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Thursday, February 1, 1973



CAR TAGS GO ON SALE . . . Thursday, February 1, will be the first day in which to purchase license plates, Bailey County Tax Assessor and Collector Jean Lovelady is pictured with the first license plate. This year the plates will be white and black letters and numbers. Tags will begin with CCN-925 and will include CCP, CCR, CCS and CCT. Truck

tags will run from AL 685 to AL 8349. Farm tags will run from 8D1125 to 8D2274. The three peice notification received in the mail should be brought to the Bailey County Tax Office in the courthouse to receive tags. Tags most be on the cars by

muleshoe with the journal staff

Mrs. Clifford White and children are visiting in Muleshoe with her father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T.R. White, and her husband's sister and family, the Joe Pat Wagnons. Mrs. White and the children returned recently from Germany. Capt. Clifford White is expected to return to the States April 1 after a three year tour of duty in Ger-

Visiting recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thomas of Muleshoe were Mr. and Mrs. Hoshell Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Dyer of Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thomas of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas of Norman, Okla .: Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Wilson, on transfer from Iran to Singapore; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomas of Muleshoe.

Chubby Douglass and the staff at Chubby's Beauty Shop attended a meeting Sunday afternoon at Jessie Lee's Hair Design School. The meeting was for releasing new trends in hair design.

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JP Report

Cases in Justice of the Peace Morris Nowlin's office recently include one for not Texas registration; nine for minor possession; one for being parked on the roadway without lights; one for driving on the wrong side of the road and causing an accident; two for failing to yeild the right of way; one for hunting ducks without a license; 17 for speedng; one for failing to drive in a single lane; two for no driver's license; three for running a stop sign; one for expired motor vehicle inspection sticker; two for improper start; two for failing to stop and give information; wo for drunk and disturbing; wo for not having commercial lriver's license one for vio-ation of driver's license retriction; one for not haveing a notor vehicle inspection stickr; two for aiding and abedding motor carrier violation; two

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February 1 or no motor carrier authority;

day, today, February 1.

Chamber Banquet Held Here Tuesday

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture held its annual banquet Tuesday night, January 30, at 7:30 in the Muleshoe High School Cafe-

After the dinner, the invocation was given by Rev. J.B. Fowler and Alex Williams welcomed the guests. Henry Stoneham presented the Conservation Farmer of the Year Award to Ted Harrison.

Both the retiring president, R.A. "Brad" Bradley and the incoming president, Gordon H. "Corkey" Green, made their speeches and then Jack Young introduced the guest speaker, Col. Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Pub-

Agent Reviews 1972 Srewworm Picture

Looking at the agricultural ledger for 1972, most folks in Bailey County will see a lot of good things with a few on the bad side mingled in. However, one item stands out among all the rest as casting its black cloud over the agricultural scene. The culprit was the menacing screwworm, points out County Extension Agent Spencer Tanhsley.

Screwworms had battled livestock producers in the past, especially in those years preceding 1962, the year the Screwworm Eradication Program was initiated. However, since then the program had been victorious in beating back further attacks of the flesh-eating livestock pest

until 1972, that is. "Through no fault of the eradication program but due to weather conditions and numerous other factors, screwworms began their attack early last year," explains Tanhsley. "They attacked with vengeance in all areas of the state and it became a monumental task for officials of the eradications promam to drop sterile screwworm

Stock Show Deadline Is

Bailey County Agent Spencer Tanksley reminds the local youths who want to show livestock in the Bailey County Junior Livestock Show that the deadline for entries is Thurs-

The show will be held in Muleshoe on February 8, 9 and 10. files in sufficient numbers in all the infested areas."

According to Tanhsley, some producers were also lax in reporting infestations to the Screwworm Lab at Mission and in treating infested animals and those with wounds -- prime candi-

dates for the screwworm. The result was a screwworm epidemic in Texas with a total of 90,980 confirmed cases, almost double the previous record set in 1962. Most of those cases occurred in South Texas Counties. Almost 5,000 screwworm cases occurred in eight other states.

In Texas 28 counties had more than 1,000 cases each with Val Verde County leading the pack with 3,003. With 2,000 or more cases were Medina, Kinney, Uvalde, Dewitt and Atascosa counties.

A record number of cases were confirmed in 178 counties. Only nine counties, all in East Texas, escaped the year without a single case. Going into 1972, 10 counties had never reported a screwworm case. At the year's end only four remained with a clean slate since the beginning of the eradication program ----Marion, Newton, Sabine and San Augustine, all in East Texas.

According to the Mission Lab screwworm cases were confirmed during all but three weeks of 1972 -- one in late January and two in mid-February. This indicates how widespread the epidemic was, points out Tanhsley.

"What lavs in store for 1973 as far as the screwworm situation is concerned? That's a crucial question and one that bears careful attention." contends Cont. on Page 3, col. 2

Master of ceremonies was Gil Lamb. Banquet chairman was Clarence Jones and dinner music was provided by Wayland Ethridge.

The 1973 officers installed included Gordon H. "Corky" Green, president; David Sudduth, vice president; and Secretary-treasurer, Doyce Turner.

Directors for 1973 include Max King, Roger Albertson, Derrell Oliver, Kenneth Henry, Charles Bratcher, Gordon Wilson, Douglas Bales, Eugene Howard, Jimmie Crawford and R. A. Bradley.

Retiring officers are R.A. "Brad" Bradley, president, and Clarence Jones, Bill Loyd, Don Rempe and Joe Pat Wagnon. The theme of this year's banquet was "Agriculture---Our Golden Opportunity."

For the first time in the 23 years the banquet has been held. this year an award was presented to the Farm Family of the Year by Chamber Manager Glen King. Receiving the award this year was the W.T. (Ted) Simpson family who farm southwest of Goodland. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson have three children, Sandra, a freshman at Eastern New Mexico University, Dan, 16 a sophomore at Three Way High School; and James, a fifth grader at Three Way.

Simpson farms about 1,000 acres of irrigated with some dry land. His two main crops are grain sorghum and cotton. They Cont. on Page 3, col. 2

Judge Williams Speaks To Rotary Club

Rotary met at noon Tuesday in the XIT Steak House, Guests were Charlie Duval, Ronnie Shafer, Kenneth Henry and student guest Perry Hall.

Morris Nowlin was in charge of the program and he presented Bailey County Judge Glen Williams, Judge Williams spoke on the five year revenue Sharing program. Bailey County has received \$77,250 this year for 1972, Judge Williams reported that for Bailey County to receive Revenue Sharing funds next year, they must submit a plan for the money.

Set For Weekend ***** Farmers Union Trying At Mid-Winter Meet

To Save ASCS Offices

A District II Farmers Union meeting was held in Lubbock on Thursday, January 25. Attending from Bailey County were Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Harlan and fami-

The main speakers at the meeting were Farmers Union State President, Jay Naman of Waco; and Vice President Joe Rankin of Ralls. The topics of discussion were the administration's cuts and eliminations of farm programs. The cuts referred to are: the cut in pay base on cotton of 13 per cent on November 13, 1972; farm storage and dryer loans changed so that the structure size is one half smaller, and raised interest rates on the loans one half per eent on December 11, 1972; cut payments for feed grain approximately 30 per cent on December 13, 1972; eliminated conservation cost-sharing on December 27, 1972; eliminated disas-

County Youths Show Steers Worth

Bailey County youths have returned from the Fort Worth Stock Show this week with several of their steers placing Nicky Bamert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bamert won first place in the middleweight Hereford division with his 960 pound steer. There were 43

steers in this class. In the same class, Brian Kirby placed 15th with his 960 pound Hereford steer and Sherry Claunch placed 25th with her 1000 pound calf.

Nicky Bamert also placed sixth with his heavyweight Charolais steer weight 1130 pounds. His middleweight Charolais placed seventh in its class and weighted 1081 pounds. Keith Claunch placed fifth with his middleweight steer in

the Simmental Class. County Agent Spencer Tanksley reported that he was very pleased with the Bailey County

ter loan program on December 27, 1972; and eliminated REA two per cent Expansion loans, more than doubled interest rates on December 28,1972.

The most pressing point, however, is the elimination of so many ASCS offices. This could be the last year that Muleshoe will have an ASCS office. Whether an office is eligible to remain open or not is determined by how many man-hours of work, and Bailey County does not have quite enough man-hours. Any concerned person can ask the County Committeemen about this, and they will be glad to provide information.

Nolan Harlan, president of the Bailey County Farmers Union reports that "Every citizen in Bailey County that would like to keep the ASCS office should write their congressman and both senators. If our office is saved, this seem: to be the only tool that we ear e. T. ters si jula t as possible as

offices will June. The nam our congressman Mahon, House tives, Washingto C. 20515. The address of the senators are Lowarable Lloyd Bentsen, United States Senate, Washing-

Cont. on Page 3, col. 4 Kegistration **Begins For** Youth B-Ball

Muleshoe Jaycees are sponsoring Youth Basketball again this year. The deadline for registration is February 22 with the first game following on February 23.

This year there will be both girls and boys leagues. Fifth and sixth grade boys and girls will be eligible to play if they are 11 and 12 years old and those who haven't reached the

age of 13 by last September 1. The physical date will be scheduled at a later time. Registration blanks may be picked up at Poynor's White Auto or at Clarence Christian Agriculture Consulting office.

Over 200 Expected

The Muleshoe Lions Club will be host chapter for the Mid-Winter Conference of District 2-T-2 of Lions International. This meeting will be held in Muleshoe at the Muleshoe High School Auditorium and cafeteria on Saturday and Sunday, February 3 and 4, 1973.

A large number of out of town visitors from Lions Clubs in other cities and towns of the district are expected in Mule-

shoe during the conference. The Saturday night banquet program will feature Everett J. (Ebb) Grindstaff, International Director from Ballinger, Texas as speaker and an attendance of 15 is expected. Grindstaff is a 1954 graduate of Baylor University with BBA and LLB Degrees. He is a practicing attorney in law firm Grindstaff and Grindstaff, served as city attorney for Ballinger, Texas since 1957. He is a fellow of the Texas Bar Foundation, on the board of directors State Bar of Texas, director and vice chairman of Upper Colorado River Authority, President of the Industrial

velopment, Inc., of Ballinger, ector of Baylor Law Alumni sociation. He is a past president of Ballinger Jaycees and Chamber of Commerce and has served as District Com-Concho Valley missioner. Council, Boy Scouts of America. In Lionism, he has held most of the offices in the local club including president (1960-61), served in various cabinet offices, District 2A-1, District Governor District 2A-1 (1964-65), Life member, Texas Lions League for Crippled Children, Vice President, Texas Lions Camp (1966-69) President of

the Texas Lions Camp (1969-71). Grindstaff is married, has one son and one daughter. He and his family are members of the First Baptist Church of Bal-

linger. The Sunday noon luncheon speaker will be Sidney J. (Sid) Bernard of Carlsbad, New Mexico, a State Director of Lions International, with a possible

250 people present. Bernard of Carlsbad, N.M., was elected a director of Lions International at the association's 55th annual convention held in Mexico City, Jun 28-July 1. Bernard will ser 'e a two year term on the In rnational Board of Director the association's principal sion making body. In this ca-

pacity, he will devote considerable time to the business affairs of Lions International, and will make official visits to Lions

districts, clubs and projects.
A Lion for 31 years, Director Bernard has held all but one office in his club. He has served as zone chairman, deputy district governor, district governor, chairman of the district governor's council and multiple council secretary. He holds four Extension Awards, the 100 per cent District Governor Award, numerous perfect attendance awards and the President's Certificates of Appreciation for Membership Development.

He is president of Foot Jet, Inc. and Berco Real Estate, Inc. Cont. on Page 3, col. 1





Sidney J. Bernard



JUNIOR HIGH TEAM WINS TROPHIES . . . The Maleshoe Junior High A team girls have won two tournament trophies this season and now have a season record of 10 wins and one loss. Coach Sharon Flowers reports that this has been one of the best seasons in several years for the A team girls. The first place trophies were won at the Muleshoe Tournaand the Springlake tournament. Pictured in the front

row, left to right are Patty Pena, Laira Beene, Mitzi Mar-Sheryl Stovall and Karen Grimsley. Pictured in the back row, left to right, are Sherry Washington, Tanya Burton, Cindy Isaacs, Fran Dunbar, Tammy Bruns, Connie Griffin and Coach Flowers. The girl's next game will be against Olton here Thursday night, tonight.

For Your Information ... Now It's Official ... A Honey of a Story . . . Citrus Harvest Ending on Sweet Note . . . Spring Potato Acreage Declines.

Although the regular 1973 prospective plantings report won't be issued until mid-March, here are the latest preliminary crop acreage estimates for 35 states: Upland cotton plantings are expected to total 12,900,000 acres, down seven percent from 1972. Sorghum growers expect to plant 19,100,000 acres, an increase of 10 percent from a year earlier. Oat planting intentions at 20,300,000 acres are one percent more than 1972. Barley planted acreage is expected to total 10,100,000 acres, one percent less than 1972. Corn growers expect to plant 70,500,000 acres, up seven percent from 1972. Durum wheat plantings are expected be at a new record high of 2,800,000 acres, and nine percent above 1972. Other spring wheat planted acreage at an expected 11,700,000 acres, is up 17 percent from 1972. Soybean plantings are expected to reach a record high of 48,800,000 acres, up five percent above 1972. Flaxseed plantings are indicated at 1,150,000 acres, down three percent from 1972.

EVEN though it's been predicted before, now it's official: 1972 crop production in Texas has exceeded production of 1971 in almost every category.

The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes that production of cotton, grain sorghum, wheat, oats, barley, rye, soybeans, flaxseed, peanuts and sugar beets reached levels significantly above production in 1971.

Corn and rice were the only major crops which fell short of the 1971 production level. Peanuts, corn, grain rg an, a I ha mained record high yields per harvested . while cotto heat, oats, barley, rye, and flaxseed ... r equalled or exceeded yields per acre reached in 1971.

Upland cotton production in Texas is estimated at 4,050,000 bales, almost double that of 1971; grain sorghum production for 1972 is estimated at 319,780,000 bushels, up almost 20,000,000 bushels from 1971; corn production is estimated at 39,560,000 bushels, down slightly from 1971; peanut production is estimated at a record 478,800,000 pounds; soybean production is set at 5,460,000 bushels, almost double 1971; rice production is estimated at 22,122,000 cwt., down about 1,000,000 cwt. from 1971; hay production for 1972 is set at 4,109,000 tons, down slightly from 1971; wheat production at 44,000,000 bushels for 1972 compares with 31,416,000 bushels in 1971; oat production at 9,720,000 bushels compares with only 5,994,000 bushels in 1971.

HONEY production in Texas during 1972 totaled 11,368,000 pounds, up 35 percent from 1971. Average price per pound for all honey in 1972 was 26 cents, which is 8.1 cents above the 1972 average price per pound of 17.9 cents. Total value of honey and beeswax produced in Texas in 1972 is estimated at \$3,090,000 compared with

HARVEST of grapefruit and early and midseason oranges is active in the Rio Grande Valley. Heavy movement of fruit into both fresh market and processing channels is underway. Exports are expected to increase during January and account for a significant percentage of the total fresh market movement.

INTENDED plantings for spring potatoes in Texas for 1973 is down 11 percent from the 1972 crop. Growers intend to plant 7,100 acres this year compared with 8,000

Planting is continuing in the Valley. About 70 percent of the Lower Rio Grande Valley crop will be fresh market reds and the remaining 30 percent will be chipping

Water Inc. MembershipMeeting Scheduled For February

Eight area business, civic and agricultural leaders have been nominated for election as directors -at-large for Water, Inc., at the organization's Sixth Annual Membership Meeting slated Feb. 17 at Amarillo. Announcement of the nomination committee's action was announced in Borger today by Fritz Thomp-

son, committee chairman. Receiving nomination were A. L. Black, Friona; D.G. "Bill" Nelson, Jerome Johnson, Edward G. Weber and K.B. "Tex" Watson, all of Amarillo; John J. Kendrick, Brownfield; Jim Ed Waller, Lubbock; and Bill Clayton, Springlake. Watson and

Kendrick are both former presidents of Water, Inc., Waller is currently serving the organization as treasurer and Clayton, a state representative, recently resigned as Water, Inc., executive director.

Members of the nominating committee headed by Thompson are Lloyd Calhoun, Hobbs, N.M.; Arthur Duggan, Littlefield; Jim Lindsey, Hereford; George Mc-Cleskey, Lubbock; Dean Rea. Tulia; and Bruce Rigler, Plain-

The annual Water, Inc., meeting will be conducted at Amaril-

lo's Villa Inn on I-40 East.

WASHINGTON NOTES

MILLS ON TAX REFORM

Congressman Wilbur D. Mills (D-Ark) predicts there will be a tax reform bill passed this summer. Hearings are expected to begin in late January or early February in which all tax preferences will be review-

GI DIVIDENDS

Veterans retaining their World War I and World War II GI insurance will get a record dividend this year, according to Veterans Administrator Donald E. Johnson. The 3.85 million insurance holders will get an average of \$72, compared to \$68 last

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

Attorney General Richard G. Kleindienst reports the Nixon Administration will submit legislation to Congress this session to reinstate the death penalty on a restrictive basis. The death penalty was ruled as unconstitutional by the Supreme Court last June.

BUTZ ON FARM INCOME

Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz, avoiding comment on the Administration cuts in federal assistance to farmers, predicted farm income in 1973 will not suffer because of the curtailment of a Farmers Home Administration emergency loan in disaster areas.

ON WAR FUNDS CUT

Senate Democrats have voted to support legislation cutting off funds for the Vietnam war. Legislation to cut off funding for military operations in Indochina requirtotal withdrawal of all U.S. forces within 60 days has been introduced.

ON JOB TRAINING

The Labor Department has placed a temporary freeze on new enrollments into most of its job training programs. This is a customary routine of a mid-year review to determine if the program is operating within President Nixon's budget goals.



Despite abnormally extended periods of moisture-laden weather on the Plains this Fall and Winter, as yet there is no reason to believe field-stored cotton in the area has suffered any serious deterioration, according to Donald A. Johnson, Executive Vice President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Grow-

ers, Inc. "Rumors to the contrary notwithstanding," says Johnson, "to our knowledge there are no confirmed reports of rotting or seed sprouting in cotton placed in ricks by rick-compactors in accordance with recommendations.'

The relatively new (in modern times , at least) practice of storing cotton on field turnrows until after the rush season at gins spread rapidly in 1972 following research by Cotton Incorporated which lead to the development of mechanical rick compactors in 1970. CI research has shown that cotton placed in ricks by these machines retains basic quality characteristics far better than cotton left to weather on the

Several "someone said reports of severe deterioration in ricked cotton prompted the PCG staff to survey ginners, producers, cotton technologists and others involved in monitoring field-stored cotton.

"The results, so far, are encouraging,' says Johnson.

No great amount of ricked cotton has been ginned to date. but ginners report that what has been ginned came back from the classing office with grades, staples and micronaire readings comparable to early season ginnings from the same fields.

Dr. Milton Smith, associate professor of industrial engineering at Texas Tech, who did much of the rick compactor development work under a grant from Cotton Incorporated, has placed thermometers invarious ricks around the Plains to check on possible heating. Temperatures have ranged from as low as 20 degrees to around 60 degrees inside the ricks, dependingon outside temperatures for different days.

thermometers Recording placed three feet inside the ricked cotton, he reports, are

Most Texas Wildlife Survive Cold Spell

AUSTIN---- Texas wildlife seemed to fare better than domestic animals during the recent cold wave.

While thousands of Panhandle cattle were dying in the snow and ice, deer, quail and other wildlife appeared to be holding their own.

Some deer in West Texas died from the cold but Parks and Wildlife Department officials call it "natural" winter die-off and not critical.

The western part of the state has had a heavy population of deer this year.

Food conditions have been declining in the past weeks and many whitetails with ribs showing have been reported.

The weak animals died when the snow covered what forage remained.

Few dead quail have been reproted in West Texas. An important from warmer climes, the nutria, took it on the

Nutria were found dead on the San Saba, Colorado and Llano Rivers and around Lake Nas-

worthy near San Angelo. Department information officer W.R. Long of San Angelo ky rodents were killed to be

significant. The deer were hardier in East Texas and available food prevented any noticeable die-offs. Food was still adequate to support the area's quail popula-

It was a different story for game fish in Galveston Bay. Large numbers of sand trout near Texas City and speckled trout and a few redfish in Galveston Harbor were reported stunned and floating on the sur-

Parks and Wildlife Department biologists say that these species are very likely to be affected by sudden cold.

Trout and redfish inhabit shallow water and are more vulnerable to colds. The fish crowd into deep holes during cold spells and the resulting oxygen

deficiency is also fatal to them. Biologists have yet to determine the overall extent of the kill and its effect on fishing this

Farther down the coast near Rockport, department information officer L.D. Nuckles reports that only a few silver perch or yellow tails succumbed to the weather.

In the Hill Country, few deer were killed.

Quail and turkey made it through the three days of ice in North Texas with the help of a good broomweed crop.

Exotic game had a rough time, especially the species from India and Africa. Losses of blackbuck, nilgai

and aoudad are reported in Edwards Plateau ranches. Parks and Wildlife Department biologists are particularly concerned about aoudad losses. The aoudad, or barbary sheep, is from the mountains of North Af-

rica and usually a hardy animal.

These are the first reported The department released some 40 aoudad in the Palo Duro Canyon back in 1957, Wildlife biologist Dick De Arment of Wheeler is investigating the Palo Duro herd but the rugged terrain will delay any assess-

aoudad. In South Texas, some nilgai antelope native to India are reproted dead.

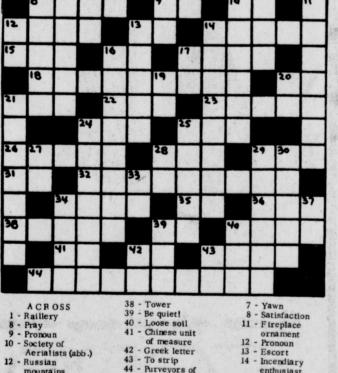
ment of cold-weather damage to

There are few reports of dead

fallow and axis deer. Parks and Wildlife Department biologist E.L. Young of

Waco speculates that exotic losses on ranches are from malnutrition.

The animals do not know how to forage with ice on vegetation.



CROSSWORD . . . By A. C. Gordon

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fairly constant with very little variation between night and

"fit" for harvesting because of excessive rain and snow. daytime readings. This would "Such weather naturally has indicate that the outside layers concerned us all," Johnson of cotton are serving as excelstated, 'but as of now it appears lent insulation and would tend to our field - stored cotton is prevent seed sprouting even in coming through just fine. "And if it turns out there is the unlikely event of exceptionno loss of quality in cotton warm weather for a

A check of weather records reveals that only about 22 out of 76 days between November 10 and January 26 this season were

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CONGRESSMAN

Bob Price

18th Congressional District

This has been a truly historical week in American history. Starting with ceremonies last Saturday to mark the reinauguration of President Nixon for a second term, citizens everywhere were later stunned upon learning of the untimely death of former President Lyndon B. Johnson.

As a member of the Texas Congressional Delegation, it was my solemn privilege to join in leading our Nation in ceremonies at the Capitol rotunda to honor Mr. Johnson for his tireless service to the Nation and to

our State of Texas. It is ironic that President Johnson's death should preceed by one day the marking of another historic event and a cause for which he labored so hard, the announcement of a ceasefire in the Vietnam War, Americans everywhere have been greatly relieved to hear this long-sought news, and we can be thankful to both Presidents Nixon and Johnson that they showed great strength and determination to achieve an honorable peace. Perhaps the best news of all is that the waiting and anxiety of the brave families and friends of our Prisoners of War-Missing in Action will soon be at an end.

The legislative activities of the 93rd Congress continued at a fast pace throughout the week. While agreeing in principle with the President's efforts to hold down Federal spending, after much study and several conferences with the Secretary of Agriculture and other Members of Congress, I introduced a bill to reinstate the Rural Environmental Assistance Program which has proven over the years to be of great benefit not only to agriculture, but also to the

soil conservation.

communities across the Nation this winter.

1. How old will President Nixon be on January 9th? 2. What are the designated

for January? ed in California?

When was the first national election held?

Britain? How many U.S. flags have

7. Name the first man to set foot on the moon? 8. When did this first man-

1. Sixty.

garnet.

3. January 24, 1848. January 7, 1789. 94,000 square miles.

Armstrong.

8. July 20, 1969.

Nation in the areas of water and

ricked on the turnrow under

these adverse conditions,' he

concluded, ' the system will

have pretty well proved itself."

With the energy situation in our country becoming more critical daily, I further submitted a bill similar to one I introduced last year to establish a Council on Energy Policy. It is my hope that the Congress will act quickly on this legislation in order to establish a means to systematicall arrive at solutions to the fuel shortage crisis which has crippled

MHO KNOWS

flower and precious stone

3. When was gold discover-

5. What is the area of Great

been placed on the moon?

ned landing take place? 9. Who invented the bifocal

Answers to Who Knows

2. Flower, carnation; stone,

7. U.S. astronaut Neil A.

Benjamin Franklin, in

Once it was a simple word, describing a condition that was not the exception but the rule in the history of this nation's dealings with the rest of the world. Now it is a dream, a goal that some no longer can believe is really possible. The all-too-brief interludes between shooting wars during the past quarter-century have hardly deserved the name of "peace." They have been more like timeouts, pauses between one phase of conflict and another.

GUEST EDITORIAL

PEACE

That may explain why, in the wake or the President's announcement Tuesday night, there was none of the vaulting joy, the feeling of a tasks completed, the exhilaration that burst from the country in November, 1918 and in August, 1945.

The headlines of those great days trumpeted the word with exclamation points and every newspaper's largest type: "PEACE!" Americans could believe then that they had finished the war to end war, made the world safe for democracy, cleared the way for mankind's progress into the sunny uplands of that longed-for paradise, "the post-war era."

NO MORE. Wednesday's issue of The News bore the story of the peace announcement under smaller type, its headlines giving details peace announcement under smaller type, its headlines giving details, conditions, specifics. Experience has taught Americans, the hard way, that the details of the settlement are crucially important. We do not deafen ourselves with our own cheers. We have learned to ask questions.

Because in the past we thought that we had completed our task when the final gun sounded, the war that was supposed to end war did not. The war that we believed would make the world safe for democracy did not. The era that was postwar for one conflict turned out to be prewar for the next one.

Now out happiness, though real, is also tempered with realism. We have hopes, but not delusions.

The settlement apparently means that the last American troops will come home, the POWs will be restored to their families --- every American can rejoice for them, share in their relief, applaud thei The U.S. has seemingly accomplished what it set out to do in Viet-

nam. The President has said that his conditions for peace with honor were met in the agreement. BUT WE cannot convince ourselves so quickly this time that the great effort, the terrible cost, has made the world or even South

Vietnam truly and permanently safe for democracy. We have learned that safety, like peace, is not produced automatically by the signing We want peace, true peace, lasting peace. We want an enduring peace that will let us and every other people live productive lives.

under the system preferred by those governed. But we know now that that sort of peace is not handed to us by diplomats. It is not guaranteed by the awesom sacrifice of those who have served us so faithfully for so long in this war. That sort of peace must be worked for, maintained, reinforced and protected, Building that sort of peace will require of us -- all of us -- more intelligence, more sense of purpose, more dedication than any war we

And as the President said, "we must recognize that ending the war is only the first step" in that task.

As a nation, we are older than we were at the end of the wars in 1945 and in 1918. God grant that we will also be wiser in securing the

George Wallace, Alabama Governor:

"I have no regrets. I have no bitterness, no bitterness against the man who shot me. I have forgiven him."

Leonid L. Brezhnev, Soviet Party Leader, on troop cut in Europe:

"We are striving to

cleanse the soil of Europe

of the debris of the past.'

stroys." Kurt H. Debus, Director of the Kennedy Space Cen-

Richard Nixon, President:

"The election returns are

a demonstration of a national

desire for change-change

that builds rather than de-

"I think that we will have here a major terminal for outgoing and incoming space

Congratulations MULESHOE MOTOR CO.

On Their Modern New Facilities

We are proud that Muleshoe Motor Co. has gas heating and air conditioning



in their new building

PIONEER NATURAL GAS COMPANY

Lactation Or Grass Tetany Occurring In Beef Cattle

of the year when lactation or grass tetany is commonly found in beef cattle, according to Dr. Randall Grooms, area livestock specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Lactation tetany is a disease brought about by nutritional stress and can be prevented by management and nutrition. The disease is particularly prevalent if cattle are grazing lush winter pastures such as ryegrass or small grain, but has also been diagnosed in cattle grazing dead bermuda grass or being fed hay. The disease is more prevalent if pastures have received high rates of fertilizer, particularly large applications of chicken lit-

Lactation tetany is most common in cows with young calves, but may affect cows prior to calving. It may also appear in young cattle grazing pastures which have mineral imbalances. The disease most commonly occurs in cows that are more than five years of age, two to six weeks after calving, on cool cloudy days or after a drastic change in the weather.

Symptoms include trembling. staggering, extreme nervousness, convulsions, falling or coma. If the animal stays down more than 12 hours, death is al-most ce. Frequently, the animal if found dead without any symptons being observed.

Much research has been done

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Follow-

ing article appeared in the

Plainview Time Herald and was

The memorial service for

even standing room. The mon-

ument she built for herself was

daily caring about little things.

free and simple. She cared for

her short red hair when she

was a young woman and she

continued the habit when her

hair turned white. The style

of her dresses didn't change

much or the length. She had

more important things to think

Bernard attended New Mexico

A&M State College and is a

Lions ...

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World War II veteran.

Knights of Columbus.

Saturday, registration will

begin at 3 p.m. followed by a

cabinet meeting at 4. A Ladies

Tour will be conducted by the

Muleshoe Art Association from

4-6 p.m. The banquet will be

held at 7:30 with a choral group

providing special entertain-

On Sunday there will be a

business session at 9 a.m. which

will adjourn for church services

The conference luncheon will

ge at 12:15 followed by the final

business session at 1:15 p.m.

J.W. Coppedge is president

of the local Muleshoe Lions

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of the individuals choice.

daughters.

ing event:

Aunt Eliza's life style was

written by Bettye Givens.)

OVERTON -- This is the time on the disease. It is thought that the mechanism by which the disease is triggered involves extremely high levels of potassium in the plant which interferes with

magnesium absorption. Magnesium is an important catalyst in the metabolic functions of the animal's system. When magnesium is no available, the system for producting energy is blocked. Lush green plants are high in potassium and generally low in magnesium. Even though the plant may have adequate magnesium to meet the animal's requirements, the high level of potassium can inhibit the absorption and metabolism of this magnesium. Applications of dolmetic limestone or limestone high in magnesium have not been effective in controlling this disease.

Several methods are available for controlling lactation tetany, The main idea is to get one to two ounces of magnesium oxide into each cow each day. This can be accomplished by using grain or mineral supplements containing high levels of magnesium. Numerous commercial supplements containing high levels of

magnesium are available. 'A mix that has been successfully used for cattle on winter pasture consists of equal parts salt, cottonsead meal, bone meal and magnesium oxide." Grooms recommends. Animals will normally eat about four ounces of this mix per head per day, thus obtaining the one ounce of mag-Aunt Eliza Had

she devoted more of her time

to sewing. The yard was the

main source of her work.

Frank, the handy man, helped

with the work from cleaning

nesium oxide. "Animals will not on winter pasure, but receiving only hay and dry standing bermudagrass, should receive the same mineral mix with one part sodium tripolyphosphate

added." Grooms said. The mix should be fed from November through April, Care should be given that animals receive the mix for at least two weeks prior to being turned on winter pasture.

The herd should be checked often and if symptoms are observed, immediate veterinary treatment is necessary to save the animals.

And Frame

Even when a gal is pretty as a picture most fellows like to take a peek at the

-Bulletin, Great Lakes, Ill.

Good Advice

The wise man doesn't expect to find life worth living; he makes it that way. -Grit.

Adamant

Some minds are like concrete-all mixed up and permanently set.

-Herald, Altoona, Ia.

Definition Cranberries: Grapes with high blood pressure. News, McAlester, Okla.

Aunt Eliza often paused and un-

tied her bonnet and looked about

the garden. Green grapes hung

from the white walls of the

small white latticed structure.

the way to the pen of the baby

colt and all the way grew flow-

ers and trees. There were lit-

tle pools of water and big

pools of water. Huge rubarb

plants grew next to the hen

house fence. Aunt Eliza talked

to the rhubarb as she fed the

tiny plants ready to be trans-

planted the minute the wea-

ther turned warm. Tucked in the corner of the garden was

the cellar. It wore a ginger

bread cover made of tiny white

rocks. You never saw a snake

or a mouse in the cellar, al-

though it did have an odor of

old quilts. The quilts were

clean. The cellar was an ex-

cellent place for children to

hide because no one thought of

same day as Harry S. Truman.

great? Maybe, if greatness is

taking care of daily tasks in

It's much better, a lot

easier and less expensive,

to keep your health than to

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a happy unselfish way.

Aunt Eliza was buried on the

Would you call Aunt Eliza

looking there.

regain it.

In the winter a hot house held

chickens.

Duroc Sale Slated In Plainview Feb. 23

PLAINVIEW --- The leading Duroc hog sale of the nation is The two-day meeting, scheslated here February 23-24, acduled at the Hale County Agricording to Area Swine Specultural Center, ranks among cialist, Dr. Gilbert Hollis of the the nation's leading sales of Du-Texas Agricultural Extension roc swine, says Hollis, who Service at Lubbock. works with swine producers, breeders and organizations on

the Texas High Plains.

"All the breeders partici-

pating will bring the best of their

herds to the winter-type Con-

gress and sale," says Hollis,

brackets are still top hogs for

producers to consider for pur-

chase. Consignors will have

top competition because some of

the nation's leading breeders

be Howard Parrish of Edon, Ohio

and Butch Young of Stillwater,

Oklahoma R.N. Perry, noted

swine judge from Bethel, Mis-

Entries will be accepted on

February 22, with judging of

barrows and gilts getting under

way at 8 a.m. the next day. Jun-

ior open gilts, senior open gilts,

junior boars and senior boars

will be judged in order. Over

\$6,000 in premiums will be

awarded. Trophies will be do-

nated by the Plainview Chamber

A banquet and business meet-

The sale of open gilts and

boars will start the next day's

In judging, this year pro-

gram will feature perfor ace

ing will be at 7 p.m. February 23

of Commerce.

at the Holiday Inn.

activities at 9 a.m.

souri, will serve as judge.

Auctioneering the event will

have been consigned.'

but even the hogs in lower

The 17th annual National and Southwestern Duroc Winter Type Congress is expected to draw more than 100 consignors and breeders from 20 states with a slate of 30 bred gilts, 150 open gilts and 150 boars on tap

Services Held For Former Area Resident

Funeral services for William Harvey Rutherford of Route 1. Hamilton, were held Friday, January 5, at 2 p.m. in Park Heights Church of Christ with ministers John Lowery and Herman Beauchamp officiating. Burial was in Long Creek Cemetery in Granbury with Riley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Following and illness of several months, Rutherford died in Hamilton County General Hospital on January 4.

Hamilton and his family were former residents of Muleshoe. The son of the late Harvey Rutherford and Margaret Ida Hudson Rutherford, he was born in Milford, Ellis County, Texas March 25, 1898, He was married to Annie Christine McDonald in Wingate, Texas on April 30, 1924. Rutherford had resided in Hamilton County for the past 11 years and was engaged in farming and trucking. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Harry Marshall Rutherford of Marble Falls; a daughter, Mrs. Billie Maxine Parkinson of Granbury; a sister, Mrs. Mary Anna Speer of Grapevine; five grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Union...

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ton, D.C. and the Honorable John G. Tower, United States Senate, Washington."

The ASC office is an asset to Muleshoe and Bailey County for convenience to the farmers and also the payroll that comes into

Muleshoe. There will be a meeting of the Bailey County Farmers Union on Thursday, February 1, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Watson of the Baileyboro community. All members are urged to attend this import ant meeting as well as any interested citizen of this county who would like to keep the ASC office in Muleshoe.

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adjusted backfat, adjusted loineye area, and produced hamloin percent. All boars and gilts will be weighed and adjusted to days of age at 220 pounds, and will have their average daily gain painted on the rump, Lanny Tucker of Hart, Texas is president of the Southwestern

Duroc Breeders Association which sponsors the annual event. Joe Tarter of Lazbuddie. Texas is vice-president and Waylor R. Carroll, Lubbock, is secretary-treasurer.

One of the hardest jobs of reconversion is making a school pupil out of a vacationer.

Hardest

-Herald, Boston.

Much Things would be a lot nicer if people would be more ready to pat a fellow on the back instead of punching him on the nose.

Too Absorbed Somepeople are like blotters. They soak everything

-Telegraph, Sidney, Neb.

in, but get it all backward. -Tribune, Chicago.

They Should When they change the football rules they should do something to prevent an upset from being inevitable. -Tribune, Oakland,

*********** The Sandhills Philosopher

Editor's note: The Sandhill fore long all packaged or canned Philosopher on his Johnson or jarred foods will carry a grass farm seems to be fighting off standardization, and in his case he may be winning. Dear editar:

In line with what I have figured out is the new U.S. Postal Service's motto: "Neither rain nor sleet no snow nor gloom of dissatisfied customers shall keep us from showing a profit," the Postmaster General has proposed plans for charging extra for any envelope that's not standard size. As he explains it, odd-size

envelopes won't go through the automated canceling machines. so people ought to pay extra for mailing such things as tiny birth announcements, square wedding announcements, oversize Christmas cards, etc. He figures half the people will go on using the off-size envelopes and the postal service can pick up an extra 100 million dollars a year this way.

This makes sense, but he shouldn't stop there. Not only Yours faithfully, should all envelopes be the same J.A. size, the contents of all letters ought to be the same. That way, it wouldn't make any difference whether your mail arrived a week late or never at all. Be the best way on earth to cut out all this complaining about lousy mail service.

Speaking of standardizing things, I understand that belabel telling exactly what's inside, how much fat, how many calories, carbohydrates, protein, etc., and also include the serving size and the number

of servings per container. As far as I know this is a fine thing, I guess if a man can't depend on his taste buds to tell him what to eat he ought to gather up the labels, get a slide rule and figure out what he's going to have for dinner, but it's that part about telling the number of servings each can contains that's going to run

into trouble. Servings for whom? If for a 12-year-old boy who got a football for Christmas, forget the label and start emptying cans into a dishpan till you get it

about half full. Washington may be trying to standardize this country but it's going to be a job. There are just too many people who won't stand still.

Too many people work themselves to death, in an

The theory of never saying "no" to children leaves us a bit cold.

effort to retire.

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out the hen house to washing Eliza Damron was in the church Behind the Gazebo you could see at Circle Back. Circle Back the dishes. the milk house and behind the is about a half mile from where The first thing every morncool clean structure of the milk she and Walter lived most of ing Aunt Eliza put on her bonnet house was the hen house and their married life, where their and out to the garden she went near by was a pen that conthree children grew up. The to hoe the rubarb. tained a baby colt. little church was packed, not A rock lined path took you all

Lily ponds and rock-lined walks made an adventure of a stroll in Aunt Eliza's yard. Out the back door, if you followed the walk and the flower beds, you came upon the Gazebo. Here

Review ...

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Tanhsley. "Hotspotting" with sterile In her younger days the yard screwworm files is underway in took most of her time and later the pest's overwintering areas of South Texas and Northern Mexico. The recent cold weather that extended deep into South Texas should kill most of the overwintering pests. With the return of warm weather, screwworm eradication program officials will be better able to asses the situation.

A key member of Lions, Bernard is chairman of the board "The main point for livestock and past president of the New producers to remember is to Mexico Food Dealers Associakeep a close watch on all their tion; past president of the animals and to treat any wounds Carlsbad Chapter of the Amerand report worm samples to the ican Red Cross; and is a mem-Mission Lab. A close check ber of the Chamber of Comshould especially be kept on merce, American Legion and newly born calves, lambs and kids since the navels of these He and his wife, La Verne, are young animals are prime tarthe parents of two married gets for the screwworm fly, Reporting of all cases is vital to The following program athe effectiveness of the eradicagenda items will outline some tion program this year,' emof the activities of this upcom-

phasizes Tanhsley. "The cooperation of all livestock owners is needed if the battle against the screwworm is to be won," says Tanhsley. "Let's work together so that we won't have a repeat of 1972,"

Chamber...

Cont. from Page 1 have been farming this place for

about 15 years. This award was co-sponsored by the chamber and the following local implement dealers: Muleshoe Ford Tractor, Muleshoe Implement Company, Barry and Young, Whitt, Watt, and Rempe, Wooley and Harst, and

Fry and Cox. The Simpsons were chosen from a field of 12 with the following guidelines considered: the family had to live on the farm; the family had to make its entire income from the farm: the family had to have children of the right age so that they could help on the farm; and the family could rent or own their own



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ELLO WILBER, THIS IS WILMA TILL INSURED WITH POOL INS



ESA ROYALTY . . . Royalty at the District IX meeting of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority Sunday afternoon are, from left, Mrs. Jerry Caswell, first runner-up; Mrs. Gary Smith, 1972 queen; Mrs. Karen Sanderson of Tulia, 1973 queen; and Mrs. Nancy Davis of Sudan, second runner-up.

joys getting into drawers, furn-

ish him one of his own. By di-

verting his behavior through a

substitute, reprimands will di-

ity and your expectations.

--- Consider the child's abil-

"Match expectations to his

current abilities. After all, it

takes time for a toddler to

eat without creating some

-- Have more ''do's' and few-

"Use the positive approach --

it works wonders with young-

sters . Indicate what to do, not

the sofa this minute, "try" Let's

see how high you can jump on

given, follow it through, "Miss

Fleischer emphasized. "Other-

wise, the child will stop paying

--- Change the environment to

"Three tools are anticipation.

diversion and substitution. For

example, in order to get a todd-

ler to the bathroom, ask him to

Whispering often adds a

Although a child definitely

needs limits, balance them--

and impose only those neces-

sary, the specialist said.

achieve desired behavior.

'Go find the soap.'

magical effect."

MOSCOW TO **MOSCOW**

America's wheat is making a historic turnaround

--Set limits.

Instead of "Quit jumping on

'Once a command has been

minish.'

er 'don'ts."

what not to,"

the floor."

Channel Childrens Actions To Avoid "Head-On" Clashes

COLLEGE STATION -- Avoid "head-on" clashes with children by channeling actions. Many problems can be short-circuited if imagination is used and outlets provided for feelings, according to one authority.

"Instead of punishing a child consider letting him take the consequences instead."

This advice comes from Jane Fleischer, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University.

"For example, if he hits another child, going without companionship tells him what his be-

havior accomplished. "If he insists on running through mud puddles without boots, staying inside while his shoes dry is more effective than scolding," she contended.

Miss Fleischer was quick to point out that this method isn't always easy on parents.

"It may be quicker, easier and neater to do many things yourself, but the goal is to give the child responsibility for his own behavior.'

According to the specialist, six guidelines encourage the "positive" approach to living

with children. --- Give commands in line with a child's nature

"Commands often interfere with a toddler's natural curiosity, exploration, sense of adventure and perpetual motion.

eficial -- at least the child knows where he stands. "For example, if the child en-

"However, limits shouldn't be considered restraints, but channels for normal behavior.

"A reasonable number is ben-

"A youngster needs things he can touch and places he can go, as well as those he shouldn't.' In general, a child can't always control his own impulses. He may vary from great independence.

"Protect him from real harm, but not to the point he becomes upset over minor hurts.

"When setting limits, don't tear the child down," Miss Fleischer stressed. "Give love and praise generously." --Show your love.

From the time they're infants, talk things over with children, Sing to them, read stories and recite nursery rhymes.

"Show they're respected as persons," she added. 'In addition, indicate your

love for others. The concept of sharing and taking turns is often difficult for small children to accept.

"Thus, sharing should be on terms they understand--such as the counting technique. An example of this is letting each child bounce on the horse for a count of 25. "Young children seem to un-

derstand this is fair," Miss Fleisher concluded.

For a quick bathroom cleanup, pour rubbing alcohol on a tissue and wipe the mirror, chrome handles, wash basin and toilet fixtures in that order.

covered hoppers are now being

completed to give Santa Fe 11,000

of these giant cars to help move

export wheat to Russia

ESA District Queen Crowned

lia was crowned Epsilon Sigma Alpha District IX Beauty Queen by Mrs. Gary Smith of Muleshoe, 1972 queen, Sunday afternoon at the fellowship hall of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe. Named first runners up was Mrs. Jerry Caswell of Muleshoe. Second runner-up was Mrs. Nancy Davis of Sudan.

Other contestants for the title were Mrs. Frances Rucker of Denver City, Mrs. Paula Simms of Lubbock, and Mrs. Shirley Blackburn of Friona.

Judges were Mrs. Glen Bell. co-owner of Queens and Teens

Journal Seeks Club News

Has your club performed an unusual service, started a dramatically successful benefit or developed a project that filled a civic need? Organization reporters should ask themselves if there is an activity other clubs and other communities might like to learn about. If the answer is a strong, yes, there may be a story for the Journal.

The feature story needs the same WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY and HOW of a news release. The HOW of this kind of publicity has great im-

portance. Collect the most dramatic facts, organize them well and bring them to the society reporter. The greater number of people the story is likely to interest, the better the chance of attracting the reporter's interest.

Don't be afraid to suggest feature ideas. The editor may decide to play it up differently than you suggest. He knows his readers. Be grateful the club's activity will enjoy this special publicity boost.

Newspapers will sometimes support worthy organization projects in the form of an editorial in addition to features.

If any organization is engaged in a project that will benefit the civic, social, educational, recreational or spiritual life of the whole community, the president, reporter, member or any other interested parties may submit the project's merits. If it is in line with the newspaper policy and when there is space for it, after all information is submitted, the news article or feature will be appreciated by both the paper and it's readers as a special, newsworthy project of interest to many.

Mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. Edwin Cox of Muleshoe. Mrs. Paul Wilbanks, chairman of the district meeting, welcomed the 60 ESA members from Denver City, Friona, Lubbock, Muleshoe, Plainview, Sudan and Tulia.

Mrs. Mike Miller of Muleshoe, a rushee of the Epsilon Chi Chapter, won the ways and Means prize.

The next District IX meeting will be April 1 in Plainview and officers will be elected and in-

Refreshments of pecan pie,

nuts, Valentine candy and drinks

Mrs. Minnie Dunn, Mrs. Vera

Mrs. C.D. Hoover and two vis-

The next meeting will be in

February with Mrs. Minnie

Sherel Hardage.

Dunn as hostess.

Progressive Homes Club Has January Meeting grandmother had made.

The Progressive Homes Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Black on Wednesday, January 24. Roll call was answered with household hints. Club members decided to

Bell, Clovis area farmer; Mrs.

Larry Smith, manager of the

arts and crafts department of

Triangle Builders of Clovis; and

Larry Smith of the engineering

department of the Santa Fe Rail-

keep their Girlstown project for the coming year. Mrs. Black showed the members how to make broomstick

chochet and a quilt of the Broken Wheel pattern that her Cooking Cookies Participate

The Cooking Cookies are six

4-H Club girls, nine to ll years

of age, who are participating in

their first cooking project. The

project leaders are Mrs. Joe

Rhodes and Mrs. Jimmie Car-

penter. The junior leader is

and have selected their group

name, made a recipe book, and

discussed nutritional value of

the four food groups. They have

also exchanged simple recipes

and learned the correct proce-

dure of measuring and mixing

chocolate chip cookies as dem-

onstrated to them by Miss Car-

penter. Each one of the girls

was included in the program, if

only to grease a pan or light the

To conclude their meeting, the

The 4-H'ers have met twice

Joie Carpenter.

In First Foods Project girls had refreshments of hot chocolatechip cookies and a milk drink that they prepared.

Members present were Starla Black, Sharon Carpenter, Sheryl Dunlap, Lavon Rhodes, Keva Roming and Delia Shaw.

A small picture frame around a cardboard lined with black velvet to display pins and broaches will make an attractive gift for a child to give grandmother.

Using a creme rinse after every shampoo will cut down on electricity and make your hair more manageable during winter months.



A baby shower was held in the community room of the Muleshoe State Bank on Friday night, January 26, honoring Mrs. Alton Parker and son, Damon Lee. Da-

mon Lee was not present for the shower as he was released from the hospital on Friday.

The serving table, covere in with a yellow and white checked cloth, was centered with a yellow hunny-bear holding a yellow and white umbrella and yellow candles. White cake with pink icing booties and punch were served from crystal and silver appointments. Mints and nuts in miniature net diapers completed the table decor.

Mrs. Willard Parker of Hereford was among the 20 guests at-

The hostess gift was a play-

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Ronnie Garner, Mrs. Ronald Patton, Mrs. J.O. Parker, Mrs. Verly Vernon, Mrs. Lonnie Merriott, Mrs. D.L. Vernon, and Cassie Moxon.

Market Keport

COLLEGE STATION --- Beef prices show signs of rising, due in part to recent adverse weather conditions, according to Mrs. Qwendolyne Clyatt.

The consumer marketing specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University, added that "most meat departments feature various cuts of beef at special prices, so check for family preferences." Best beef values will appear

round steaks and roasts, and ground beef. Retail pork prices remainthe

same at the higher level, the specialist reported. "Look for best pork values on hams, picnics, end cut loin

roasts and chops, and shoulder roasts and steaks. "Fryer chickens are still in good supply, although prices have increased a bit. In many markets thrifty price tags go

with whole and cut-up pirds and fryer parts. "Egg prices are higher than a year ago, but continue to be an economical protein choice. Large-size eggs remain the

best value by weight." Fresh fruits and vegetables in good supply at the most reasonable prices include apples, oranges, grapefruit, bananas, potatoes, yellow onions, turnips, carrots, sweet potatoes, cabbage and hard shell squash.

Also eggplants, broccoli and cauliflower remain at moderate price levels for menu variety. ****

We've been told teeth that have been knocked out can now be replanted. There are. however, some "ifs." Ask your dentist for details.

ITCHING TO START STICHING? Anxious to get started on that new spring wardrobe? Let Dots Help many fabricscolors to choose

from.

were served by the hostess to Engelking, Mrs. Willie Strong, itors, Mrs. L.O. Norwood and

COOKING COOKIES . . . The 4-H Club members of the Cooking Cookies foods group watch as their junior leader demonstrates measuring and mixing chocolate chip cookies. Pictured, from left, are Joie Carpenter, junior leader; and members, Delia Shaw, Starla Black, Keva Roming, Sheryl Dunlap, Sharon Carpenter and Lavon Rhodes,

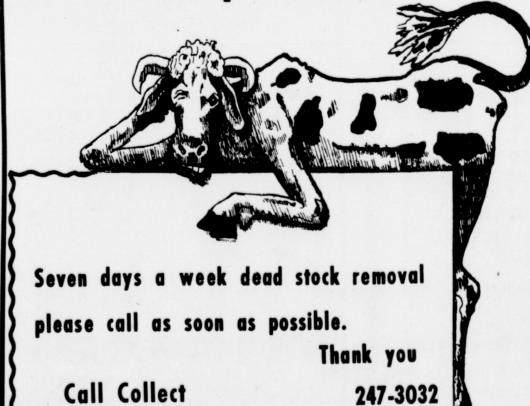
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The history of wheat on the Santa Fe started back in the 1870's. At that time, the railway sent representatives to Europe with a view in mind of winning settlers to Kansas. Through their efforts, the Mennonites emigrated from Russia in 1874 and brought with them a few sacks of wheat-red wheat-that thrived and transformed the Midwest and parts of the Southwest into the breadbasket of the world. Today, one of the cities not far from the center of the wheat belt on the Santa Fe, carries the name of Moscow, Kansas. Now, the same type of wheat brought to America by the Mennonites from Russia is going back.

It is part of the 400 million bushels of wheat being sold to the Soviet Union. Santa Fe's giant hopper cars are moving it. The company that helped bring wheat to this country is now moving it out, 100 years later.

From Moscow and all across Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas to Moscow and the vast areas of Russia. Quite a historic turnaround.

Moving huge volumes of wheat requires coordination and cooperation

"Export movements require the greatest teamwork between railroads, port authorities and exporters in the scheduling of railroad shipments to coordinate with the movement of sea-going vessels. The current wheat export program puts this teamwork to the test, and the Santa Fe is prepared to work closely with its customers to handle this transportation challenge

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Kim Small, Service; Gwen

Reeder, Confidential Observer:

Denise Reeder, Outer Observ-

er; LaShelle Lewis, musician;

and Terri Durbin, choir direc-

Special guests introduced

were Miss Cowan's parents her

grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Lee; and her aunts and un-

cle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane and

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kerr

were presented a silver tray by

the Rainbow Assembly for their

17 years of work with the Rain-

A Rainbow Altar Bible was

presented to the Assembly by

Gayla Hooten. The Bible had

been given to her by her grand-

parents as a momento of her

The flower was presented by

Members of the Rainbow Ad-

visory Board are James Jen-

nings, Jim Small, Lee Dunbar,

Mrs. Harold Cowan, Mrs. Bob-

by G. Free, Mrs. Wayne La-

Grone, Mrs. Glen Lust, Mr.

and Mrs. Curby Brantley, Mr.

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Beverly McCamish and the

Rainbow girls. Mrs Fred Up-

hoff gave the benediction.

Pauline Todd.

bow girls.

term of office.

Kim Cowan Installed As

the melody of the lyre. For thou,

O Lord, hast made meglad by

thy work; at the works of thy

She dedicated her term of of-

The invocation was given by

Mrs. Fred Uphoff. The instal-

ling officers were presented by

Mrs. Bobby Free. They were

Gayla Hooten, installing Officer; Tracy Cowan, Marshal;

Mrs. Fred Uphoff, Chaplain;

Debbie Kerr, recorder and Mrs.

Special music was provided

The officers to be installed

were escorted by the DeMolays.

Best quality pears are usually

picked at a mature stage--but

before they have a chance to

color and soften. Pears left

on the tree to ripen are often

In addition, pears picked while

still hard will experience less

damage on the way to market.

Only ripe pears should be re-

So there will be some at peak

in flavor, have some ripening in

a fruit bowl and more ripe and

ready to eat in the refrigerator.

Although one variety or ano-

ther is usually available at the

market. Bartletts are the first

to appear in the fall, she added.

WHERE YOU ALWAYS BUY THE BEST FOR LESS"

grainy and poor in quality.

frigerated, the agent said.

Installed were Kim Cowan.

Wayne La Grone, Musician.

hands I sing for joy".

fice to her parents.

by Debbie Kerr.

stalled as Worthy Advisor of the

Muleshoe Assembly No. 161, Or-

der of the Rainbow for Girls, at

an installation service held Sat-

urday, January 27, at 7:30 p.m.

Miss Cowan, a junior at Mule-shoe High School, is the daught-

er of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cow-

Her theme was "Praising God

Through Music'; Her symbol, the harp; her colors, shades of

purple; and her flower the iris.

For her scripture, she chose

Psalms 92: 1-4: "It is good to

give thanks to the Lord, to sing

praises to thy name, O Most

High; to declare thy steadfast

love in the morning, and thy

faithfulness by night, to the mu-

Thanks to the difference in

harvest dates and improved

methods of packaging, fresh

pears are available almost any

Mrs. Robin Taylor, county Extension agent, pointed out that

pears are good for everyone----

portant amounts of essential vit-

ving this fruit is in fresh form.

Because of this, pears are ideal

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amins and minerals.

from the dieter to school chil-

time of the year.

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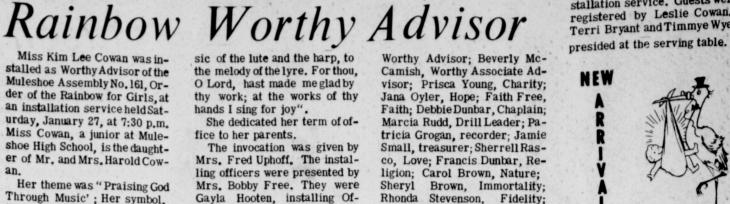
Necessary Nutrition



Mr. and Mrs. Billy Torbett are the parents of a baby girl born January 19 at 5:11 p.m. in Odessa Medical Center Hospital. She weighed seven pounds seven ounces and was named Misti Yvonne, Misti Yvonne has one sister, Kristi Lynn, who is

Mrs. Bobby Burris and Mrs. Les Spears, all of Muleshoe, and Bill Torbett of Monahans.

Without looking up from his stamp book, the young collector answered promptly: "Two pages in front of



Misti Yvonne Torbett

two years old. Grandparents are Mr. and

Educational

"Yes, stamp collecting is educational," said the fond mother to the visitor. "For instance, where is Hungary,

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A History Of Bailey County

PRESENT DAY CITIZENS . . . Present day citizens pictured

in an earlier day are, back row, 1. to r., D.E. McKendree,

Ray Griffiths and Mrs. Griffiths; front .ow, 1. to r., Clifton,

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griffiths

Ray Griffiths was born January 2, 1895, in Douglas County, Miss-

ouri. Griffiths and his family moved to Muleshoe on February 5,

1921, from San Jon, N.M. The triptook 24 hours in a Model T Ford.
The family arrived in Muleshoe on Saturday evening about 5 p.m.

Cash Ramey of Clovis has called Griffiths to come to Muleshoe to

take over the elevator for two weeks. Upon arrival, the family

Mrs. Griffiths recalls there were only about a dozen families in Muleshoe and everyone visited and enjoyed being together.

Griffiths married the former Hattie Freeman on September 28, 1917, in Hereford. Mrs. Griffiths was born in Wilbarger County.

Mrs. Griffiths remembers that in 1924 the buffalognats were so bad that everyone who came to town had to wear head and face covers. "One Thanksgiving in the early 1920's, we had a sandstorm so bad, it was dark. We had to light the lamps," she said. Griffiths, a grain dealer by profession, was one of the first city commissioners. A member of the First Baptist Church, he has

served as a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He has served on

the school board and as a director of the Muleshoe State Bank,

The Griffiths are the parents of four children, Mrs. E.W. (Eunice) Evans, Clifton Griffiths, Mrs. Hattie Ray Jones and Herbert Grif-

The Griffiths related, "Bailey County and the people have been

good to us and we believe the finest folk to be found anywhere are

PLASTIC IRRIGATION PIPE

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found there were no inotels. They stayed in the old Gupton Hotel

Pioneer Families

shoe visited in the home of Mrs.

E.N. McCall and other friends in

Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw

drove to Littlefield Friday af-

ternoon to visit Clyde Price at

Charlie Byars was admitted to

Those visiting the ClydePric-

es and Charile Byarses at the

Littlefield Hospital were the W.

M. Bryants, the J.D. Baylsses,

the Littlefield hospital Sunday

the Littlefield Hospital.

Baptist Church.

Enochs News By Mrs. J.D Bayloss

Clyde Price was admitted to the Littlefield hospital Fiday morning. He was transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Sunday night.

Mrs. W.B. Peterson was in Lubbock Friday to visither sister, Mrs. Martha Leake, at the University Hospital where she underwent surgery last week.

Mrs. Elliott, mother of Dub Elliott, is a patient in the Littlefield Hospital.

Mrs. Blanche Cash of Mule-

Hattie Ray and Eunice Griffiths.

fiths, all of Muleshoe.

found in Muleshoe and Bailey County,"

Dunbar.

the community Thursday. Visiting in the home of the Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Rwdenw John Gunters Sunday were their and children of Lubbock visited sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter Jr. and family, and Byrum Gunher parents, the E.N. McCalls over the weekend and attended ter, all of Muleshoe. church Sunday morning at the

Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton and Mr. and Mrs. A.P. Fred and family of Enochs and F.L. Fred of Morton all attended the funerla services of the Freds brother, Nolan Fred at 2 p.m. Monday, Jan. 22, at the Baptist Church at Petersburg.

The title of the program was "Living Faith' for The Baptist Men's Day Sunday at the Enoc Church. Chester Petree ws in charge of the song service. The men and boys sang in the choir. E.N. McCall read the Church History. Scripture reading and his testimony was given by Jerry Nichols, and Corkey Long gave his testimony and Scripture

reading. Special music was by J.D. Bayless and C.C. Snitker, The two speakers were Homer Bruton and W.M. Bryant. W.B. Peterson gave the invitation and narold Layton the benedicton.

Funeral services for Wesley

Mrs. Inez Sanders visited Friday with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Kemp, who is a patient, in the Lubbock Orthopedic Hospit-

One reason weight-watchers row, 1. to r., Kim Lee Cowan, Prisca Young, Dana Jo Dunham, like them is the mere 75 calor-Jamie Small, Patricia Grogan, Hope Free and Denise Reedies in an average size pear. er. Also installed, but not picutred, were LaShelle Lewis, In addition to their good taste, Shervl Brown, Rhonda Stevenson, Kim Small and Francis pears are nutritious. They're easy to digest and furnish im-

Rev. Charlie Shaw, the J.O. Danes and Mrs. Alma Alman.

> Henderson brother of Jake henderson, were at 2 p.m. Monday. Jan. 29, at the First Baptist Church at Enochs. Burial was in the Morton Cemetary.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Bryant visited her brother Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Hodges at Spade Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Fine was able to go to Church Sunday morning at the Baptist Church for the first

LOUISA'S

or what is filthy. are responsible for this? Yes, I do believe that the

welcomed into my home are filled with articles condoning and approving immorality and things that confuse

I think we should show

Louisa

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Dear Louisa,

I read an article a few days ago in which the author accused the media for being responsible for the way young people of this day think and behave. He said that they publicized the action of a wild minority of adolescents and accepted the ways that they now behave as the new morality. Other young people read this drivil and come to think that they themselves are not normal if they are people who believe in traditional ideas of what is right and what is wrong or in what is decent

Do you think that the magazines and movies of today Worried Mother--Tenn.

media is responsible, in people and in the older ones

great part, for the degradation we see among young of today. Magazines that I once

those young people who have been reared in Godfearing homes.

our disapproval by not subscribing to magazines that consistently publish such articles.

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John Tower United States Senate COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

was able to maintain warmth and

to extend the right hand of

He was a man who had a for-

The events of past week have characteristic of the man that he provided for Texans both glad expectations and great sadness. friendship even to those who had

The news of the agreement to a ceasefire in Vietnam and the opposed him. prospect of an early return of our prisoners of war and a full accounting of the missing was welcome news indeed. I pray, as much as anyone, that history will prove that the apparent success of our negotiations paved the way to the kind of lasting peace we have been seeking.

We have fought a long and exhausting war. Texans have wanted peace for some time, but I think the majority of us wanted to achieve a lasting peach which would enable the people of Vietnam a reasonable opportunity to determine their own form of government.

It appears that we have now achieved a settlement in Indochina that will not only preserve a climate of self determination for the people of Indochina, but also and very importantly for the future preserves the credibility of the United States as a deterrant to aggression.

President Nixon. and President Johnson before him were in a very lonely position in which it was not always possible to explain everything that was going on. Both men resisted enormous pressures her at home to accept a less than satisfactory settlement or to give into Hanoi's demands. Patience and perseverance appear now to have been vindicated. I believe we have come out the better for it.

Hopefully, the enforcement mechanisms will work and, hopefully, the parties to the agreement will scrupulously honor the terms of the agreement and the world's major power will cooperate to see that peace will be lasting. It is encouraging that the Army of South Vietnam is now prepared, I think, as a result of our very significant contribution, to continue its own defense if neces-

we must now follow up the agreement with continued efforts to insure that the peace will lastnot with troops and weapons, but with cooperative concern and a helping hand toward reconstruction.

Additionally, this is not the time for drastic reduction of military strength. The prospects for lasting world peace hinge, I believe, on our contin-uing capability to netogiate from a position of strength. This is true not only in Indochina but even more importantly with regard to our relations with the Soviet Union and Mainland China We must remain strong.

It was fateful indeed that the good news of the ceasefire could not be heard by President Johnson. He was as desirous of lasting peace in Vietnam as any of us. He worked to achieve that kind of lasting peace and indeed made the ultimate political sacrifice in that effort by foregoing an opportunity to seek reelection as President.

The death of Lyndon Johnson brought a great sadness to Texans. The 36th President of the United States was a Texan in every good sense of the word, He was a superb leader in the Congress of the United States. He was an able President. He confronted the critical and fast moving events of his day with the determination to make decisions that would serve the greatest good for the greatest number of people.

I spent a good part of my adult life as a political adversary of President Johnson, but it was

FUEL SHORTAGE RELIEF SOUGHT

AUSTIN-Greater oil and gas production to pare down Texas energy shortages is the aim of companion bills intro-duced in the Texas Legislature

this week. The measures would liberalize unitization requirements for oil and gas fields so as to increase production of oil and gas reserves, according to sponsors of the legislation, Sen. Jack Hightower of Vernon and Rep. Dave Finney of Ft. Worth.

They said the legislation would help accomplish one of Gov. Dolph Briscoe's goals: To get the maximum recovery from reserves as one of the means to solve the energy shortage.

A major obstacle, aside from technological aspects, preventing the tapping of part of the 98 billion barrels of Texas oil reserves has been an obsolete oil-gas unitization law that requires 100 per cent agreement from operators and royalty owners in a field to unitize, the lawmakers said. The require-ment has been so restrictive that only one of every 10 Texas fields now operates as a unit. Under terms of the Hightow-

er-Finney proposal, a consent majority of 75 per cent of all interests would be required. It is believed that several bil-lion more barrels of fuel can be

recovered by removing restric-tions, the legislators said.

Both legislators warned that their proposal was not a cureall for energy shortages, but would be a step toward greater energy supplies.

giving nature, who never carried a grudge. He was a man who never became dissolved in any sense of bitterness or frustration. He was my friend and the friend of many Texans.

I know that I express the feelings of a great many Texans when I say that I am profoundly sorry that he was taken from us at this time in his life when there was so much more in the way of good counsel and advice that he could have given to many of us in public life, and so much more teaching that he could have done for our young people in whom he

had such a deep and abiding in-At the beginning of his career,

Lyndon Johnson was a teacher. At the end, one of his most active interests was in connection with young people and their educations. We can honor him through a deeper commitment to hear young people and to provide them all with a quality education.

As Americans, we shall sorely miss him; and as Texans we can think better of ourselves because we come from a society that produced Lyndon Baines



Fire Insurance on Cigars?

Once upon a time a man tried to collect fire insurance on a box of cigars. Having smoked them all, one at a time, he argued that they had been "destroyed by fire" and were therefore covered by his

But the court pointed to a rule which is followed almost every-where in the field of fire insurance: that damage done by a "friendly" fire is not covered. A friendly fire is one that is burning where it belongs—in an oven, in a fireplace, or at the tip of a cigar.

"In common parlance," a court explained, "one has not 'had a fire' so long as it has burned only in the place where it was intended to burn."

This rule has generally been applied not only to things burned on purpose, like the cigars, but also to things burned by mistake.

1) a housekeeper threw an envelope into the family furnace, unaware that it contained a valuable ring;

2) a man unwittingly tossed his wife's dentures, wrapped in

tissue paper, into a trash fire.

Both the ring and the dentures were ruined in the flames, and claims for fire insurance were filed in both cases. But both claims were later denied in court, since the furnace fire and the trash fire were friendly—burning

Of course, a fire may change its character from friendly to unfriendly. Suppose that some red hot cin-

where they belonged.

the Texas State Bar Association. Written by Will Bernard. © 1973 American Bar Association

ders jump out of a crackling fire-place and set fire to nearby drap-eries. For this kind of damage,

you could indeed collect compen-

sation under the ordinary fire in-

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Errors Farm Income Tax Major

COLLEGE STATION -- Texas farmers and ranchers make a number of common mistakes each year that cost them additional dollars at income tax

With the deadline for filing farm income tax returns drawing near (March 1), key management decisions can still help reduce the tax load for 1972 by overcoming some common errors, point out Mike Sprott and

Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economists cision they make during the for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

They list the major income tax mistakes made by agricultural producers as the following:

1. Letting the tax accountant do it all. Turning your tax records over to an "authority" may not be the best decision. Producers must know tax laws themselves and must "think taxes" with every management de-

year. Be sure the tax accountant selected knows farm tax laws and that he asks you questions about your operations that

may affect your taxes. 2. Poor planning. This is. a major area with far-reaching effects. Included is the failure to buy or sell before the end of the year and the lack of attention to timing sales and tradeins to trasform ordinary in-

come into capital gains. 3. Failure to claim investment credit. This also reflects on poor planning since trading an implement too soon will reduce the amount of investment credit that can be claimed. Using the 7 percent investment credit can lighten the tax burden for many farm and ranch operations. Many items, when purchased new or when bought

with a farm, qualify for invest-

ment credit. Items often forgotten include tile drains, feeding floors, paved drives, wells, fences and grain storage bins. Investment credit can be carried back three years to retrieve tax money previously paid and may also be carried forward seven years to save on future taxes. Use Form 1040X to claim any refund due for past years.

4. Poor record keeping. To take full advantage of tax credits good records are a must. A good record-keeping system should meet the needs of production operations and tax record requirements. Often, overhead expenses such as publications, insurance, electricity, telephone, interest, repairs, and car and pickup expenses are overlooked.

5. Failure to watch tax changed, Tax laws and court rulings change from year to year. And the agricultural producer must keep abreast of all items that may affect his operation. Of special importance is the Keogh Act which provides for tax-free retirement benefits. The Act allows a deduction of 10 percent of earned income or

\$2,500, whichever is less, to be set aside--tax free-- in a qualified retirement plan. Also, up to \$2,050 may be paid to each child annually for farm wages without losing their exemptions. and the child owes no tax as well.

6. Failure to use capital gains fully. Capital gains can be a major source of tax savings. A long-term capital gain means that only one-half of the profit is taxed if assets were held for six months or more, except for certain classes of livestock which must be held at least 24

Muleshoe Journal, Thursday, February 1, 1973, Page 7 "The time spent planning tax strategy, especially regarding the use of capital gains, could be the most profitable hours of the year, " point our Sprott and

Hayenga.
"Think taxes, plan taxes and keep good records. This will make income tax time less of a burden and may bring a pleasant surprise in the form of a lighter tax load,

The economist advise farmers and ranchers who want additional information on filing income tax returns to obtain a copy of the "1972 Farmers's Tax Guide" which is available at any county Extension office.

Courthouse

News

James Robinson, 1973 Ford,

Billie E. Bickel, 1973 Ford,

K.H. Cox, 1973 Chevrolet,

Kenneth Heathington, 1973

Chevrolet pickup, Crow Chev-

John Gunter, Jr., 1973 Mer-cury, Muleshoe Motor Co. Freddie W. Parkman, 1973

Ford pickup, Muleshoe Mot-

Gene Templeton, 1973 Ford pickup, Muleshoe Motor Co.

Pat R. Bobo, 1973 Ford,

Emma Lue Wilhite, 1973 Buick, Doc Stewart Shevrolet-

Pablo Salano, 1973 Chevrolet, Crow Chevrolet Co. Bobbie S. Winn, 1973 Volkswagon, Hagelgantz Volkswagon. W.L. Shafer, 1973 Buick,

Charles W. Bell, 1973 Mercury, Muleshoe Motor Co. O.N. Jennings, GMC pickup,

Buford Bates, 1973 Chevrolet pickup, Baccus Chevrolet. Robert Mack Moss, 1973 Ford, Muleshoe Motor Co. Billie Marlow, 1973 Oldsmobile, Bender Oldsmobile-

Radio Station KMUL, 1973 Mercury, Muleshoe Motor Co. Charles Mayhough, 1973

Ford, Muleshoe Motor Co. Isreal Reyna, 1973 Ford,

Weldon Tims, 1973 Chev-rolet pickup, Crow Chevrolet

Bailey County Electric

Co-op Assn., 1973 Chevrolet pickup, Crow Chevrolet co.
St. Clair Stores, Inc., 1973
Buick, Brock Motos.

H.D. Ranage, 1973 Chevrolet

A.P. Fred, 1973 Pontiac,

Wesley Hawkins, 1973 Buick,

Gary Mac Brown, 1973 Ford

Dean Sprayberry and Delbert Sprayberry, divorce. Wiley R. Baker vs. Calvin Jordan DBA Cal Jordan Imple-

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Muleshoe, Joe Lynn Rogers,

Muleshoe, and Jerhetta Faye

Shaw, Muleshoe. Pedro Nunes.

Muleshoe and Albertina Ran-

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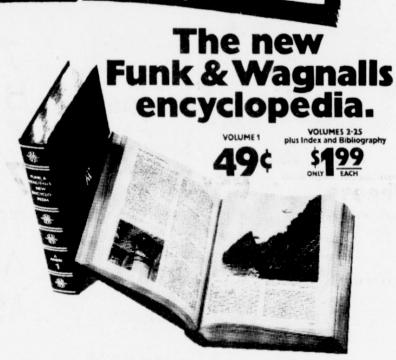
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Public Notice

By Order of the Commissioners Court, I am authorized to give public notice, and notice is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Court to grant a salary increase to all elected County and Precinct Officials, except Constables, and to all appointed employees of the County, effective as of January 1, 1973. This is to be done by an official Order which the Court expects to pass while in regular session at the customary meeting place in the Courthouse in Muleshoe, February 12, 1973. Constables salaries are to be fixed by separate Order.

Glen Williams

Bailey County, Texas

Three Way

News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Robinson

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanders

spent the past week visiting his

Akin, South Carolina,

from Muleshoe visited the D.S.

Fowlers Saturday evening.

tive in community ork.

Kim Fowler from Morton

Jean Lovelady from Muleshoe

The 1973 car, truck, trailer

and other tags will be on sale

at the Goodland Cafe starting

Mrs. E.T. Batteas spent the

past week in Levelland with her

daughter, Mrs. Jenny Harris and

The Three Way basketball

teams played Bula on Bula court

Friday night with the Three Way

girls winning their game and the

Three Way boys losing their

Farmers were busy in the

fields the past week pulling cot-

ton and cutting feed. All gins

Forgotten

America was founded to

avoid taxation!

It's hard to believe that

have not lost a game yet.

was in the community Wednes-

spent Sunday with her grandpa-

rents, the D.S. Fowlers.

Powell, Saturday.

day on business.

Thursday, Feb. 1.

baby.

County Judge

15-5t-ltc

The Court believes that the said salary increase is made necessary because no salary increase has been granted to elected officials since 1965, and only one salary increase, in the amount of 10%, has been granted to appointed employees since that time. During those several vears the cost of living has risen rapidly so that present compensation is inadequate for today's needs. And it is becoming increasingly more difficult to employ efficient and capable persons under the present salary schedule.

Therefore it is the judgment of the Court that a 10% increase for appointed employees, and a 20% increase for elected officials, is reasonable and in harmony with cost of living increases during the past eight

Public Notice

NOTICE FOR BIDS ON COUNTY DEPOSITORY

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Bailey County, Texas will receive bids for the Depository of State, County, School District, and of Trust Funds held by the Clerks of both the District and County Courts, at it's regular meeting to be held at the courthouse in Muleshoe, Texas, on Monday, the 12th day of February A.D. 1973, at 10:00 A.M. Depository Bonds covering County Funds are separate and apart from those covering school funds. Said bids to be for the years 1973-74.

The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Witness my official hand and seal of office, this the 8 day of January, A.D. 1973. County Judge

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years. And it is the intention of the Court to make such in-Agriculture Interested creases effective as of January 1, 1973 by an Order to be passed Revision February 12, 1973. The public is cordially invited to attend that meeting, and to be heard.

AUSTIN--(Jan.30) --- The president of the 137,000-member Texas Farm Bureau told state government officials, legislators and county Farm Bureau leaders Tuesday that agriculture will be vitally interested in efforts undertaken to revise the State Constitution.

J.T. (Red) Woodson of Fannin County, speaking at the TFB's legislative conference banquet, said any revision of the Constitution detrimental to agriculture will adversely and directly affect 40 percent of the population of this state.

Mother, Mrs. Sally Robinson. "There are vital principles inherent in our present Consti-Paul Powell, a resident of the tution which have served the Maple Community for about 42 people of this State well," years was buried Monday with Woodson said, 'We firmly beservices in the West Side Church lieve those principles which of Christ. Burial was in Morhave served the people of the ton cemetary. Powell was achave proved over the years to be workable in maintaining a delicate balance between Laquita Corsey from Levelexecutive, judicial and legislaland visited her aunt, Beadie tive branches should be preserved and maintained."

Woodson also outlined Farm Bureau's legislative program on a variety of other important issues -- including financing public education, land-use planning, agricultural chemicals, air and water pollution, farm labor, agricultural research, animal health, insect control, farm-tomarket roads, hauling permits, water regulations, and law enforcement.

Accepting invitations to attend the banquet were Lieutenant-Governor William Hobby, House Speaker Price Daniel, Jr., Agriculture Commissioner John White, and a large number of State Senators and Representatives. Representing county Farm Bureaus at the Jan. 30-31 meeting at the Villa Capri Motor Hotel were county presidents, and chairmen of legislagame to Bula. Three Way girls tive and membership committees.

Commenting on the problem of financing public education, Woodson said that "any increase in ad valorem taxes of the magin the community are still busy. nitude which will likely be necessary will pose an extreme, R.L. Davis was a medical paand in some cases, insurmounttient in Cochran Memorial Hosable hardship on farmers and pital the first of the week. ranchers."

He said that these taxes have "skyrocketed in the past few vears to levels which are conviscatory in many instances. A taxes cannot be justified and is totally untenable," he said. Woodson said Farm Bureau members have adopted a policy which calls for full state finan-

cing of that portion of public education now funded through the Minimum Foundation School Program, with local control and funding preserved for the balance. "Full state financing should be funded through broad-based taxes such as the sales tax and

corporate franchise tax which can still be administered more equitable than the advalorem tax, the state farm leader said. As for land-use planning, Woodson said there are certain advantages in such programs if planning is properly done and

private property rights are

'zealously' safeguarded. "However, we have come to the conclusion that the potential loss of private property rights far outweighs say other consideration, " he said, " For this reason, we must oppose landuse planning at a federal level and at the state level with all the strength at our command."

The head of the State's largest farm organization said that agriculture is concerned about the "continuing emotional out-cry by some so-called ecologists and environmentalists who wish to ban the use of any and all agricultural chemicals." For the most part, he said,

these charges are bases on assumptions gathered from incomplete and fragmented research. "These charges have been re-

futed time and again by reputable scientists, but their rebuttals apparently have not been sensational enough to be newsworthy," Woodson said. Without agricultural chemicals, he predicted, there is a

"distinct possibility" that U.S. agricultural production will not equal total U.S. consumption in as few as five years.

He called for a "common sense" approach and warned that there should be no arbitrary ban placed on the use of any agricultural chemicals. "Any restrictions must be

based on sound, scientific research, and even these decisions must consider the availaWoodson made the following

comments on other issues: Air and water pollution: "we do not believe that arbitrary laws or regulations which have the effect of declaring all livestock and poultry producers guilty until proven innocent are in the best interest of agriculture or the consuming public.'

Farm Labor: "We are very much in favor of better wages, housing and working conditions for farm labor. Marked improvements in these areas are realized every year. However, legislation, or strikes, at harvest time. or secondary boy-cotts--to force us to pay for improvements we cannot afford will simply result in more agricultural mechanization, in loss of jobs for farm workers, and an increase in welfare rolls.'

Agricultural research: "Re-search is still one of the bebargains around --- returning \$10 in benefits to taxpayers for each \$1 spent."

Animal health: "Consumers gain most from efficiencies in livestock production achieved through effective control of diseases, predators and pests, and that gain is where it counts most--in reasonable prices and higher quality for livestock products.'

Farm-to-market roads: "Under this program some 39,000 miles of farm-to-market roads have been constructed. We now realize that the job is less than half done. Any transfer of funds from the farm-to-market road program to any other fund would not result in a saving to taxpayers because these roads are going to have to be built sooner or later." Hauling permits: "Hearings

in the last session of the Legislature pointed up the fact that there are discrepancies and inequities in the present system of issuing hauling permits. This problem needs attention and correction." Water: "We continue our in-

sistence that any water plan for Texas must recognize and provide for agricultural needs, and must be equitable for all sections of the state. We will oppose any attempt to repeal or modify the law which specifies bility of economically feasible that underground water belongs substitutes for the chemicals in to surface owners of the land."



To be truthful about it, Uncle Luke is plumb "ornery" about a lot of things. He rants at the blasted "airyplanes" that scare his chickens . . . he fusses about the way women dress nowadays . . . he's never been to a picture show . . . and one of his pet hates is those "!x*x*? squawk boxes" somebody around the house is always turning on while he's trying to read his newspaper. Oh yes! Uncle Luke likes his newspaper . . . dotes on it, in fact. Says it's the only way a feller could tell what's really going on in this crazy world nowadays.

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