period of a year ago. The agricultural labor force numbered 211,000 during family workers totaled 146,000 , down eight per cent from the previous period, and the nu65,000 , was down two per cent.
RED MEAT PRODUCTION IN TEXAS decreased one
per cent from a year ago, the Texas Crop and Livestock per cent from a year
Reporting Service
The 305.5 million pounds compares with 308.7 million
pounds a year ago.
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year ago. A decrease of 12 per pity lamb and muttor
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Carthel, chairman, won
second place. Two members won first
with their poetry entries.
Jan Mize won first with poem "Mad Ads" ith the
humorous idision and Char lotte Mitchell won first with
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"Hello?" "Hi Marge, this is Suzie" "Suzie, Suzie, Suzie! What a pleasant surprise!" "How are ya?" "T'm doing just ne. How are things with you?" "Oh, things are terrific around here since you left", "'ll bet. You know I miss you more." "Well?" "Well what?" "Tell me about your stupid new house." "Suzie, it's fabulous." "Did you get the big have a nice kitchen?" "A huge kitchen with all new appliances!" "Do you have some aspirin?" "Aspirin?" "Yeah, you're making me sick." "You should complain. You're not exactly living in a dump." "How does Fred like his new ob?" "Suzie, he's a new man". "He likes it?" "He loves it. Absolutely loves it", "That's good" "How is Jack?" "Fine.
He's going through a do-it-yourself phase right now." "Oh, good" "Everytime I ask him to do something, he yells He's going through a do-it-yourself phase right now." "Oh, good" "Everytime I ask him to do something, he yells
'Do it yourself!" "Oh, not good" "When are you coming to visit us?" "When are you going to invite us?" "You know you have a standing invitation." "Yeah, but we'd rather sit"" "Im serious. When are you coming?" "Name a date." "How about in a few weeks... say the week of the 29th?" "Wait a minute, let me get my calendar...the 29th?" "That's a Saturday." "Yeah. Sounds. goo.". "Okay , it's a deal." Wetil be expecting you. "What do you want us to last night". "They had a party? They never have parties". "They've been waiting for you to move away"" "What
happene?"" "Well, for starters, Jackie's dog ate the main course before any of the guests arrived" "You're kidding" happened?" "Well, for starterss, Jackie's dog ate the main course before any of the guests arrived" "You're kidding."
"No. Then the air conditioning went on the blink." "No wonder they never had any parties. What did everyone do?" "We starved and perspired a lot", "Sounds awful. ", "No I haven't." "Well how can you lose weight if you've been eating?" "How about you?" "rm not telling." "Come on" "One fxvie five." "What?" "One fxvie five." "Marge, you're mumbling." "One fxvie five", "One forty five?" "Less." "One thirty five?" "See, that's not so bad." "That's to new surroundings." "New surroundings. The only new surroundings you're gonna have to adapt to is the lard
surrounding your midsection?" "Hey, look. Go easy kid. I don't have you to nag me any more?" "Well, it hasn't been easy for me either", "You wouldn't believe the food prices here." "Oh? "Low", "Low? "Low" "No wonder
you're eating so much." "Tm not kidding ..." "Neither am I' "...'Tm saving about 15 dollars a week over what you're eating so much" "Im not kidding..." "Neither am I." "..P'm saving about 15 dollars a week over what 1
used to payy" "You're kidding!" "T'm not kidding." "Sounds like you got a raise, too." "Right. I5 dollars to blow on anything I like...toilet paper, floor wax and soap." "Don't forget laundry detergent." "Right." "Hey, you took something of mine when you left"" "Your yellow sweater?" "Did you take my sweater?" "Sorry, I wasn't going to
tell you." "That's okay. You keep my sweater and III keep your skirt." "Skirt?" "You know, the one with all the nimals on it?" "Oh, yeah. Id forgotten about that." "Is it a deal?" "We'll trade when you come to visit", "Sour puss. Tm sorry I even brought the subect up. "What were you going to say." "was going to say that you took
my Suzie Fu Yung recipe." "Did I?" "Yes." "Til give you that too when you come." "Good." "Mee? Just think of all
the nice things awaiting you when you come." "I can't wait. Hey, I have something for you" "What?" "A riddle" the nice things awaiting you when you come." "I can't wait. Hey, I have something for you" "What?" "A riddle."
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know, what?" "r'll tell you when we come to visit" "Oh, no you don't" "Bye". "Come on, tell me!" "Bye?" "Suzie!"
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county clerk in Tulia said yesterday. The president of said yesterday.
firm yenterberdased confirmed the firm yesterday confirmed the amount
of the leases, which he said would allow botesses, whempith hen shaft mining if
uranium is discovered sn them uranium is discovered on them.
The Brisce also include about 7,201 acres, of permits with an option to lease, are for 10 year periods, Mrs. Bess McWilliams, Briscoe County and cisstrict clerk, said,
"These people who leased the property knew what the lease(s) said
and I haven't heard any complaints
about French about French geologists running
around on anyone's sland,", she said. The leases, for a 10 -year exploration

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program, include a 20,000 -acre ranch,
Michel B Michel Berville of Denver, president of
FRAMCO, said. "It takes ten years from when you
start an exploration program," Berville start an exploration program, Bevville
told the Globe-News, to (the point)
you reach the stage of the first ore comyou reach the stage ing out of the mine."
Five leases totaling around 0.500
acres in Swisher County, consummated acres in Swisher County, consummated
as early as 1975 , have been filed in courthouse records, Mrs. Nell Cosby of
Tulia, county clerk, said. The mining leases, some of which were mane for " "\$10 and other valuable
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vanadium, nolybdenum, copper and other
fissionable fissionable or associated minerals,
their text read "We have tried to get the leases, and

Three Rural Accidents In February The Texas Highway Pa-
trol investigated three acci- $\begin{aligned} & \text { Evans, Highway Patrol su- } \\ & \text { pervisor of this area. }\end{aligned}$ dents on rural highways in $\begin{aligned} & \text { These crashes resulted in } \\ & \text { Floyd County during the } \\ & \text { month of February, 1977 }\end{aligned}$ no persons killed and one
not sure we will develop (them)," Ber-
ville said. "We are still in the very early ville said. "We are still in the ver)," Bery- early
stages. Since we don't know what type stages Serce we don't know what type
of minerals se will find, we will try to keep that ( method of mining) open." A representative lease form, Mrs.
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