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Band Concert Attracts 250

Approximately 250 persons attended the Muleshoe High School concert Sunday. Proceeds will be used to equipment and music for the bands.

Members of the junior high band served as ushers for the program.

Featured on the program were clarinet trio and trombone quartet. The trumpet trio, composed of Linda Scott, Kenneth Evans and Smitty Ayleworth played "Fantasy for Three."

"The Clarinet trio (Kathy Gray, Kathy Moore, Susan Birdsong) did Rondo from 'Divertimento IV.' The trombone quartet of Don Finn, Jim Thomson, Barbara Evans and David Douglas played "Lassus Trombone."

The band has begun working toward the Interscholastic League contests, to be held in Lubbock. Solos and ensembles will be held on March 17, and concert playing and sight reading is scheduled for March 31.

M. F. Roberts, Retired Farmer, Passes Away

Services were conducted Sunday for M. F. Roberts, a retired farmer who had lived in Bailey County since 1939.

Roberts moved to Bailey County from Olton. He was born April 5, 1893 in Gonzales. Services were held at the Muleshoe Church of Christ, with Minister Robert Griggs and Ebb Randall of Farwell officiating.

Arrangements were by Singleton Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Survivors were his wife, Ora of the home, four sons, A. J. Roberts of Sudan, Roy, Joe and D. F. Roberts, all of Olton; three daughters, Mrs. Jack Thomson of Roswell, Mrs. W. D. Isbell of Muleshoe and Mrs. Coney Rude of Sudan.

Three stepsons survive, William Duncan of Kennewick, Wash., James Duncan of San Francisco and J. D. Duncan of Muleshoe, and two stepdaughters, Mrs. Ruby Clark of Muleshoe and Mrs. Ruth Haight of Lawrence, Mass.

Two brothers also survive, Travis Roberts of Abilene and Joe Roberts of Bowie, and two sisters, Mrs. Rosie Burrow of Midland and Mrs. Jane Keith of Big Spring, as well as 30 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Dana Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schmitz visited in the home of the Oscar Stancells in Plainview over the weekend. Miss Billye Jones was the housekeeper of the R. L. Brooks family of Lubbock last weekend.



GETTING TOGETHER at the Bailey County Gas Users Association meeting last Thursday were State Representative Jesse Osborn, Bill Millen, who resigned his post as director of the group

to campaign for the seat Osborn will vacate, and State Senator Andy Rogers of Childress.

(Journal photo and engraving)

AT ALBUQUERQUE

Labor Officials Explain 'Adverse Effect' Ruling

Assistant Secretary of Labor, Jerry R. Holleman, assisted by Mr. Bob Goodwin and Mr. Lee Williams conducted hearings on "adverse effect" in Albuquerque, New Mexico on Friday, February 9.

The purpose of the hearing was to make a final determination as to whether Bracero Labor must be paid a minimum of 75 cents per hour so as to prevent adverse effect on the wages and working conditions of domestic labor in the state. The meeting was well attended by people from Texas, Colorado, California and New Mexico.

Secretary Goldberg has announced that similar hearings have been confirmed for McAllen, Texas in the Municipal Auditorium on Tuesday, February 26, at 9 a.m., and at Midland, Texas in the National Guard Armory on February 28, at 9 a.m.

The hourly rate established for Texas is 70 cents per hour and, when paying on piece rates basis, the rate must guarantee the equivalent of 70 cents per hour.

A tentative meeting of National Farm Labor Users is being called for March 1, the day after the Midland hearings. The meeting is to be held in Dallas, Texas.

The time and other details will be announced later. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss ways and means of fighting Senate Bill 1129. This is a most serious bill. Hearings were held in the Senate Sub Committee on Thurs-

day and Friday of last week.

Cool Front Ends 'Drouth'

The winter "heat wave" which had enveloped Muleshoe came to an end Wednesday when a cool front ended a month-long drought in the area.

Moisture received in Muleshoe Wednesday measured .44 inches, according to official weather recorder R. J. Klump.

Muleshoe's high temperature on Tuesday soared to a summer-like 85 degrees. The mercury reached 84 on Monday. The figures are surely records for the time of the year.

The official report for Muleshoe for the past week is:

	Hi	Low
Wednesday, Feb. 7	51	16
Thursday, Feb. 8	70	33
Friday, Feb. 9	67	36
Saturday, Feb. 10	75	36
Sunday, Feb. 11	79	38
Monday, Feb. 12	84	35
Tuesday, Feb. 13	85	36
Wednesday, Feb. 14	79	40

AT BOARD MEETING MONDAY

Taylor Ousted As Coach

Bill Taylor, who took over as head football coach and athletic director at Muleshoe High School last August after former coach Jake Halter resigned, in a surprise move, was removed from his position by the Muleshoe School Board this week.

The action, which came in the board's regular meeting last Monday night, is to be effective as of the end of the school year.

AN EDITORIAL

Adults Lose Dignity In "Choosing Sides"

Why can't the business of having "sides" be left up to the youngsters and their Cowboys and Indians games?

It would appear that such tactics are far too juvenile to be part of an adult's life. Whether it's in a school board, a church or what-have-you, such party lines work only for the ultimate destruction of the organization.

A two-party system may be essential for government, but when the transacting of a school's business is concerned, it's not needed. It can only lead to deadlocks, strife and a get-nowhere situation.

Where schools are concerned, the sad part of the situation is that such "side-choosing" only hurts the children in the long run, and they're the ones who should be served.

Why can't adults be adults and leave the kids games to the children?

Taylor's only year as head coach produced the school a 3-7 season record, but the losses included such scores as 14-6 (Clovis), 6-0 (Littlefield) and 12-8 (Olin).

Minutes of the board meeting show that a motion by W. E. Bartlett and seconded by A. J. Lenderson that Taylor's contract be renewed failed to carry, three votes to two.

Other board members present were E. V. Bartlett, Barry Lewis, Muri Stevenson and President Dr. R. Putman. Board member Harold King was not present.

Listed as reasons for Taylor's dismissal were: L. "Dissention," and 2. "Lack of control of outside groups and the athletic set-up."

In other business, the board accepted the resignation of Fred Bailey, principal of the Mary De Shazo Elementary School.

The board also accepted the resignation of George Washington from the athletic staff in order to devote full time to Health and Physical Education classes at MHS.

Contracts were approved for two years on H. W. Callan, High School principal, R. E. Everett, Junior High principal and Milton Oyler, Richland Hills Principal.

One-year contracts were approved for Louis Powers, basketball coach at MHS, Bob Graves, coach of the seventh and eighth grade boys and Melvin Mackey, seventh and eighth grade girls coach.

Re-elected to their positions were O. E. Lumsden, counselor; J. W. Johnson, bus foreman and Mrs. Jewell Blackwell, cafeteria supervisor.

A leave of absence request was granted for Tom Adamson, seventh grade language arts teacher who has been recalled to active duty as an Army reservist. Mrs. Vera McSpadden will replace Adams.

Ernest Kerr was selected as election judge for the board election April 7. Two places are to be

filled on the board, created by the expiring terms of Jack Lender and Harold King.

Most everyone connected with the board refused to comment officially on the Taylor dismissal.

He feels the reasons given were

inaccurate.

Board president Putman declined to comment on the action.

One board member, however, said:

"This was a great injustice to Mr. Taylor. He's due more compensation than he received."

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IN MULESHOE MEETING

Gas Users Are Spurred By Sen. Rogers Address

"Keep fighting for your cause," State Senator Andy Rogers of Childress told a meeting of the Bailey County Gas Users Association said in a meeting at Cox's in Muleshoe last Thursday.

"You're working for what's fair, and everybody's affected, not just the farmers," said Rogers, who championed the farmers' cause in their effort to secure regulation for gas prices at the special session which ended Jan. 31.

Rogers joined John Akin, attorney for the gas users' group in assuring the members of the association that their chances for legislation were not killed when the bill failed to pass in the special session.

"We realized that our chances for getting the bill passed were about 1,000 to one against us due to the time element," Akin said.

Akin said that he was impressed with Gas Users' cause from the first because it was a case where a group wanted to do something for themselves rather than to someone else.

"Most people now realize that if enough of you want to see this thing done, it can be," said Akin. "The only thing which could defeat the bill would be for you to disintegrate. I think people realize that you deserve the right to buy gas at a reasonable rate. Ultimately, there's nothing that can keep you from it," he said.

FUTURE BRIGHT

Rogers, who was given credit for the work he put in toward legislation as well as Akin, thought the bill would have a better acceptance in the next session because the representatives from other parts of the state would be better informed on its back-ground.

"You're not asking for an advantage, or special treatment," Rogers said. "Government was established to protect the rights of the individual, and an unregulated monopoly could deny those rights."

Referring to the fact that many who supported the bill, including himself, weren't from areas which had irrigation, Rogers commented: "It's just a matter of principle."

Rogers emphasized the importance of farmers throughout the

Market

Local Market Prices	
Grain Sorghum	\$1.60 cwt.
Corn, Yellow	\$2.20 cwt.
Wheat	\$1.90 bu.
Soybeans	\$2.15 bu.
Cotton Seed	\$40 ton

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Her essay was entitled "The Old Devil of Bailey County."

The contest was in connection with the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Announcement of the winning essay was made by Mrs. Carroll Pouncey, chairman of the town of Progress.

A member of the Speech Club, Future Homemakers of America, Future Teachers of America, M Club and Spanish Club, Mary is a star for the MHS Muleteers district champion basketball team.

Her essay, which will now be entered in the Caprock District contest, follows:

Joshua Blocher, better known as "Uncle Josh," came to Bailey County in 1908 to be the founder of Progress. Old pictures suggest that he came to Texas from Kansas. Posters indicated that he had been a hypnotist, traveling for some time with a show group.

When asked by friends if he had ever had a wife, he answered in the affirmative. Upon further inquiry, he gave this account of what happened to her: "One day when we were out riding, she (my wife) got out to open the gate, and I just kept on driving." He never saw her again.

"Uncle Josh" divided his 160 acres of land into plots the size of city blocks and named the

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Double Ring Vows Exchanged By Patsy Fort and Mr. Batteas



MRS. LAWAYNE BATTEAS

Double ring vows were exchanged Saturday, February 3, when Patsy Fort became the bride of LaWayne Batteas in a wedding ceremony at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Weaver, Lovington, N.M. Rev. Jerry Haley officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Fort of Three Way and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batteas of Goodland.

The new Mrs. Batteas wore a street length dress of white silk organza with white accessories. She carried a bouquet of white carnations with satin streamers atop a white Bible.

The bridal tradition of something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue was carried out, as she wore a pin belonging to her great-grandmother and the traditional blue garter given to her by Mrs. Weaver.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, Mrs. Stanley Reid, aunt of the bride, served as matron-of-honor dressed in light blue with white accessories. Jimmie Batteas, brother of the groom, served as best man.

The mother of the bride wore a geige linen dress with black accessories and the groom's mother chose a black and white dress with black accessories. Both wore corsages of white carnations.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the home of Mrs. O. R. Weaver in Lovington, N.M. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth over pink with pink ribbon streamers featuring "Patsy and LaWayne" in silver. The table was centered with an arrangement of pink rose buds, was decorated with pink roses and topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. Jean Goodman of Hobbs, N.M., a friend of the family baked and gave the wedding cake to the couple. Mrs. Billy Weaver and Mrs. David Weaver assisted at the serving table. Approximately 63 guests were present at the reception.

For the wedding trip in New Mexico, the bride chose a lilac dress with multi-lilac jacket and bone accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations.

Mrs. Batteas attended Three Way high school. The groom is a graduate of Three Way and at present is employed by the county. The couple is at home north of Three Way.

Founders Day, National Congress Of Parent and Teachers Observed

Observance of Founders Day of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, Mrs. Ernest Kerr spoke on the founding of the organization at the meeting of Mary DeShazo unit on Monday afternoon, February 12.

Founders Day will be observed by members of the Richland Hills PTA on Monday February 19 at 4:15 in the school cafeteria, with Mrs. Douglas Avery speaking. Past presidents will be recognized.

Parent-teacher associations throughout the nation are commemorating this month the 65th anniversary of the founding of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

In their observance, the units will recall the vision of the founders—Alice McLellan Birney of Georgia and Phoebe Apperson Hearst of California—two far-seeing "gentle and gentle" women who recognized the need for special attention to the nation's children.

These two women called the first Congress of Mothers, who shared their common interest, on February 17, 1897, in Washington

D. C. They had faith in their plan, and this faith has been justified, for the 200 women who came formed the nucleus of an organization now numbering 12 million women and men. Commonly known as P.T.A.'s, they strive toward such goals as increasing understanding between parents and teachers, improving the health of children, moral and spiritual development, preventing juvenile delinquency, raising the quality of the nation's schools, obtaining more and better trained teachers.

Declared Mrs. T. W. Whaley of Kosse, president of the Texas Congress of Parent and Teachers, in her February message in the Texas Parent - Teacher, "The problems facing us today may be different from those faced by Mrs. Birney and Mrs. Hearst but the problems are eternally the same."

The Texas Congress, organized in 1909, now numbers some 750,000 memberships and ranks second among the states.

The Community Room of the First National Bank was the scene for the Los Planos Study Club's Vogue Style Show—the highlight of their regular meeting held Tuesday evening, February 13. Jo Ann McGuire and Nancy Stovall were hostesses for the annual event.

Five members of the club made ensembles which they modeled themselves. There were three judges present to try to pick a winner to go on to the District Vogue Style Show which will be held at the District Convention in Plainview in April. The Judges were Mrs. Lut Taylor, Mrs. Ann Graham and Mrs. Glenn Dunn. As it turned out, all five outfits were so well done that the Judging was very difficult and because of this no second and third places were chosen. The five ladies who entered were: Cara Juan Schuster, Jo Addine Mayhugh, Ruby Hodges, Dehla Mardis, and Nancy Stovall.

Cara Juan Schuster modeled an all occasion coat dress of black made from a combination of silk and cotton. The jacket was lined with gold and black polka-dot rayon. Her costume was accented with gold accessories.

A fashionable dress of yellow silk linen was modeled by Nancy Stovall, styled in sheath fashion. She was wearing a yellow hat with white gloves and jewelry complimented with black patent shoes and bag.

Dehla Mardis was wearing a suit made of homespun cotton styled with an easy fitting jacket with an oval neckline. Below the draped shoulder seams. The skirt was slim with soft gathers at the waistline. Her accessories were white.

An original two-piece dress of silk featuring a hip length jacket-blouse which buttoned below the high neckline was shown by Ruby Hodges. Her shoes and bag were

Ladies present were: Mrs. Clyde Hogue Mrs. C. A. Willias, Mrs. Leonard Clevenger, Mrs. P. R. Pierce and Mrs. Thommanson.

After the lesson Mrs. Parkman was presented a gift of a mirror and planter plaque from the members of the W.M.U.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and sodas were served by Mrs. John Henry Parkman to all present. Afterwards the ladies visited with patients at the Medical Arts and Littlefield hospitals.

Ladies present were Mrs. Clyde Hogue, Mrs. Edd Crume Mrs. R. Thommanson, Mrs. E. O. Bates, Mrs. C. A. Williams, Mrs. Leonard Clevenger, Mrs. P. R. Pierce, Mrs. L. V. Haste, Mrs. Berryhill.

The member of the Troop extends their appreciation to Jeff Peeler and the Lions Club for inviting them to the meeting.

Strouds Are Parents Of Twin Daughters

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Stroud on the birth of twin daughters between 10 and 10:10 Friday a.m. The girls weighed 5 lbs each and have been named Sarah Lou and Sandra Lee. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. Stroud of Scotland, Ark. and Mr. and Mrs. Deal Robertson of Clinton, Ark. Mrs. Stroud and girls are home now and doing well.

Mr. Stroud is the math teacher in Lazbuddie High School.

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Boy Scouts Are
Lion Club Guests

Boy Scouts of Troop 620 were guest of the Lions Club at their last meeting in observance of Boy Scout week.

John Nail, district chairman of the George White district from Littlefield was guest speaker.

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Troop Observes
Scout Sunday

Sunday, February 11, Troop 620 attended church services at the First Baptist Church in observance of Boy Scout Sunday.

Rev. Don Murray delivered the message.

Owen Jones, neighborhood commissioner for the Troop invited them to attend the services in a group.

Ruth Circle

Mrs. L. R. Stegall and Mrs. Tootie Middlebrook present the program at the Ruth Circle meeting at the Methodist chapel at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday evening. "The Meaning of Suffering" was their topic.

Five members were present for the continuing study topic discussion.

W.S.C.S. Circles
Met Tuesday

Circles of the W. S. C. S. met Tuesday.

ESTHER CIRCLE

Mrs. Gil Herndon was hostess in her home for the 9:30 a.m. meeting of the Esther Circle.

There were nine members present with one new member, Mrs. E. T. Ford.

The group continued their study of "Edge of The Edge" lead by Mrs. Robert Hooten and Mrs. Neal B. Dillman.

MARY MARTHA CIRCLE

"The Meaning of Suffering" was the subject of Mrs. Owen Jennings, Mrs. Major Wood and Mrs. O. C. Kirk at the Mary Martha Circle meeting Tuesday.

Five members were present for the 2:30 p.m. circle meeting held in the Methodist chapel.

ALPHA CIRCLE

Two new members were welcomed by the Alpha Circle at their 3:00 p.m. meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Robert Alford. They are Mrs. Douglas Haynes and Mrs. Douglas Lowe.

Rev. J. Frank Peery was guest speaker. His topic was "Under Orders". Ten members were present.

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Los Planos Study Club Stages Annual Vogue Style Show Event



Sudan Sewing Bee Meets In Markham Home Thursday

—lx24LF SUDAN SEWING ...

Mrs. Odie Markham was hostess last week for a meeting of the Sudan Sewing club.

Refreshments of salad and drinks were served to those attending including new member Mrs. Beulah Wissman, Mrs. Ira Boren and Mrs. A. C. Glenn. Other members present were Madelines John Tucker, Joe West, Van Rogers, H. P. West, Jinks Dent, Blanch Jones of Lubbock, Tommy Henderson, Gilbert Masien, Virgil Lane of Muleshoe.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 22 in the home of Mrs. H.W. Qualls.

Coffee Honors Mrs. Chambers

Mrs. Herb Griffiths and Mrs. Myron Pool, II, were co-hostesses at a coffee honoring Mrs. George Chambers Saturday evening in the Griffiths home.

Mrs. Sam Damon and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair assisted at the serving table. The table was laid with a white linen cutwork cloth, centered with melon-colored carnations and crystal candelabras. Table appointments were of silver and crystal.

Approximately 60 guests were present. Among those present were close friends of the honoree, as well as members of the Los Planos Study Club, local bridge clubs, and friends from the Methodist Church where Mrs. Chambers was a member during her Muleshoe residence.

Dr. W. B. McSpadden is president of the Bailey county unit; Mrs. Eva M. Alsup, vice-president; Mrs. E.J. Shaffer, secretary and Mrs. Dean Sprayberry, treasurer. Mrs. L. B. Hall is to be Crusade chairman.

Announcement of various committee heads and neighborhood chairmen will be given shortly.

Anyone wishing further information and desiring to assist in the cancer drive is asked to telephone Mrs. Hall at 7499 or 7220.

1950 Study Club Meets In Sudan

Mrs. Doyle Watkins was guest speaker at the meeting last week when members of the 1950 Junior Study Club met at the Community Center, America and Europe in Comparison" was given by Mrs. Watkins who showed films and slides made during her European trip last summer.

Mrs. W. B. Waggon, Jr. served as narrator for the show.

Jo Addine Mayhugh won first place in the style show with a beautiful two piece spring outfit and will represent the Los Planos Study Club at the District Convention in April.

After the Style Show a regular business meeting was held after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses from a table beautifully decorated in honor of St. Valentine's Day.

Dehla Mardis was wearing a suit made of homespun cotton styled with an easy fitting jacket with an oval neckline. Below the draped shoulder seams. The skirt was slim with soft gathers at the waistline. Her accessories were white.

Gaines of forty-two were played and refreshments were served to those present.

A lovely gift of melmac dinnerware was presented to the honoree.

It was also reported \$125.00 was received when members of the club canvassed the town in a recent March of Dimes drive.

The next meeting of the group will be February 20 in the home of Mrs. Willie Williams.

The Muleshoe Study Club enjoyed having as their guest speaker Miss Helene Beckaert, Muleshoe High School's exchange student from Ghent, Belgium at their meeting on Thursday, Feb. 3.

Refreshments were served to sixteen members and the following guests, Mrs. Tommy Gate, Mrs. Adrian Martin, Mrs. Wayne Whiteaker, Mrs. Ewell Roberts, and Mrs. Michael Bishop.

Roll call was answered by each member naming a country in which they would like to travel.

The hostess was Mrs. Gilbert Lamb.

The Muleshoe Study Club, which was federated in 1939, is donating a \$10 prize to the Muleshoe High School student who writes the best essay on a pioneer Bailey County resident.

Spring Is Not Forgotten Amid Fragrant Violet Blooms



MRS. BOB DETWILER waters her plants at regular intervals, some require water only once weekly while four species of orchids require spraying of the foliage each day.

The blossoms of violets in pastel hues of the faintest violet to deep dark purple tones blooming year-around forbids the spark of Spring to be forgotten during the long winter months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Detwiler, 413 Austin Street.

Ninety species of violets thrive triumphantly on the three tiered shelf covers the windows extending the length of the living room show, no sign of winters end.

Although Mrs. Detwiler has many other potted plants, the number of violets leaves little doubt that they are her favorites. Ask why, she said, "Oh, because the blossoms are so dainty and delicate. Most people think they are hard to raise, but once you know what they need they require little attention."

Of the species that bloom year-around Mrs. Detwiler has the Blue Sails, Blue Cluster, Match Mate, Electra, Pink Glamour and Green Dawn, and the Flame Violet.

From these plants, others are rooted from the leaf cuttings in vermiculite under glass covers. Mrs. Detwiler explains that the glass cover holds the moisture and warmth, creating the humidity needed for rooting process.

In addition to the collection of violets to name a few of the

TOM BERY'S ENJOY SURPRISE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Berry and son Bobby of San Antonio were surprise guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry, Saturday.

Many of the potted plants will be moved to the yard this spring where crocus, hyacinths and other early blooming bulbs are peeping through the ground.

The family is planning to build a greenhouse in the back yard which will house most of the plant next winter. When asked if she was going to sell plants Mrs. Detwiler said, "No, the greenhouse will be for our own pleasure I might root plants and sell a few, but my flowers that I have had so long couldn't be bought."

The true admiration for each individual plant must be the answer to why some have a "green thumb" while others do not.

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Exchange Student Speaks At P.T.A.

On Monday, Feb. 12th, De Shazo P.T.A. met in the cafeteria of the school at 4 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Carl Bamert.

Mrs. Lonnie Bass gave the Invocation.

Mrs. Joe Mack Wagnon gave the secretary's report.

Mrs. Leon Blair gave the treasurer report stating that their account stands at \$149.47.

The group voted to sponsor the landscape project for the school grounds.

A nominating committee was elected. Mrs. Bobbie Harrison is chairman and Mrs. Barbara Gilbert and Mrs. Ann Little will serve on the committee with her.

Mrs. Ernest Kerr gave a tribute to Founders Day.

Mrs. Jack Lenderson introduced Helene Bekeart, American Field Service Exchange student. Helene is a guest in the Lenderson home this year while she attends school here. She is a native of Ghent, Belgium.

Helene brought a most interesting and educational talk of her native country. Belgium is about the size of Maryland. The population is 9,000,000 people. Approximately 757 people per square mile compared to 4 people per square mile in Texas. The people of Belgium speak predominantly Finnish and French. They enjoy a Liberal type of Government. Among their chief industries are rich gold mines, they rate 4th in the world in diamond industry, steel, and lace, that is made by hand. Helene brought a dresser scarf made from the Belgium lace. It is very beautiful. There is some farming done there. The farms are very small acreage. The schools are State or Catholic. Term begins on Sept. 1 until June 28. They are off Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, 10 days for Christmas and Easter. They wear uniforms to school. It rains most of the time in Belgium. Helene requested to be sent to some place were it didn't rain very often. We enjoyed her talk so very much and are so proud to have her here in Muleshoe.

Mrs. Irvin St. Clair expressed her appreciation to Helene for being her guest speaker and gave her a very pretty charm for her bracelet. It was shaped like a wish bone.

The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Bamert. A social hour was enjoyed. Mrs. Lonnie Bass and Mrs. Bo Ethridge served coffee and donuts.

Mrs. George Bragg Honored Thurs.

Mrs. George Bragg was honored with a surprise pink and blue shower last Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Jack Young. The shower followed the regular meeting of a local bridge club. Sandwiches and soft drinks were served to Mmes. Harmon Ellit, Bob Harvey, Dick Ellis, James Glaze, Don Bryant, Tommy Haley, Carl Bamert, Connie Gupion, Bill Jim St. Clair, Bill Ed Jones, and Ray Reeder.

M'shoe Women Left Wednesday

A group of Muleshoe women left early Wednesday morning for a trip to visit friends and relatives mostly in Arkansas.

Mrs. Vance Wagnon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Shook, Russellville, Arkansas.

Visiting with her sister in Little Rock is Mrs. Charles Leneau.

Mrs. T. M. Slemmons will be with her daughter in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Mrs. Pat Bobo left the group going to the Arkansas for a visit in Oklahoma City with her sister.

Sudan Caravan Schedule Stops

A caravan of Sudan Jaycees will stop over on Muleshoe sometime Saturday afternoon, Feb. 17, as part of a booster trip for the Sudan Jaycees Talent Show scheduled February 24.

The show will begin at 8 p.m. in the Sudan school auditorium, according to Doyle Allen, chairman of the Jaycee committee planning the event.

Cash prizes will be \$50 for first place, \$35 for second, \$25 for third and \$15 fourth. Some acts still are needed for the show, and anyone interested is invited to contact Doyle Allen at Sudan 227-5221.

The Saturday caravan also will visit Morton, Littlefield, Springlake, Earth and Amherst.

Bridal Courtesy Fetes Lynda Gillis

Miss Lynda Gillis, bride-elect of Freddie Stewart, was honored with a bridal shower, Tuesday, February 13, in the home of Mrs. R. O. Gregory.

The serving table carried out the honoree's chosen colors of red and white. The centerpiece was of red and white carnations entwined with cupids and hearts. Mrs. Donna Smith and Mrs. Norma Bruce presided at the serving table.

Mrs. Donna Smith registered the guests. A lovely array of gifts were presented to the honoree. Approximately 34 friends of the couple were registered.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Allen Haley, Mrs. W. D. Dement, Mrs. R. H. Cox, Jr., Mrs. R. O. Gregory, Mrs. James E. Daniel, Mrs. Kenneth Duncan, Mrs. Warren Meeks, Miss Anna Bruns, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Mrs. Don Bruns, Mrs. Kenneth Briscoe, Mrs. M. E. Simmons, Mrs. Orly Jarman, Mrs. L. M. Henningsen, Mrs. S. E. Goucher, Mrs. Bill Elrod, and Mrs. Allen Guinn.

Mrs. Ruth McCarty visited with her son in Lubbock over the weekend.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Osborne over the weekend were his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Z.R. Osborne from Dimmitt, and an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright from Throckmorton, Mrs. Osborne's parents, the A. G. Taylors also visited.

"Heartville", was the name of dining room town, occupied by a population of 65 young people. The room was decorated in white and red hearts. The table was covered with a white table cloth, highlighted with red and white candles. The group was served ham, green beans, baked potatoes, combination salad and home made cherry pie.

King and Queen were chosen on a point system. Mayor Jones, presented Queen Beckye Mason and King Larry Allison with keys to the city in their honor.

Singing, led by Bro. Robert Watts and a special message was given by pastor, Rev. Don Murry, completed a very successful program.

New Directors Elected At Community Meeting

At a community meeting held Tuesday night at the Community Center Allen Haley and John W. West were elected new directors to replace Eugene Buhrman and Kenneth Duncan.

The group present voted to have a covered dish supper February 23 at 7 p.m. honoring the new families who have recently moved into the community.

After discussion the following committees were elected: Publicity: Jean Hardin, Jean Allison, Jacque Bills, Fern Holt, Delores Duncan, Mildred Stewart and Hazel West.

B. H. Bickle and Kirk Pitts were to inquire into the possibilities of installing a telephone.

John W. West and Elbert Bills to contact political candidates in order to arrange a "Rally" on March 23, if the date is convenient for the candidates. Program Committee: Glenda Haley, Garrynell Pitts, Ethel Allison, Lenora Wells, Hattie Bickle, Ethel Allison, Bonnie Haberer. This committee and the publicity committee are to serve for one year.

Farm Sale Committee: Prof. Shelby, Doyle Turner, Benny Dyck, Allen Haley, E. K. Angle, James Daniel, Claude Hendricks, Jack Henderson and E. K. Angle. Plans were made to improve the grounds and Glenda Haley and Hazel West were appointed to inquire about help on the project.

John W. West and Kirk Pitts were asked to make arrangements to have the hall damaged roof replaced.

Nominating committee elected were: Kirk Pitts, Gerald Allison, Cleo Holt, Benny Dyck.

Shower Honors Mrs. Wiseman

Mrs. Budd Wiseman was the honoree for a Pink and Blue Shower held Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Weaver Barnett, Sudan.

A Valentine theme was used for party decorations and the serving table featured red net over a red felt cloth. Presiding at the coffee service was Mrs. Dale Young of Lubbock.

The hostess gift to Mrs. Wiseman was a high chair.

Approximately thirty attended the event.

Assisting with hostess duties were Mesdames Barnett, E. B. Hutchinson, Burnice May, Buford Walser, Weaver, Barnett, Dick Gatewood, Doyle Chaplin, Dr. Foster, and Bernard Wilson.

Mrs. Jim Claunch Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Jim Pat Claunch, the former Jane Sanders of Morton was honored with a bridal shower over last Thursday afternoon in the Bula School Lunchroom.

The serving table featured a white cut work cloth centered with a miniature bride and groom with a styrofoam heart decorated in ruffles of blue net. Refreshments of fruit punch, cake squares decorated in blue and assorted nuts were served to approximately 30 guests. Mrs. Bud Austin and Mrs. Travis Spencer presided at the serving table while Mr. Charles Powell registered the guests.

White carnation corsages were presented the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Sanders, and the mother of the groom, Mrs. Jim Claunch.

Gifts were displayed for a table in the center of the room. The hostess gift was a set of stainless steel cooking utensils.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Jimmy Drake, Marvin Drake, Marvin Dale, I. J. Clawson, Raymond Austin, J. E. Autry, John Hubbard, C. K. Holt, F. L. Simmons, Paul Young, J. C. Smitker, Cecil Cox, W. B. Gage, W. E. Nichols, J.R. Teaff and Clyde Hogul.

ORDINATION SERVIC E

Ordination Service was held in the Three Way Baptist Church Saturday afternoon at 2:30 to ordain Bro. Jerry Haley, now pastor of the Three Way Baptist Church.

Examination of the candidate was brought by Bro. Jerry Haley, now pastor of the Hale Center Baptist Church. Those sitting on the council were: Bro. Milton Kresse, Maple Baptist church, Bro. J. J. Terry, Enoch Baptist church, Bro. T. B. Allen, Hale Center Baptist Church, Dub Henry, Morton, Cecil Turner, Hale Way, H. O. Huff Jr., Three Way, G. A. Brewer, New Home, Dr. W. E. Thorn, Lubbock, and Edwin Neutzel, Three Way.

Ragsdale and Mrs. Baker Johnson were in Portales, N.M. Friday night to attend the Variety Show, Swancee of 1962 put on by the Eastern New Mexico College.

CHURCH SUPER

The Three Way Baptist Church had a supper Wednesday night and there were 57 there. After prayer services the church gave the pastor and his wife, Bro. and Mrs. Jerry Haley a Food Pounder.

STUDY COURSE

There will be a Training Union Study Course at the Three Way Baptist Church, starting February 19 through the 22th. The Hecks Chapel, Maple and Three Way Baptist churches will have this study together, and there will be three different classes taught. Beginners, Primaries, and Juniors in one division. Intermediates and Young People in one division and Adults in one division.

BASKETBALL

Dewayne Clay, Linda Simms, Shirley Fine and Sandra Lemons were chosen as All District Basketball players Saturday night at the Bledsoe Tournament. The Three Way girls won out over Bula with a score of 24 to 40 and there will be a play off between the two teams February 22.

OUTSTANDING CITIZEN

Mr. A. V. Wall a former resident of the Three Way Community was chosen as the Outstanding Citizen of Brownfield this year. A. V. is the Choral Director at the Brownfield Jr. and Sr. High School and has sung 5 years with the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra.

Parents of A. V. are Mr. and Mrs. O. Wall of Portales and a brother Verlus Wall lives in Rogers. A. V. lived in the Stegall community when he was a young boy and attended Eastern New Mexico College.

DINNERS GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Galt and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gaddy of Portales and Mr. and Mrs. James Courtney and children were dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Stegall of Portales.

PARENTS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Weaver of Lovington, N.M. visited in the home of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Fort Sunday.

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FISHING TRIP

Gene Kenley, Baker Johnson, and Pete Tarlton left last Monday for Falcon Dam in Old Mexico to do a little fishing. Dossie Terrell, C. J. Feagley and Jack Ferguson left then on Wednesday to join the fishing party. They are to return this Tuesday.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frank honored their son Bailey, their son-in-law Jimmy Battaeas and their granddaughter Cindy Battaeas with a triple birthday dinner Sunday. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Paul of Albuquerque, N. M., Mike Pollard, and girls and Mrs. Florence Baily. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pruitt of Causey, N.M. visited in the Griffith home Sunday evening also.

INJURES FOOT

Mr. Virgil Holley received several fractures to his right foot and toes late Saturday evening when some boards fell on his foot while helping turn wheat in the Conrad Williams barn at Stegall. Mr. Holley received treatment. Thomas will be in the hospital for several days yet.

INJURES LEG

Thomas Coffman received a broken bone and bad cuts to his right leg when he became entangled in the power take off on his tractor Friday afternoon. Thurl Lemons came by the field where Thomas was working and helped free him from the tractor then rushed him on to the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe where he received treatment. Thomas will be in the hospital for several days yet.

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FOR STATE RACE

Millen Issues His Political Platform

W. T. "Bill" Millen

parted in such controversial issues as the defense of the bracero program by the Plains Cotton Growers. He now serves as legislative director of this association and has made several trips to Washington, California, Kansas City and across Texas in this capacity.

Millen's state read as follows:

To the people of the 91st District:

"I am soliciting your vote for State Representative of this District as I feel that it would be an honor and a privilege to represent the people of the area with the purpose in mind to work for honest, integrity and economy in government."

"For many years I have spent much time and money working with various farm groups for a better agricultural climate for our area and have cultivated a wide circle of friends over the great state of Texas; many of whom wield a great deal of influence in area affairs."

"Having served in many capacities in these farm groups has, I feel, qualified me to represent you as a man of the people. Among the area organizations that I have had a part in promoting are: The High Plains Water Conservation District, the Hi-Plains Research Foundation at Halfway,

the Plains Cotton Growers, the West Texas Agricultural Employer's Group and I now serve as director of the Plains Cotton Cooperative Association, the South Plains Soil Fertility Committee, and the Bailey County Farm Bureau. Along with others, I have spent much time and money promoting legislation at Austin for the Plains Irrigation Gas Users Association and I am a member of the founders committee of the Cotton Peducer's Institute.

"My years of experience as a farm leader have seen into being such programs for the good of Bailey County as the Good Neighbor Cotton Seed Program in which irrigation farmers gave cotton seed to dry land farmers who had been hard hit by drought.

"I have fought for the farmers on numerous occasions for a better FSA program with lower interest rates and have fought much bad legislation in Austin.

"In listing these activities, I hope I have not seemed boastful. It seemed to me in each case that what needed to be done with few people to take the time to do it. I have accepted these duties, usually resulting in much loss of personal time and money.

"To represent you in Austin, would probably again mean financial losses to me, personally. But I feel a dedication to the position that we must have men in government that will vote for what is right and good for our country, with the interest of future generations at heart, instead of political expedience to further their own selfish ambitions and moral degeneration, a condition I see so often in our county, state, and national affairs.

"Some have asked me what platform I am running on. Standing on the side lines looking on, here are just a few of the things that occur to me:

1. Correction of the irregularities in the new sales tax law.

2. I believe that the Advalorem Tax should be abolished or turned over to the towns or commissioners courts.

3. Work for a fair deal for the farmer Irrigation Natural Gas Users (In which they would have the same privilege as the towns and villages.)

4. A small loan regulation bill.

5. Prohibition of obscene movies,

as well as obscene books in our school libraries.

6. Stronger lobbyist regulation.

7. Continued improvement in our public schools and colleges.

8. Adequate legislation and financing to attract industry and tourists to Texas.

9. Defend the recent tax placed on gas pipeline companies.

10. Modify the Auto Insurance Merit Rating Plan to make it more equitable.

I will also stand for more states rights and less centralization of government.

Sincerely,
Bill Millen

TO TEMPLE CLINIC
Mrs. Benny Dunlap spent four days last week at Temple where she went through the clinic. While there, she visited with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McKinney.

SOIL CONSERVATION NEWS



LEWIS SCOGGINS examines residues left after turning under soybean crop. (SCD photo, Journal Engrav.)

By COY. A. GARETT

Land that has been cropped for several years in cotton without any high residue crops is always low in organic matter. Why is organic matter so important and how can the content be increased?

Organic matter is important because it is the substance which provides the plant food, nitrogen, and the soil condition necessary for good plant growth.

Soil is made up chiefly of minerals. The organic matter must come from the plants which are grown on the land or organic matter that is added to the soil.

Organic matter content can be increased by growing this residue-producing crops and keeping tillage operations tend to cause the organic matter to decompose or oxidize at an increased rate.

In this area, cotton burrs can be used very effectively to add organic matter to the soil.

Organic matter improves soil porosity by making the soil more porous and allowing better aeration. It prevents the soil from "running together," baking, and crusting.

If we are to maintain our soils at their peak productively, then we must maintain or increase the organic matter content in them.

LET'S THINK

by J. Frank Ford, Jr., Republican Candidate for the Texas Legislature



(During September and October, this newspaper will carry a series of these articles, each pertaining to a specific issue.)

As history goes, 200 years is a brief span. And yet, during these last two centuries, there has been more progress made toward individual dignity and freedom than was made during the previous 7,000 years of recorded civilization. There were many bright spots in previous civilizations, but they were rather isolated, compared with today.

What are some factors which have made this progress possible? During the late 1600's, the philosophy of John Locke, in England, was helping to point the way. A century later, in 1776, Thomas Jefferson wrote a Declaration which reverberated around the world, and a new era for mankind had begun.

Jefferson had confidence in the individual and a firm belief in States Rights as opposed to a powerful central government. "Give the people light," he said, "and they will find their own way." Isn't this idea, which had been responsible for our unprecedented progress, as true today as when it was first conceived?

The problem is that freedom, like all other blessings, is often taken for granted. Our frontiers were conquered, the industrial revolution presented new social problems, and the world has been torn by two world wars. During this process, the pendulum of our government has simply swung too far.

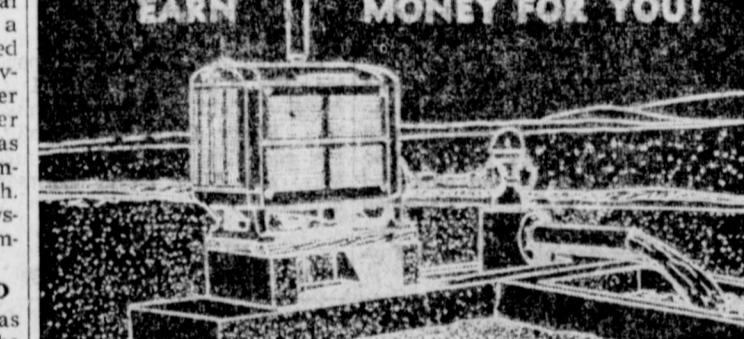
It is my firm conviction that all Americans who believe in individual worth, whether they have termed themselves "liberal" or "conservative", must recognize the inherent dangers in centralized power. The future of the next generation depends on us.

It is the nature of man to react courageously and well to a challenge. Our failure of the past 15 years has not been lack of courage, but lack of interest. Many of us have been "too busy" to take an active part in our political affairs. The results are now apparent.

If all of us will stay informed, use the power of our reason, maintain fairness in debate when we differ, and act with courage upon the resultant decisions, then we will have a state and a nation of which we can be proud. It is worth the effort.

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BAILEYBORO FARMERS turned out last Saturday to help plow the Alex Reed farm. A part of those who worked are shown above. With some 17 tractors

put into use, some 200 acres were listed by the group in approximately four hours. (Journal photo and engraving)

THEY STICK TOGETHER

Baileyboro Farmers Are True To Form

Farmers in the Baileyboro community proved last Saturday that farm folks still have that wonderful "stick-together" policy that has been their trade-mark through the years.

Practically all of the farmers in the neighborhood were represented when the group pooled their time and machinery to list the farmland belonging to Mrs.

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VISIT PARENTS

Mrs. Hugh Yeates and children

left Monday afternoon for Atlanta,

Georgia to visit her parents and

other relatives of Atlanta and

near there. She will be gone for

two or three weeks.

Bro. and Mrs. Kenneth Middle-

ton were in Leveland Tuesday.

Bro. Middleton is working over

there this week and Mrs. Middle-

ton visited her parents and other

relatives.

VISIT IN CROSBYTON

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smyer and

children spent the weekend with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen,

and they also visited his sister

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

Cash in Lubbock Sunday after-

noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emmerson

and Brenda of Leveland, visited

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Kelley Sunday.

CHILDREN AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson had

all their children at home Sunday

they were Mr. and Mrs. Thurman

Kelley and children of Amarillo,

Mrs. Maxine Roberson of Denver,

Colorado, Cayton of Ft. Still, Okla.

Jessie Wynn of the home and

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis of

Maple. They all attended the wed-

ding of Jessie Wynn and Miss

Carrie Ann Mullinax of Morton

Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. L. Taylor and Mrs.

Virls Wall visited Mrs. Taylors

daughter, Mrs. Cecil Mann of

Portales, Friey afternoon.

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TEAM AWAITS BI-DISTRICT

Mulettes Finish District Schedule With 10-0 Mark



SEVEN MEMBERS of the Muleshoe Mallettes' basketball team are seniors playing their final year of varsity basketball. They are (left to right) Trudy Davis,

Melba Buhrman, Ira Lee Inman, Linda Bartlett, Mary Wedel, Kay Thompson and Brenda Nelson.

(Journal photo and engraving)



MAJOR LEAGUE

Western Fertilizer	60½	23½
Chestnutters	48	36
Clay's Corner	46	38
Cashway Grocery	42	42
Cobb's Dept. Store	39	45
Caylor Reed Buick	35	49
C. & H. Chevrolet	33	51
Sudan Co-op	32½	51½
High game: Dallas Kinard, 213; Cloys Cowan, 211; Jackie Brown, 210.		
High series: Cloys Cowan, 583; Gene Lowe, 567; Dallas Kinard, 552.		
High team game: Clay's Corner, 865; Cobb's Dept. Store, 858; Chestnutters, 844.		
High team series: Chestnutters, 2515; Western Fertilizer, 2437; Caylor Reed Buick, 2387.		
Bowlerettes	14	6
Strikers	13	7
Spares	13	7

3-Way Game Increases Fund

The Three Way High School Ex-Students Association collected \$310 in the basketball doubleheader Tuesday to benefit the bleacher fund.

The amount brought the fund total to \$800. Officials of the Ex-Students Association hope to raise a total of \$1500 by May 1.

Standings

HIGH TEAM SINGLE

	Pinups	9	11
Pinsplitters		7	13
Team 4		4	16

HIGH TEAM THREE

	Strikers	1346
Bowllettes		1331
Pinsplitters		1131

HIGH IND. SINGLE

	Theadora Stienback	199
Frances Purdy		197
Bobbye Putman		173

HIGH IND. THREE

	Frances Purdy	507
Bobbye Putman		492
Theadora Stineback		463

HARLINGEN FAMILY HERE WITH MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Grady E. Davis and son Roy of Harlingen are in Muleshoe to be with their mother, Mrs. W. M. Pool, Sr. Mrs. Pool has been hospitalized here for several weeks.

The Davis are visiting her brothers and their families here, the Myron and Lee Pools.

Tech Team To Be Honored At Saturday Game

LUBBOCK, Feb. 12 — Texas Tech's Border Conference championship basketball team of 1953-54 will be honored as the Red Raiders tackle University of Arkansas here Saturday night.

Among those to be honored are Jim Reed of Pine Bluff, Ark., and Brownfield, Texas, Carl Ince of Big Spring, Durward Bolding of Mansfield, Esten Blackmon of Abernathy, DuWayne Blackshear of Mountainair, N.M., Jimmie Sexton, Lubbock, Decker McKinnon of Clovis, N.M., John Pittman of Lubbock, Ted Watts of Abernathy, and manager Wayne Smith of Spur.

That team was Tech's first to go into the NCAA playoffs, bowing to Santa Clara at Corvallis, Ore., although several Raider quintets had advanced into the NAIA tournaments.

Texas Tech's varsity swimmers surprised winners over always strong University of Texas in Austin last week, meet Eastern New Mexico in Portales Friday.

Next week Texas Tech's varsity basketballers have a tough assignment, playing Texas Christian in Fort Worth and Texas in Austin. Region One tournaments for Conferences A and AA will be held here Feb. 24, and a third and fourth playoff (3A and 4A) may also be conducted for the Interscholastic League.

The Davis are visiting her brothers and their families here, the Myron and Lee Pools.

Muleshoe High School's Mallettes closed out district play with a perfect 10-0 record by winning their final two regular-season games during the past week.

The team, which clinched the District 2-AA title last week, has won 29 out of 32 district games.

Coach Louis Powers' squad rolled to an easy 52-27 win over

winner Morton at home last Friday, then finished their district schedule with a 68-49 win at

Olton Tuesday.

The team now will meet Tullia, District 2-AA champ, in their bi-district game. The date for the playoff contest hasn't been set as yet, but it probably will be Monday or Tuesday, Feb. 26 or 27. Two scrimmage games have been lined up for the team prior to its bi-district game, at Roosevelt Friday and against Cotton Center here next Thursday.

Muleshoe got off to a roaring start in the final district game led the scoring attack with 26 points, pressed closely by Mary Wedel's 25. Ira Lee Inman added 11 points.

RESERVES PLAY The lead was 21 points after the third period, 54-33. Coach Powers moved the guards around in the latter stages of the game, and reserve forwards finished up the contest holding their own as the team won, 68-49.

All three starting forwards were in double figures. Trudy Davis

had 15, Melba Buhrman 13, and Ira Lee Inman 12.

EVEN SEASON RECORD

Mules End Cage Season With Wins

The Mules closed out their basketball season with two wins, to even their season record at 15-15, and finish fourth in District 2-AA with a 4-6 record.

The Mules rose to their best offensive showing of the season in the final game at Olton, holding on for a 75-72 win over the Mustangs, who desperately wanted to break into the win column in district play.

Muleshoe scored its third district win and second over the Morton Indians here last Friday, downing the invading Tribe, 43-34.

A fabulous final game by Jim Young powered Muleshoe's high-scoring win at Olton. Young, who was hotter than the proverbial fire-cracker, poured 35 points through the nets, almost half of his team's total.

The Mules jumped out in front 13-8 after one quarter, and scorched the nets with 25 points in the second stanza for a 38-29 half-time lead.

HECTIC FINISH Olton gained some ground in the third period, trailing only 54-52 at its conclusion, and the

final eight minutes was hectic, indeed, with the score tied often and Olton holding a slim lead at times.

But a 21-point performance in the last quarter by the Mules enabled the team to finish with a win, as Coach Louis Powers variegated his lineup in the season finale, alternating his seniors and juniors, with the regular starting team being in the game a minimum of the time.

RESERVES PLAYED Reserves played during the final portion of the game, contributing to the scoring attack, but also yielding points to Olton, and starters had to turn the tide.

Backing up Young's fine effort was Wayne Malone with 10 points.

The Mules got off to a slow start in their game with Olton.

The visiting Indians led 12-5 after

the first quarter. Muleshoe responded with a zone defense that gave them a 19-15 halftime edge.

Morton went into a stall to bring Muleshoe out of its zone, and a full-court press was employed to the Mules' benefit.

Young led scoring with 20 point Malone added 10.

Basketball Scores

TUESDAY, FEB. 13

District 2-AA

MULES 75, Olton 72
MULETTES 68, Olton 49
Morton 58, Abernathy 57
Abernathy 78, Morton 32 (girls)
Lockney 69, Floydada 36
Floydada 71, Lockney 69 (girls)

Others

Bovina 45, Happy 44 (Bovina leads best-of-three playoff, 1-0)
District 3-A Tourney

Sudan 64, Springlake 51
Hale Center 47, Farwell 44
Springlake 46, Farwell 31 (girls)
Sudan 40, Hale Center 32 (girls)

RIDAY, FEB. 9

MULES 42, Morton 34
MULETTES 52, Morton 27
Lockney 58, Abernathy 52
Abernathy 48, Lockney 38 (girls)
Floydada 80, Olton 67
Floydada 63, Olton 49 (girls)
Farwell 46, Sudan 39
Sudan 57, Farwell 32 (girls)

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13TH OF A SERIES

Communist Party Is No Mere Political Unit--It's A Spy Net

By DAVIS MERWIN

Do we really know our enemy? Ignoring for the moment the expanding violence spread to the far reaches—Ghandi's "peace-at-any price" India, led by his disciple, Nehru, in bombing, rocketing and strafing the helpless and humanly in the three Portuguese colonies; "President of Sukarno's latest swipe at Dutch New Guinea; "peaceful" mopping up operations by U.N. troops in Katanga, and so on—let's wind up the rundown of President Kennedy's Los Angeles speech to a rally of Democratic Party faithfuls at \$100 per copy.

Mind you, this was at an hour when the U. S. was more than ever playing for keeps. Mr. Kennedy's main points have been quoted here and comments made on his "civilian guerrillas", "a convenient scapegoat" and "treason in high places" which sacrificed the old China. We mentioned what was the worst sellout in history—Yalta, and some of those who represented actual treason in high places. These had been scoffed at as fiction.

Now, the assertion that "we know that (the danger) comes from without, not within." The President's reference was to communism. Let's take some handy quotes from a Dec. 7, 1961, speech by FBI Director Hoover:

"I would like to be able to report that the internal enemies of our society have virtually disappeared. But this is not so."

And later: "We are at war with the Communists and the sooner every red-blooded American realizes this the safer we will be... We must continue to stiffen our national backbone in dealing with the Communists and their dupes, sympathizers, and apologists..." for while "The atheistic Communist dictatorship now controls more than one-third of this earth's people," the Communist threat from without must not blind us to the Communist threat from within.

"The latter is reaching into the very heart of America through its

espionage agents and... lawless Communist Party... dedicated to the destruction of our Republic."

And in the same speech: "The Communist Party in this country has attempted to infiltrate and subvert every segment of our society. Mentioned here is the importance of "intelligent public opposition." And Director Hoover adds:

"Those who follow the road of appeasement do not know the true meaning of freedom. You will not find their cheap slogans on the lips of the Hungarian refugees."

"In the fight to preserve our Republic, it is not enough to be against crime, against subversion or against any of the other enemies which weaken the Nation's strength from within. To stand for the American ideal, to work for the cause of liberty and justice—these give true meaning to life in this great Republic. We must revive within ourselves the faith of our forefathers, which enabled them to meet and overcome adversity."

NIKITA BOLDLY FRANK

Now as to those "equations", the Democratic Party may not be properly equated with the "Welfare State", but the "Welfare State", which was born in 1933 with the blessing of Franklin Roosevelt—who then also blessed Soviet recognition—will have a tough time proving that it's not socialist.

As to aligning "socialism with communism", we need only take the words of Nikita Khrushchev uttered shortly before his historic "invasion" of the U. S. "We cannot expect the Americans to jump from capitalism to communism, but we can assist their elected leaders in giving Americans small doses of socialism, until they suddenly awake to find they have communism."

Those are words of J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the FBI—to whom we are constantly referred as the expert on this subject. Do we Americans really know the enemy?

and Supreme Court. He forgot the schools. The question, to my mind, is why should not good Americans have misgivings regarding leadership that by the public testimony of one of its top functionaries, Defense Secretary McNamara, suppresses the right of free speech for fear it may jeopardize "negotiations" with a non-negotiable enemy?" And Director Hoover added:

"And regarding the infiltration of churches and the shockingly confusing record of the U. S. Supreme Court since FDR's celebrated "court packing" goes under way—and presided—both are well-documented that they are beneath further mention. This observation is by no means an attack on church and judiciary as to be revered when it is again mentioned."

NUMBERS MEANINGLESS

Now consider the oblique reference to Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Walker, USA. Speaking of him, we had best stop splitting hairs over the question of Army regulations and get interested in saving our skins and those of our young men being called to the colors, by encouraging the Walkers toward their education.

"People ask me: 'Can the danger be great when the membership of the Communist Party, USA is consistently falling? ... To that I can only say that members mean nothing and that those nations which have attempted to assess the threat of communism with communism, we need only take the words of Nikita Khrushchev uttered shortly before his historic "invasion" of the U. S."

"We cannot expect the Americans to jump from capitalism to communism, but we can assist their elected leaders in giving Americans small doses of socialism, until they suddenly awake to find they have communism."

The President, in speaking of those on the fringe and the suspicion with which "they look at their neighbors and their leaders", adds reference to churches beneath further mention. This ob-



SCOUT CITIZENS AT WORK—Boy Scouts of Troop 620 are pictured as they were in the process of building a miniature Scout camp. The camp is complete with tents arranged in a semi-circle, flag pole, signal tower, entrance gate and shrubs. Assistant Scoutmaster George Haskins meets with the Troop each Tuesday night at the Scout Hut. Members of Troop 620 pictured are Gary Morris, Jerry Haskins, Dickie Fowler, Charles Elrod, Dwight Burkhead, Billy Kelly and Explorer Scout Corky Green. The camp was displayed in the window of St. Clairs Department Store during Scout Week.

(Journal Photo and Engraving)

Teen-Age Skipper at Helm

MAINE (AP) — Old Tars would

"She came aboard when she was 3 years old and I've never been able to get her off ever since," says her father. Marjorie got her master's license a year and a half ago after grueling examinations.

In fact, piloting her father's 37-foot charter boat Sea Hawk landed her on TV's panel show "To Tell The Truth" last September. Scouts for the show expressed amazement at how she guided the vessel through a field of lobster pot buoys, touching many a one.

The pretty brunett is almost as much at home in the engine house as on the bridge.

On her first visit to the City of Portland she inspected the generator and diesels with the confidence of Florence Nightingale checking a bandaged finger.

When summer ends, Marjorie will go back to Nason and resume the study of psychology.

Clock Collection On Exhibit At Tech Museum

LUBBOCK — The "Collector's Corner" in the West Texas Museum features an exhibit of 77 antique clocks belonging to a Levelland florist.

The exhibit, assembled by the Women's Council of the West Texas Museum Assn., will continue through June 1. Mrs. James R. Cochran of Lubbock is chairman, with Mrs. Robert E. Maxey as co-chairman.

Crede J. Rhea of Levelland helped select the 77 clocks in his 250-clock collection. He has been collecting them for the past 30 years. He has given away more than 40 clocks to his friends.

All of the clocks are American, with the exception of an 1840 French one. Most of the clocks were out of order and usually considered worthless when Rhea bought them.

"I just like to hear them tick," Rhea said. "And if they didn't tick, I wanted to see why they wouldn't."

One of Rhea's most valuable clocks is one from Texas capitol building, which was found in trash can.

Value of the collection ranges from around \$50 to several hundred dollars. Rhea has rebuilt most of the clocks himself. He acquires many of them from a Fort Worth antique dealer who makes monthly trips to New England states.

The Levelland florist also operates a bookstore and does printing as a hobby.

The museum is open from 8:12 a.m. Tuesday through Friday, 8 to 12 a.m. Saturday and 3-6 p.m. Sunday.

FOR LACK OF WINTER

Parks Is Assistant On Hi-Plains Staff

at the High Plains Research Foundation since May of 1957.

The Agricultural Chemical Conference is sponsored by Texas Tech, West Texas and the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. Attending the conference to be held on February 13th, 14th and 15th will be representatives of agricultural chemical processors, distributors, dealers and farmers.

"The Music Man" Slates Lubbock Dates Feb. 15-16

One of the biggest musicals hits in Broadway history "THE MUSIC MAN", will be presented by Civic Lubbock, Inc. Thursday and Friday, February 15 and 16 at 8 p.m. on the stage of the Lubbock Auditorium.

Produced on Broadway by Kermit Bloomgarden, "THE MUSIC MAN" rang up a grand total of 1,376 performances in New York, spanning three years and making it the fifth longest run in American musical history.

JACK H. PARKS

Jack H. Parks became Assistant Agricultural Engineer at the High Plains Research Foundation on February 7th. Mr. Parks received his B. S. Degree in Agricultural Engineering from Texas Tech in January of 1962. He was employed part time while at Tech in the Agricultural Engineering Department as a teacher in the laboratories and in the research experiments.

Few had heard of Meredith Wilson, who wrote the book, lyrics and music, but before the last blare of "Seventy-Six Trombones" had died away, almost everyone in the land was aware that he had written one of the greatest musicals of all time. Other "hits" from the show are "Til There Was You", "Goodnight My Someone" and many more.

The Company, in addition to sixty actors, singers and dancers, also carries dozen musicians, half-a-dozen wardrobe mistresses, a teacher to provide the children in the troupe with school lessons, plus a sprinkling of anxious mothers.

"THE MUSIC MAN" is a show for the entire family and should be a "must" for your entertainment calendar. Tickets are now available in all price ranges in the box office in the lobby of the PO 2-4616.

IT PAVES TO ADVERTISE

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—Speaking of the unusual in gifts: Shortly before Christmas, a mason named Damon Williams—a man with a firm belief in the value of advertising—painted this sign on the back of his truck: "Give her a concrete driveway for Christmas."

Yesterday's Furniture Restored

Since John and Abigail Adams moved into the unfinished Executive Mansion in 1800, the President's residence on Pennsylvania Avenue has been furnished and refurnished with a frequency only a woman could understand.

Women, it is reputed, like to move furniture about. And what one First Lady doted upon, another thought in excruciating bad taste.

The White House—which got its name during the occupancy of Theodore Roosevelt—has now reached a peak in quiet elegance and historic dignity.

Just how the presidential mansion looks today, as a result of the work of Mrs. John F. Kennedy and her Fine Arts Committee, was shown the public on a taped television tour broadcasted by CBS February 14.

The first Lady conducted the audience through the public rooms on the ground and first floors, and the Lincoln and Monroe Rooms on the second floor.

Mrs. Kennedy and her committee have been trying to put back originals from the White House that have been scattered over the years. Up until the Anderson Bill was passed in 1961 to protect documents to the White House, Presidents were free to auction furniture as they pleased. If a future President doesn't like pieces donated now, they'll go the Smithsonian Institution.

Perhaps the biggest housecleaning came when Chester Arthur succeeded to the presidency in 1881 after the assassination of

SEAT OF UNDERSTANDING

WELLAND, Ont. (AP) — In Canada, teen-age offenders occasionally get a few strokes with a strap across the backside as part of their sentence.

Two teen-agers convicted of robbing a pair of pitch - hikers here recently were sentenced to short terms in a reformatory and six strokes each of the strap.

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Future of Peace Corps May Be "In The Balance"

When this Administration entered office, one of its most novel proposals was for creation of the Peace Corps. The idea was, and is, that numbers of dedicated young people with particular talents and education would be sent to underdeveloped countries to aid them in becoming responsible nations. Members of the Corps would, so far as possible, live with the people, and accept a more or less comparable standard of living.

The proposal was nonpartisan—and it was met with a nonpartisan response. That is, members of both parties greeted the plan with enthusiasm—and other members of both parties shook their heads in doubt. In any event, Congress approved, and the President appointed his brother-in-law, R. Sargent Shriver, to take over, on a non-partisan basis.

That happened about a year ago. Now numbers of Peace Corps young men and women have been recruited, indoctrinated, given varied training, and dispatched to underdeveloped areas. So the testing time, which will show whether or not the plan is wise and workable, is at hand.

Writing in *The Reporter*—a magazine of the liberal persuasion, which is favorable in principle to the Corps—John P. Nugent, who is chief African correspondent for *Newsweek*, tells of the work of the Peace Corps in Tanganyika—its duties, its intentions, and its problems. As he puts it, "The Peace Corps operation in Tanganyika may well prove to be the first decisive test of R. Sargent Shriver's entire program; indeed, a failure in Tanganyika might be the death knell of the Corps itself. Of course it is here that the volunteers will come face to face with more difficult challenges than any of their colleagues are apt to meet around the world. The difficulties are not only those of climate, man, and beast, but also the problems of being involved in the birth and growth of a new nation."

Living conditions are primitive in the extreme. The country is alive with poisonous snakes, vicious, disease-bearing mosquitoes, and dangerous animals. The natives have ancient tribal beliefs and customs that can lead to serious trouble—a government geologist was spearred in the back for desecrating a burial ground, and such grounds are usually unmarked. The work gangs are very different from those the volunteers may have had experience with in their home country. In many instances, Corps members have been given cold welcomes by natives and Europeans alike.

So the Corps' future is up in the air. No doubt Corps members in other parts of the world are now facing similar, even if lesser, problems. And, going beyond the Corps, this illustrates the difficulties probed by emerging new nations, which have come into being by the dozen in late years. As the poet Tennyson wrote, "The old order changeth, yielding place to new." In the case of these nations, no one can now say with certainty what the new will be like.

—Industrial News Review

SANDHILLS PHILOSOPHER CLAIMS

Code of the Old West, TV Style Needed In Foreign Policy

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm discuss a new frontier in foreign relations, his letter this week reveals.

Dear Editor:

I got tired of working on a solution to the farm problem the other day and just to rest my mind shifted over to working on the problem of foreign relations.

This came about because I had just read that Castro reportedly is setting up some guided missile launching sites in the mountains over there in Cuba and they're pointed at the United States, only 90 miles away, which is just about point-blank with one of those things.

Now, here's our problem: up to now in international law, whatever that is, there has been nothing wrong in building guided missile launching sites. So long as Castro doesn't launch one of those missiles at us, we can do anything. Our hands are tied. We have to sit around wondering if or when he's going to pull the trigger.

At this very point is where some heavy thinking needs to be applied, and I have come up with a new theory of international law. Well, it's not really new, it's not really new, it's based on the law of the West, which 150 million

Americans who watch TV Westerns are familiar with.

This law says if a man starts to pull a gun on you and you beat him to the draw and shoot first, the United States Marshal's hands are tied. It was a clear case of self-defense, and any Marshal or Sheriff who tried to charge you with murder would be laughed out of the West.

This is a point in Foreign Policy the experts ought to be working on a lot harder.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By Boyce House

Editor's note: The "I give you Texas" columns were written for February shortly before the death of Mr. House several weeks ago. Next week's column is the last he wrote before his death.

When I was in Memphis, Tenn., attending high school, once a month the installment collector for the furniture company would come to our front door. He was a very serious man who wore a black suit, a black hat and a high collar. He made his rounds with a horse and buggy. The buggy was black and had a top which he always kept up—against the cold and wind in winter, the sun in summer and the rain which came at all seasons. This was about 1914.

During vacation that year or maybe it was even later than 1914, I visited relatives in Clay County, Ark., and Uncle Frank drove a buggy. It was a sporty affair—no top, the wheels a bright yellow.

In 1919 when I went to Piggott to edit the Banner, Lon Vencill drove a horse to a cart, really a racing sulky, drawn by a mare which was the champion trotter of the county-fair circuit.

In November 1920, I stepped off the train in Laredo and there were at least a dozen horse-drawn vehicles, with shouting drivers.

Now about the only time you see a horse-drawn vehicle is in a parade. Hot Springs, Ark., has one or two carriages for the tourist trade; it is quite the thing to have your picture made in the victoria, I believe it is. Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, back in the 1930's had two or three carriages—all for the tourists, and still have.

These days, we still speak of horsepower—but it is produced by gasoline.

When I was a little fellow, I parted my hair in the middle. One day, my father's best friend remarked in my hearing, "Boyce parts his hair in the middle to balance his brain." I immediately started parting it on the side. And still do—what there is of it.

Will Rogers said that there is nothing as stupid as an educated man when you get him off the thing he is educated in.

Norman Haggard, the magazine editor, once declared, "Certain personalities create drama for themselves."

Someone has asked, "Is it any more marvelous that the dead should live than that the living should die?"

Right now, not having any guided missile launching sites on this Johnson grass farm to study, I can't say exactly what point in the enterprise corresponds to the move toward a .45, but if some expert in the State Department will figure this out, Castro may not be as happy over his launching sites as he thought he'd be and it sure will make things more comfortable. What sort of a life could anybody have led in the old West if people were entitled to go around with their guns drawn, fin-

ished.

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir.

AN OPPORTUNITY

The year of 1962 will be a year in which the people of Texas will have an opportunity to elect people who could change the trend which if allowed to continue, would be the beginning of the end as far as constitutional government and the American way of life is concerned.

Through apathy people have been allowed to remain in office for many years after their effective position in politics has been in the interest of the people and the Nation as a whole.

Now, as never before should be the voters in this state and the Nation be absolutely sure of the men elected to represent them.

It is only good judgement to retire those from office who have failed to do their position to preserve those rights and privileges entrusted to their care.

Any politician whoever they be, either in or out of office cannot be of any value or help in attempting to stem the tide of Socialism if they indicate a middle of the road trend.

Those who would use the position of middle of the roaders are a greater threat than those whose philosophies are known to be far to the left.

If the enemy is known, he is more easily defeated than those who are in a position to go in both directions at one time or lean in whichever direction necessary to secure victory.

I cannot but believe that, there is no man which is indispensable. I cannot but believe that there are many who are qualified and are dedicated to the cause of preserving this nation. I believe that the time is now at hand to make many changes in the representation in the nation's capital.

We in this district remain satisfied with such a man who is long overdue for retirement.

It is my belief that any representative who has been in office during all these years when the rights and privileges of the people of this great nation have been allowed to legislate away with out any protest should be retired. It is not logical thinking to assume that those who allow a situation to develop without protest, could be effective in now correcting the situation.

The people of this district deserve some new faces and policies. It is past time when we quit electing those who would perpetuate themselves in office by playing both sides against the middle.

Let us forget personal interests and attempt to elect people who will serve the interests of this nation. This might be the last opportunity.

John W. West

NAUTICAL BUT NICE

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP)—A lad of 7 who has been reared on a boat was turned loose on Municipal Pier to try out his new bicycle.

When his father asked him how far he had gone, the nautical-minded youngster replied, "I went as far as the city head."

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'ayland Sets Audition Date or Scholarships

LAINVIEW, (Special) — A preview of college life is eduled for March 3 at Wayland Baptist College for juniors seniors in high schools of area with their hosts being wayland students and faculty, have planned a variety of activities.

Students wishing to qualify for academic scholarships will set themselves for testing at 8 a.m. with Dean Maurice J. Sharp in charge. Students wishing audition for music scholarships membership in the International Choir and Treble Tones will given appointments by Dr. J. DeLage, head of the department of fine arts. Athletes, on arrival, can arrange interviews with members of the athletic staff for the College Preview.

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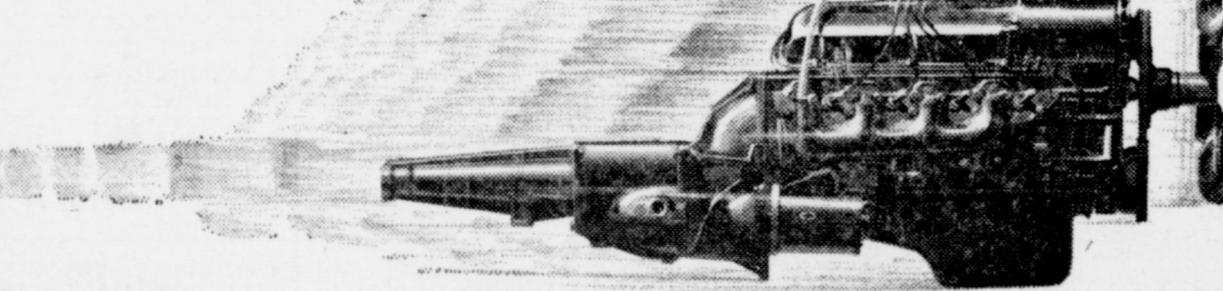
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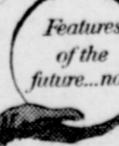
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Peace Corp Official To Speak at Wayland

PLAINVIEW, (Special) — Dr. Chu, Hong Kong, and George Paul Geren, deputy director of the Wayland International Choir and welcome addresses by President A. Hope Owen and David president of the Student Government Association.

After being guests of Wayland at luncheon in Slaughter Memorial center, career conferences will be held in two periods to give high school students opportunities to question faculty in various departments and to view departmental exhibits.

Informal group activities in the afternoon will include a talent show, athletic contests, a hot dog supper, and vespers. An Evening of Drama by members of the Drama Department under the direction of Dr. Henry Eason will conclude the day's activities at 8:30 p.m.

In 1961 some 300 high school students and counselors from Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Colorado were guests at Wayland.

Planning the publicity for the event are Arthur Boynton, Cheyenne, Wyo.; James Brandes, Plainview; Vanita Sink, South Whitely, Ind.; and Darla Sue McElroy, Plainview. Arrangements for the program are being made by David Ray, Abilene; Mary Lou McKee Allen, Tahoka; Lawrence

McGinnis, Lubbock; and David L. Jones, Lubbock.

Dr. Geren, tapped for his position with Pres. John F. Kennedy organized the Corps in 1961, will speak at the first-day sessions.

The conference is open to persons interested in international relations, and is being sponsored by the Wayland International Relations Club.

During World War II, he served as an ambulance driver for the Chinese Army in Burma and escaped from the country in the march led by General Joe Stilwell.

His later service with the United States Army earned him the Bronze Star. He has drawn on his varied experiences to write five books.

In addition to teaching at Judson College, Rangoon, Burma, where he was when the war started, he has taught at Forman Christian College in Lahore, Pakistan, Berne College in Kentucky; Louisiana State University; Southern Methodist University, Dallas, and Baylor.

He became a career Foreign Service officer in 1947 and served in India, Washington, Syria and Jordan before he resigned in 1956 to serve as executive vice president of Baylor. In 1958 he became executive director of the Dallas Council on World Affairs. He re-entered the Foreign Service in 1961 and served for a short period as a member of the Special Financial Group to Viet-Nam.

Dr. Geren holds master of arts degrees from Louisiana State University and Harvard University. He earned his Ph. D. in economics at Harvard in 1941.

The meeting will be open to the public and all postal employees have been urged to attend.

Frank Eddleman, chairman of the committee for the rally, other committee members include Raymond Yandell, Winston Martin, Jimmy Holmes, C. C. Cave, Bobby Tipton, Wanda Armstrong and Mrs. Maxine Cave.

The publicity committee is composed of Cave, chairman, Tipton, Yandell, Martha Webster and Rachel White.

Eddleman said the rally was "to create public interest in the postal salary situation."

The U. S. Senate Post Office and Civil Service Subcommittee is conducting hearing on postal pay bills at this time and several pieces of legislation on the subject have been introduced in the U. S. House of Representatives.

Mrs. Ira W. Spafford, a former teacher of Mrs. Raven's in Abilene acted as hostess and guide to the Muleshoe group, Saturday. Friday night was spent at the Texas Inn, Albuquerque.

FARM NEWS

Farm Facts

Food prices in 1960 were about the same as in 1952.



Transportation
Only major factor in price spread which has declined since 1948, according to the Grocery Manufacturers of America, is the net profit per dollar of sales for food manufacturers and distributors.

Major Crimes Increased In Texas In 1961

AUSTIN—The Texas Department of Public Safety reported today that major crime in Texas increased 2.2 per cent in 1961 over 1960, with an estimated total of 23,285 offenses for the year compared to 19,956 in 1960.

Murder and homicide was up 0.7 per cent, rape increased 5.7 per cent, robbery decreased 16.5 per cent, burglary was down 6.7 per cent, aggravated assault increased 0.3 per cent, theft increased eight per cent, and auto theft was down 0.8 per cent.

Murder and homicide was up from 1,090 to 1,099, rape was up from 1,196 to 1,264, robbery was down from 3,560 to 2,974, burglary was down from 56,976 to 53,149, aggravated assault was up from 12,128 to 12,166, theft was up from 108,869 to 117,619, and auto theft was down from 15,147 to 15,025.

"The totals for 1961 mean that one major crime was committed in Texas every three minutes, there was a murder every eight hours, a rape every seven hours, a robbery every three hours, an aggravated assault every 43 minutes, a theft every four and one-half minutes, and an auto theft every 35 minutes," Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS Director, said.

"They also indicate approximately a 60 per cent increase in major crimes in our State since our State since 1955—an increase which far outstrips the population increase during this period."

Farm Control Said Goal Of JFK's Plan

KANKAKEE, Ill. (AP)—Charles Shuman, president of American Farm Bureau Federation, contended Saturday that the U.S. government intends to take complete control of the nation's food supply, land and farmers.

He labeled the Kennedy administration's proposed new farm program "undisguised regimentation."

Shuman, head of the country's largest organization of farm families, spoke at the 50th anniversary meeting of the Kankakee County Farm Bureau.

He criticized the blueprint for agriculture that President Kennedy and Secretary of Agriculture Freman are offering to farmers.

"No other secretary of agriculture in the history of this country has proposed such drastic production and marketing control on corn, feed, grains and milk," Shuman said.

No Quotas Before

"Never have marketing quotas been imposed on corn, feed grains or milk."

Shuman acknowledged that farmers can vote on the plans, but he added:

"The secretary would have several clubs at his command to force farmers to choose his program. One of the biggest is proposed new authority to dump up to 10 million tons of government-held feed grains and 200 million bushels of wheat on the market if producers do not go along with his proposals."

He called for a reduction of federal intervention and control and "greater freedom for farmers to run their own operation."



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Parmer County Farm Bureau News

By RAYMOND EULER

Farm Bureau is again soliciting small contributions from individuals for use in bedding on animals at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show which will be held March 8-10 at the Friona bus barns. If you don't receive a letter on this and want to contribute, just make your check to Farm Bureau Livestock Fund and leave it in the office.

This is the third consecutive year Farm Bureau has participated in the bidding in an effort to give the boys a little more premium for their efforts in raising and showing their animals.

If you don't know, and are interested, we have the tabulation of votes for and against the irrigation gas bill that failed in Austin. The Farm Bureau Legislative Office in Austin will be working with the Gas Users Association in preparing for passage of this bill in the next regular session. We believe it will pass when misinformation has been replaced with the truth about the bill.

Farm Bureau helped defeat a bill, SB 63, that would have required you to obtain a building permit for rural improvements.

Here is Texas Farm Bureau's record in the special session: Supported and passed — three; supported but lost — two; opposed and defeated — three; opposed, amended, to remove objections and passed — two. That is a good record.

"You can't organize farmers" is a statement often heard and quoted. Farmers can, however, organize themselves 43, and 23 percent of all farms in the United States are represented by voluntary organizations.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — Candidates seats. And 74 republicans have filed for 70 of the 156 representative offices. Two already are members of the House. They are George Korkmas of Texas City and Kenneth Kohler of Amarillo. They seek re-election to offices they won in recent special elections.

Thousand dollar fees were paid in many ways: One thousand one-dollar bills, one hundred ten-dollar bills and various checks from friends of the candidates.

A former athlete brought a handful of ex-football stars along, to show that he had a sporting chance.

There were very few surprises at the State Democratic Executive Committee: Gubernatorial candidates John Connally, Marshall Formby, Will Wilson and Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Walker had paid before the deadline; Don Yarbrough was expected, and everyone knew Gov. Price Daniel would show up after his TV announcement.

Austin Attorney Bob Looney arrived at the last minute to join Tom James, Tom Rowley, Waggoner Carr, W. T. McDonald and Les Procter in the attorney general's race.

Keith Wheatley, 27-year-old Stamford oil operator, decided to oppose Railroad Commissioner Ben Ramsey in the May primary.

Both Looney and Wheatley filed without paying, but plunked down their \$1,000 fees by Feb. 8 deadline.

Joe R. Pool, Dallas attorney, Charles H. Stevenson Jr. of Nueces County and rancher Phil Wil of Kaufman County, made the same sort of financial transaction as candidates for congressional at-large.

Houston businessman Robert W. Hervey and Mitchell County District Judge Eldon Mahon forfeited their right to run for Congress-at-large when they failed to follow filing with payment of filing fees.

Indicative of the expected turn over in both House and Senate is the democratic line-up for lieutenant governor: Speaker of the House James A. Turman, Senators Preston Smith, Jarrard Sechrist and Robert Baker, all are abandoning present posts to seek the state's second highest position. Gene Smith of Fort Worth is the only nonlegislative candidate for lieutenant governor.

"Rebirth of the republican party in Texas" has been widely discussed. It was quite evident when filing time was over that considerable progress had been made. If the party wasn't reborn, it certainly was revitalized.

Breckenridge oilman Jack Cox — former democratic candidate for governor who announced for the GOP months ago — got two opponents at the countdown. One Roy Whittenborg, who polled 185,926 votes when he opposed Ralph Yarbrough for the U. S. Senate in 1958. The other was Harry Diehl, Houston factory representative, who was one of the 71 who ran for Lyndon Johnson's senate seat last year.

Republican line-up for house and senate seats is imposing. Fourteen republicans are campaigning for 10 of the 31 senate

commission from taxation.

But clients must pay tax on drawings, paintings, lettering and printed matter, and with the fantastic volume of this type of production involved in a campaign year, the state ought to net a fair-sized income from advertising agencies.

Governor Daniel appointed Jack Drake of Weslaco and Jack Martin of San Antonio to fill vacancies on the Industrial Commission.

Drake is executive vice-president of the Lower Rio Grande Valley Chamber of Commerce.

Martin is president of the Texas State Building and Construction Trades Council.

MIGRANT WORKERS CONFERENCE — Ranchers, farmers, educators and businessmen from all over the state will attend a Texas Conference on Education for Adult Migrant Farm Workers in the House of Representatives on March 8.

Farm Workers and Good Neighbor Commission are planning the conference.

SHORT SNORTS

Governor Daniel has received a total of \$187,071 from the people of West Berlin for the relief of Hurricane Carla victims.

Dr. Joseph Trooper, chairman of the insurance department at Southern Methodist University was sworn in as a new member of the State Board of Insurance.

Austin attorney Robert G. Flowers is new Assistant Attorney General with the highway division.

The Rev. Clinton Kersey, for Chaplain for two sessions, was appointed director of parole supervision by Dr. James A. Turman, director of the Texas Youth Council.

Hospital News

WEST PLAINS HOSPITAL

Mrs. C. R. Dale, medical; Mrs. Troy Cheek, accident, dismissed; Mr. Isbell, medical, dismissed; Carol Haire, medical, dismissed; Mr. W. R. Spangler, surgery; Jimmie Lambert, medical, dismissed; David Lambert, medical, dismissed; Lonnie Bass, dismissed; Mrs. Pete Hernandez, ob, dismissed; Mr. S. M. Monroe, medical, dismissed; Matthew Street, medical, dismissed; Craig Farris, medical, dismissed; Sharon Sievert, medical; Mae Harvey, medical, dismissed; Mrs. E. E. Mick, medical, dismissed; Mrs. Pat Parker, medical, Martha Joe Mayers, medical; Mrs. Jimmy Pierce, dismissed; Mrs. Cecil Mills, medical; Mrs. Elmore, medical; W. E. Goforth, medical, Gary Harpster, medical, Mrs. Jo Clark, medical and Mrs. John Crow, medical.

GREEN HOSPITAL & CLINIC

Mike Riley, medical, dismissed; Mrs. Bonnie Gleaton, medical, dismissed; Mrs. Doyle Turner, medical, dismissed; Lloyd Throckmorton, medical, dismissed; J. H. Favela, dismissed; Carroll Freeman; Mrs. Ramon Leal, dismissed; Mrs. Naomi Wade, medical, dismissed; Mrs. Wilbert Kalbus, dismissed;

Terry Edwards, dismissed; Sherry Waggon, medical, dismissed; Leat Catarino, Jr., dismissed; Mary Rasales, dismissed; Mrs. J. C. Shanks, medical, dismissed; Miguel Almanzon, accident; Mr. Earl Peterson, dismissed; Mrs. John Young, surgery, J. W. Holmes, medical, Mrs. Tommy Gleaton, medical, Mrs. Don Kirk, R. L. Forester, medical, dismissed; Maria Espariza, Mrs. Dan Winn, medical, Ernest Woodard, medical; Eddie Wayne Nickols, medical, Joe Bill Luman, medical; Cara Ella Williams, medical; and Kenneth Ragland, medical.

SALES TAX RULINGS KEEP COMING — Governor Daniel's announcement that he hopes to amend the sales tax structure probably caused groans in the Comptroller of Public Accounts' office, where they're constantly busy interpreting the two per cent sales tax as it now stands.

Most recent interpretation involves advertising agencies which finance their operation on a 15 per cent commission basis, rather than by charges.

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NOT COMPLETELY DEMOLISHED

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. (AP) — City officials have discovered that an ordinance regulating building demolition has one flaw: it doesn't require that the job be finished.

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