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Weather

	HIGH	LOW
May 8	84	47
May 7	74	43
May 6	70	42
May 5	75	47
Rainfall to date: 2.15 inches		

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Jr. Rodeo Scheduled Over Weekend

Area Deposits Show Nine Million Increase

Both Local Banks, Tri-County Increase

Bank deposits showed a marked increase this quarter at Muleshoe banks.

Agriculture prices, cattle and inflation were some of the reasons for the increases.

First National Bank of Muleshoe showed a total of \$14,124,233.37 in assets; \$12,810,542.63 in deposits; and had loans totaling \$5,022,835.32, according to their statement of condition dated April 24.

These figures show that assets at the bank were up

\$2,556,244.75; deposits up \$2,399,344.08; and loans were up \$366,117.91 over last year's figures at this time.

At the Muleshoe State Bank, assets were listed at \$18,108,505.70; deposits at \$16,479,223.99; and loans totaled \$7,658,451.82 on April 24.

Assets increased \$5,940,148.91; deposits increased \$5,601,605.45; and loans were up \$1,230,153.95 over the figures at this same time last year.

At Tri-County Savings and Loan Association, savings accounts amounted to \$8,571,063.08; assets were \$10,433,743.36; and loans were \$9,308,128.80.

This increase shows savings accounts up \$1,665,684.65; assets up \$1,961,580.19; and loans increased \$2,123,886.05 since this time last year.

Other banks in the Muleshoe area also reported increases in deposits, assets and loans for this quarter of 1974.

Girls Register For Girl Scout Day Camp

This week is registration week for all girls 7-17 to register for Girl Scout Day Camp.

Girls and parents may come by the Scout Hunt any afternoon this week or contact Mrs. Weldon Stevenson, 272-4902, Mrs. Joel Nowlin, 272-3884, or Mrs. Don Martin, 272-3670 for information.

Day Camp will be held July 15-19 at the Wildlife Refuge. The fee will be \$3.50 for Scouts and \$4.50 for non-registered Scouts. Any adult wishing to help may contact any of the above.

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With The Journal Staff

A Departmental Awards Convocation Wednesday at South Plains College recognized 41 students who have excelled in the academic, vocational and occupational programs at SPC.

Mattie Hicks of Muleshoe was named outstanding in the field of nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Moore, Miss Marge Moore and Mrs. Jack Beddingfield attended the West Texas State University Commencement exercises on Saturday, May 4, at the Amarillo Civic Center. Alan Badrow, son-in-law of Mrs. Beddingfield received a Bachelor of Science degree.

Area Primary Results

In the Democratic Primary in Parmer County, Paul Fortenberry defeated his opponent Archie L. Tarter, 423, to 386.

In the County Commissioners race, Precinct 4, Roy Miller polled 124 votes to Pete Jesko 47; and Raymond Treider, Jr., 49.

In Lamb County, Bill Angel won his bid for County Judge by defeating the incumbent, G.T. "Tritt" Sides, 1362 to 882.

MHS Band Will Present Spring Concert

The Muleshoe High School "Mighty M" Band will present their annual Spring Concert on Monday evening, May 13, at 7:30 p.m., in the Muleshoe High School auditorium.

The band will play some of their contest music. There will also be a presentation of band awards for the year.



CINCO DE MAYO QUEEN Anita Campos was crowned Cinco De Mayo Queen Friday night during the annual Cinco de Mayo Festivities in Muleshoe. The coronation was held Friday night followed by a parade in downtown Muleshoe Sunday afternoon. Pictured

above (left to right) are Monica Padilla, condessa; Christina Sanchez, condessa; Anita Campos, queen; and Luis Enrique Castresana, Consulado de Mexico, from Lubbock.

Boys Girls Featured During Performances

The annual Muleshoe Junior Rodeo will be held at the Muleshoe Roping Arena Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 10, 11 and 12. Performances will be at 8 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and there will be a 2 p.m. performance on Sunday.

Entries will include Steer Riding, Flag race, Pole bending, Barrel race, Rescue race and Goat race for boys and girls 12 and under.

Boys 13-16 events will include Steer riding, tie-down calf roping, Ribbon roping, Break-away roping, Flag race and Rescue race.

Girls 13-15 events will include Barrel race, Pole bending, Goat tying, Flag race, Rescue race and Goat race.

Boys 16-19 will include Bull

riding, Bareback, Tie-down calf roping, Ribbon roping, Chute dogging, and Team roping.

Girls 16-19 events will be Barrel race, Pole bending, Goat tying, Flag race, Rescue race, and Goat race.

There will also be a PeeWee calf riding event for youths eight years of age and under.

All-Around Buckles will be awarded to high point boy and girl.

Buckles will be awarded to first place in each event. Rosette ribbons will be awarded for second, third and fourth.

Mrs. Leon Spears at John's Custom Mill is taking entries for the annual Junior Rodeo.

Admission to the Junior Rodeo sponsored by the Muleshoe Roping Club will be \$1.00.

ASCS Will Man A Farm Fuel Network

"Bailey County farmers who have been unable to find fuel for agricultural production through regular channels may contact this office," said Fuston, County Executive Director of the Bailey County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS).

"The first back-up solves problems quickly and simply. When a farmer comes to the office and reports that his distributor cannot supply fuel, ASCS will attempt to locate a fuel source."

"We will use the second back up only when we cannot locate fuel locally," Fuston continued.

"In backup two, ASCS will contact either the State Energy Office or the Regional FEO in Dallas. The determination of which office will be contacted is dependent upon the type of problem and where it can best be resolved. The office contacted will then aid in obtaining the necessary fuel for agricultural production."

"The third back-up phase provided quick communications with FEO through the National Office," said Fuston. In certain serious situations the county office will call the National FEO in Washington, D.C. From there, the information is forwarded to the Regional FEO by the opening of business the next day. The Regional FEO then has the responsibility to resolve the farm fuel problem.

Over 1000 Cast Votes In Democratic Primary

Bailey County citizens went to the polls Saturday, May 4, in the Democratic Primary, 1071 ballots were cast.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe was the favorite in the Governor's race and carried Bailey County as well as the state.

Rep. Bill Clayton easily won his bid for re-election in the county as he did in the rest

of his district.

In local elections, the only contested race was for District Clerk of Bailey County. The incumbent, Nelda Merriott, easily won her bid for re-election over her opponent Pauletta Crawford.

Parl - mutual wagering on horse racing in Texas was also defeated across the county as well as the state. The final vote in the country for the referendum was 301 for parimutual wagering and 667 against the referendum.

Following is a list of all candidates on the ballot and the total votes received:

UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE: George Mahon, 910 votes.

GOVERNOR: Dolph Briscoe, 850; Frances Tarlton (Sissy) Farenthold, 131; W.H. (Bill) Posey, 25; and Steve S. Alexander, 15 votes.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: Bill Hobby, 868.

ATTORNEY GENERAL: John Hill, 837.

STATE TREASURER: Jesse James, 675; Donald B. Yarborough, 340.

COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS: Bob Bullock 721, Hugh Edburg, 174.

COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE: Bob Armstrong 796.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE: John C. White, 658; Herbert A. (Peanut) Schroeder, 261.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER: (Full Term): Jim C. Langdon, 789.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS (Place 1): Sears McGee, 737.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS, (Place 2): Thomas M. Reavley, 714.

(Place 3): Zollie Steakley, 706.

(Place 4): John Hubbard, 81.

(Place 5): Fred Beene, 53.

(Place 3): Zollie Steakley, 706.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (Place 1) W.A. Morrison, 711.

JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (Place 2): Leon Douglas, 696.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION: James H. Whiteside, 653, Dorothy McLarty, 227.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, Dist. 74: Harvey R. Floyd, 125, Bill Clayton, 865.

COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, DISTRICT 7 (Full Term) Mary Lou Robinson, 702.

DISTRICT JUDGE, 154th District: Pat Boone, Jr., 885.

DISTRICT CLERK, 154th District Court of Bailey Co.: Nelda Merriott, 819; Pauletta Crawford, 252.

COUNTY JUDGE, BAILEY COUNTY: Glen Williams, 950.

COUNTY CLERK, BAILEY COUNTY: Hazel Gilbreath, 964.

COUNTY TREASURER, BAILEY COUNTY: Edith Wilt, 950.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT #1, Bailey County: Morris Nowlin, 294.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #2 (Voting Boxes

2 & 3) Loyd Stephens, 205.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #4 (Voting Boxes 6, 7 and 8) Rudolph Moraw, 192.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN: Harvey Bass, 691.

PRECINCT CHAIRMAN AT LARGE: Kenneth Powell, 601.

CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT No. 1 (Voting Box 1) R. L. Scott, 209.

CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT 2 (Voting Boxes 2 & 3) Joe Costen, 170.

CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT #3 (Voting boxes 4 & 5) Jack Ferguson, 186.

CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT 4 (Voting Box 6): John Hubbard, 81.

CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT 5 (Voting Box 7): Fred Beene, 53.

Tri-County Open House Set Sunday

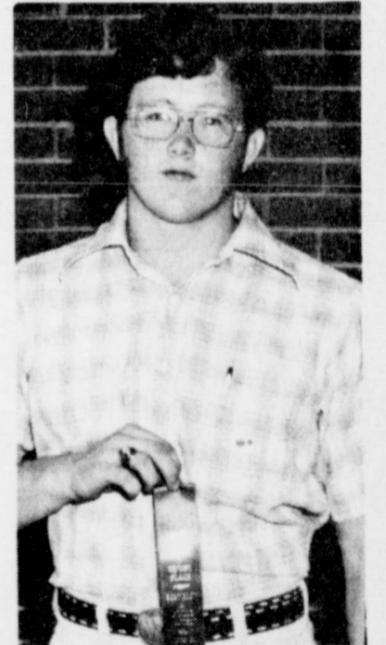
Tri - County Savings and Loan Association will have Open House at their new location Sunday, May 12, from 2 to 5 p.m.

President Don Harmon urges everyone to come by and look over the new facilities. There will be prizes given away at the open house and refreshments will be served.

Tri-County was opened on February 17, 1965, and assets are now \$10,433,743.36.

The officers and directors of Tri-County appreciate the response and acceptance enjoyed over these nine years.

The officers, directors and staff invite everyone to come by Sunday afternoon.



WINS SECOND..Paul Harbin of Muleshoe won second in Money Management at District Competition recently. He will represent Bailey County at the State 4-H Roundup in College Station, June 4, 5 and 6.

High Blood Pressure Month Declared Here

Bailey County Judge Glen Williams signed a proclamation Monday declaring May as High Blood Pressure Month in Bailey County. The Proclamation reads: "Whereas, an estimated 23 million Americans, most of them unknowingly, have high blood pressure; and

Whereas, high blood pressure is the primary cause of 60,000 American deaths annually and is a significant underlying cause of more than 1,500,000 heart attacks and stroke suffered by Americans each year; and

Whereas, despite the fact that both the knowledge and medications are available to effectively detect and control high blood pressure, yet over half Americans suffering from high blood pressure are unaware that they have it; and

Whereas, your American Heart Association carries forward a relentless battle aga-

inst hypertension through massive educational programs free hypertension screening clinics, and medical research in areas throughout the nation; therefore, as County Judge of Bailey County, I hereby claim the month of May as High Blood Pressure Month."

Judge Williams strongly urges all citizens to commemorate this month by taking advantage of education and detection programs designed to curb this silent killer. I therefore, invite and encourage the physicians, nurses and other health professionals of this city to contribute their resources and expertise in the development of high blood pressure programs."

Hypertension afflicts over one million Texans. Across Texas there may be over one million "hidden cases" of high blood pressure, a disease that can lead to major health com-

plications unless properly treated.

Dr. Lowell Snyder of the Lubbock District American Heart Association, "We don't know with any certainty how many there are in Bailey County." But studies agree that the disease probably affects one in every seven adults," he added, "It also has been found in children as young as four years of age. And it is the major health problem for black people. It is 100 times more prevalent than sickle cell anemia, for example. Black Americans are twice as likely to have high blood pressure as White Americans; when they do, they will probably develop it at an earlier age, and it will be more severe and deadly."

The American Heart Association with the support of other

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HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE MONTH Bailey County Judge Glen Williams is shown as he proclaims the month of May as "High Blood Pressure Month" in Bailey County. It is estimated that some 23 million Americans have high blood pressure and most of them do not know they have it. High blood pressure is the primary cause of 60,000 American deaths annually. Pictured with Judge Williams are Mrs. Steve Bass and John Fuston, president of the American Heart Association, Bailey County Unit.

Committee To Have Meeting At Lazbuddie

The Citizens Committee for Better Hospital Facilities will hold a meeting at the Lazbuddie Cafeteria Monday, May 13, at 8:30 p.m.

The Citizens Committee will be taking along a group of businessmen who have formed a Gospel Group. The meeting will be both informative and entertaining.

The Gospel group will be the Crusaders composed of Marvin Lewis, Bruce Peterson, Jack Young, Wayland Ethridge,

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CONGRESSMAN

Bob Price

18th Congressional District

The Foreign Agriculture Service of USDA now estimates world grain production for 1973-74 at some 15 million tons more than earlier expected, an increase of one and a half percent, due mostly to improved crop outputs in the Southern Hemisphere and an 8.3 million ton upward revision in the estimate for the U.S.S.R. crop.

World production and consumption will have an effect on prices for U.S. crops and Texas producers should keep world as well as local developments in mind as they plan their own crop production.

The FAS also estimates that stocks of major grain exporting countries will be more this coming June 30 than the previous year. World grain stock is estimated at 112 million tons on that date, and could in-

crease by 26 million tons by June 30, 1975.

World grain production estimates for the 1974-75 season are up even more, some 31 million tons. The U.S. itself is expected to account for most of this increase with U.S. grain acreage expected to grow by some 1% million acres, the FAS reports.

World grain consumption is also on the increase. Over recent years, world grain consumption has risen an average 28 million tons annually, with well over half the increase going to feed animals.

Shortages of fertilizer and fuel, not just in the U.S., but else where in the world as well, could have some effect toward holding down the expected rise in world grain production. These factors, together

with a potential desire for traders to build grain stocks, could result in a very tight supply demand situation in world grains during the next year or two, the FAS reports.

In Northwest Texas, the lack of moisture has crippled wheat production and is threatening to delay cotton planting. Dryland farmers should ask their local ASC offices to inspect any drought out wheat in order to be eligible for disaster provision payments under the 1974 Farm Act.

During my last visit, I could see plainly that much of our dryland wheat is lost. I found considerable dissatisfaction concerning a lack of inspectors and the methods being used to measure partial crop yields. In Washington, I met with USDA officials who promised to send more inspectors into Texas quickly and that current inspectors would be directed to work overtime hours, including weekends. I stressed the importance of farmers being able to get a quick assessment so they can graze the partial crop, if desired, before it deteriorated.

Planting time for cotton in our area is later this month and whether we get some moisture in time to facilitate the planting will be important to our crop this year. Some producers have already forward contracted this year's crop.

If we do get good weather conditions again this year as we did last, we should find out

selfed with another record cotton crop, which would be an economic boost to cotton-producing areas. USDA crop intentions reports show some 14.8 million acres will be planted to cotton in the U.S. this year. If these intentions are realized, it will be an 18% increase over last year's in 12.5 million acres.

Fuel and fertilizer shortages, again, may have a dampening effect on production; but the shortage of petrochemical feedstocks means less competition for cotton from synthetic fibers in the marketplace this year and probably next. Also, the USDA and the International Institute for Cotton are working to broaden overseas demand for U.S. cotton.

In Texas, plans to locate new denim producing plants near to our upland cotton fields mean nearer markets for cotton producers, and more jobs and more income for local economies.

Energy bills passing the House this week included the compromise bill officially creating the Federal Energy Administration. It requires energy producing firms to give the FEA full supply, cost and pricing information; and also gives the FEA authority to impose gas rationing.

The House also passed and sent to the Senate a special \$2.2 billion appropriations measure to fund energy research and development.

A significant threat was posed this week for oil producers and

royalty owners when the House Ways and Means Committee approved a new tax bill which will phase out the depletion allowance and impose a "windfall profits tax" on crude oil sale prices of more than \$4.50 a barrel.

Producers will be able to take advantage of "plow-back" provisions in the bill designed to encourage re-investment in more energy production. But it is a realized fact that most royalty owners, including farmers, doctors, lawyers and anyone owning even small royalties, will be unable to qualify for "plow-back" incentives since they are not involved in actual drilling and production operations. This feature of the bill would prove costly to every lease holder.

The new profits tax would impose a tax of 67.5 cents a barrel on the first two dollars above the \$4.50 price in the bill, and 85 cents on each dollar above \$6.50. This means a royalty owner selling a barrel of oil for \$8.50 (\$4 a barrel more than he got a year ago) would net only \$1,625 more.

This kind of legislation won't bring us any more energy. Instead, it will contribute to stifling incentive for the increased production this nation needs to help us attain energy self sufficiency.

Hospital...

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and W.T. Watson. The public is invited to attend along with all interested persons in the Lazbuddie area.

The reason for the meeting will be to inform people of the Lazbuddie area about the new hospital plans.

Everyone is urged to attend this important meeting.

WINDOW HOLDS MAN

FRESNO, CALIF.--After cutting a hole in a wooden and plastic window, the transient became stuck while trying to crawl through the lumber company window. He said he was glad to see the officers who were answering the burglar alarm.



GIRLS ORAL READING Winning in Girls Oral Reading in the fifth Grade at UIL contest were left to right, Leslie Waggon, first; Nona Perez, second; Deanna Smith, third; Keva Roming, fourth; Leslie Cowan, fifth; and Tena Landers, sixth.

Heart Association Elects New Officers

John Fuston has been elected as President of the Bailey County Unit of the American Heart Association. It has been announced by M.D. Gunstream, outgoing president. Other officers elected at the Annual Meeting of the American Heart Association include J. W. Coppedge, vice president; and Dean Spraberry, secretary and treasurer.

In accepting the presidency, John Fuston announced that the major efforts of the Bailey County Unit of the American Heart Association will be directed toward local educational and community service programs.

Heart...

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national state, and local health agencies is spearheading massive education and hypertension screening programs during the month of May which has been declared National High Blood Pressure Month.

In the above proclamation issued, Judge Williams urged all citizens of Bailey County to strengthen themselves against the nation's number one killer-heart disease-- by taking advantage of education and detection programs designed by the American Heart Association to curb high blood pressure.

The programs will be designed to help our fellow citizens know more about the ways to cut down their risks of heart attack, stroke and diseases of the circulatory system.

Fuston stated that "people working with people in the community, the home, in industry and in schools is the only way to make the programs of controlling heart disease effective and save thousands of lives each year from heart and circulatory problems."

Immediately following his election, the president of the 1974-75 term appointed the following Standing Committee Chairpersons: Public Education, Elizabeth Watson; Profes-

sion Education, Dean Seiber; Publicity, Robin Taylor; Community Service, Imogene Tiller, and Campaign, Dean Spraberry. Delegates to the Regional Annual Meeting of the American Heart Association were also elected at the meeting last week and are as follows: John Fuston, Marshall Cook, Sandy Bass, Dean Spraberry, Imogene Tiller and Elizabeth Watson. The meeting will be held in Lubbock on May 21.

Delegates to the 39th annual Assembly to be held in Ft. Worth on June 21-22 are John Fuston and Sandy Bass.

SALASSIE SEEKS CHANCE

ADDIS ABABA-- Emperor Haile Selassie has called for a constitutional conference to set up a more democratic government in Ethiopia. This would end nearly 50 years of one-man rule.

CAR POOL SUCCESS

PHOENIX--Al Brittan, city property management supervisor, reports that an experimental car pool plan has apparently been successful. Workers in the downtown area using the car pool are allowed free parking.

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Three Way News
By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Ravenell Todd from Level-land spent Thursday visiting her sister Beadie Powell, Theda Mangrum from Dallas is visiting her sister the Jack Ferguson

family. *****
Robin Nitcher from Lubbock spent the past week visiting her aunt and uncle the Adolph Wittners. *****
Rev. and Mrs. James Gilentine from Lubbock visited her mother Mrs. H.W. Garvin who was a patient in Cochran Memorial hospital Tuesday evening. *****
Mrs. Larry Flowers from

Muleshoe and Katy Wittner from Lubbock visited their parents the Adolph Wittners Sat. *****
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. House from Sudan visited the H.W. Garvins Thursday evening. *****
The Junior and Senior High School banquet was held Saturday night at the Three Way Cafetorium. Guest speaker was Lonnie Nichols from Cameron, Oklahoma. Music was furnished

by Hattie Tyson from Maple, Bill Owens from Littlefield, Hal Merrieck, Bob Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gardner all from Causey, N.M. The banquet was a big success. *****
Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter visited the H.W. Garvins Sunday afternoon. *****
Mrs. Oletto Eoff from Amarillo spent the week end visiting

her sister Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Long. *****
Karen Warren was a medical patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton part of the past week. *****
Chester Petree came home from Methodist Hospital Saturday, after two weeks. *****
Soviet to provide economic aid to Vietcong.

Savings Bonds Total \$2,138 In March

In releasing Treasury figure, County Bon Chairman Mrs. Dean Sprayberry, announced today that sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds

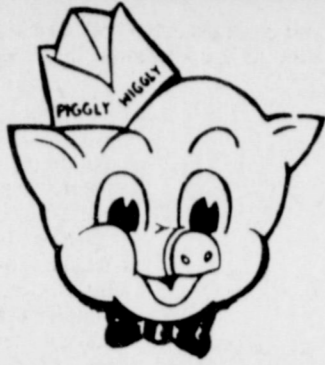
in Bailey County during March totaled \$2,138.00. Sales for the first quarter of 1974 were \$23,449 for 39% of the yearly goal of \$60,000.
Sales in Texas amounted to \$19,563,901 during the month while sales for the first three months totaled \$61,244,066 with 26% of the \$236.8 Mil. goal achieved.
U.S. review of DC-10 design ordered.

Best Of Press

Oldest moon rock found by scientists. ---
Survey finds consumer confidence declining. ---
Executive raises topped 5.5% in 1973. ---
Nixon names Strausz-Hupe envoy to Sweden. ---

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USDA Choice, Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef, Arm Cut

Swiss Steak

\$1.19

Lb.

USDA Choice Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef

Rump Roast

Farmer Jones, No. 1 Quality, Sliced 2-Lb. \$1.97

Bacon

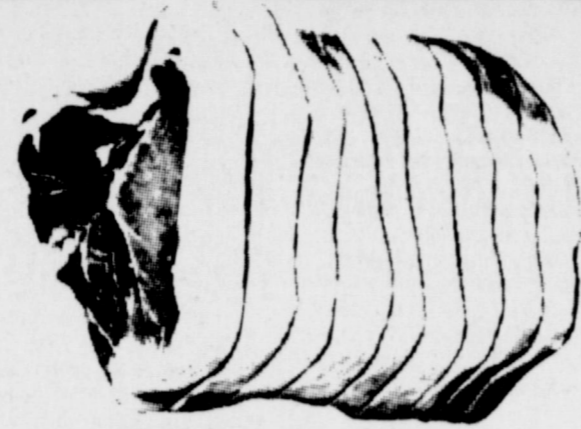
Farmer Jones, 12-oz. 79¢ or

Rath

12-oz. \$1.15

Breakfast Sausage

Lb. \$1.19



Full Quarter, Sliced

Pork Loin

98¢

Lb.

USDA Choice Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef, Top or

Bottom Round Steak

USDA Choice Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef, Eye of

Round Roast

USDA Choice Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef, In Cry-O-Vac, Processed Free

Trimmed Beef Loin

USDA Grade A, 12 to 16 Lb. Avg. Half or

Whole Hen Turkeys

Booth Heat and Serve

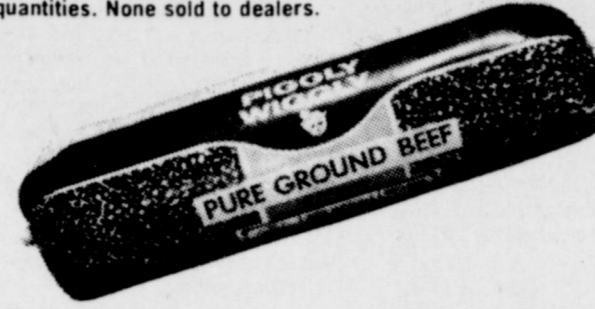
Shrimp Portions

7-oz. 99¢

Perch Fillets

Piggy Wiggly, Uncooked Lb. 99¢

Prices good thru May 11, 1974. We reserve the right to limit quantities. None sold to dealers.



Piggy Wiggly, 3-Lb. Chub Pack, Fresh

Ground Beef

88¢

Lb.

Piggy Wiggly Pollock Fishsticks 24-oz. \$1.59

Ralston Purina Cornish Game Hens 20-oz. \$1.29

Chicken of the Sea, Peeled and Deveined Shrimp 16-oz. \$2.99

Kraft Colby Longhorn or Half Moon Horn Cheese 10-oz. Pkg. \$1.19

Farmer Jones, Old Fashioned Flavor Sliced Bologna 12-oz. 89¢

USDA Choice Superb Valu Trim, Heavy Aged Beef, In Cry-O-Vac

Boneless Beef Brisket

Lb. \$1.09



Geraniums, Begonias, or Caladiums

\$1.99

Each "Your Choice"

Delicious Fresh Corn 10 for \$1

Asparagus FANCY SPEARS Lb. 59¢

AVOCADOS 4 FOR \$1

Fresh Delicious TANGERINES Lb. 39¢



Mrs. BAIRDS, Cake

Angel Food

69¢

13 oz. Cake

Northern Assorted Paper Napkins 160-Ct. Pkg. 49¢

Towie Thrown Stuffed Olives 5-oz. Jar 59¢

Salon Fashion, Taupe, Beige, Coffee

Panty Hose

Pair 39¢



Piggy Wiggly, Grade A

Large Eggs

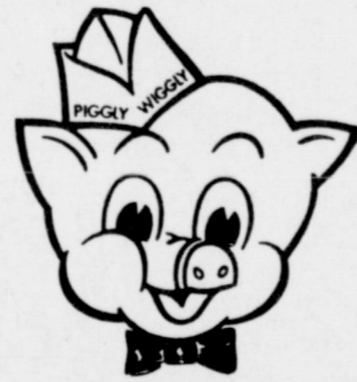
49¢

Doz. Ctn.

Morton Honey Buns 9-oz. Pkg. 39¢

Pepperidge Farm, 4 Varieties Turnovers 12 1/2-oz. Pkg. 59¢

Miss Breck Hair Spray 13-oz. Can 53¢



Dixie, White, 9 Inch

Paper Plates

59¢

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5 \$1

6oz. Cans

Topping

3 \$1

10-oz. Ctns.



MR. and MRS. JOE KEITH LARUE

Donna Gilbreath Weds J.K. LaRue

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keith LaRue are at home at 625 Maple Drive, Schertz, Texas, following an April 6 wedding in Dimmitt's First Baptist Church, with Charles Harris, Pastor of Lee Street Baptist Church officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Standing baskets of white daisies and yellow rose buds were used at the altar.

The bride, the former Donna Jean Gilbreath, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilbreath of Dimmitt. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. 'Dutch' LaRue of Dimmitt formerly of Muleshoe.

The bride, given in marriage by her father wore a white eyelette floor length dress with empire waist and short puff sleeves, a yellow hat and car-

ried a bouquet of white daisies and yellow rose buds atop a white Bible belonging to her grandmother. She also wore a traditional garter and penny in her shoe for luck.

Judy Gilbreath, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a yellow floor length dress and hat, Larry Lambert served as best man.

Denise Smither, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith,

Pink, Blue Shower Fetes Mrs. Schratz

Mrs. Bill Schratz was honored Tuesday, April 23, with a pink and blue shower from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Harvey Bass.

Special guests were Mrs. Ethel Garlington, mother of the honoree; Mrs. Loyd Garlington

and the father-to-be, Bill Garlington.

The honoree was presented a corsage of white gladiolus, blue ribbon and a blue rattler.

The table was covered with a white lace cloth and centered with a bouquet of tiny pink baby roses and blue "Lilly of the Valley" flowers in a little girl figure vase. Pink fruit punch, cookies, mints and nuts were served.

Hostess gift was a high chair and an automatic bottle sterilizer.

Hostesses were Mrs. Morris Nolan, Mrs. Orbie Chandler, Mrs. Preston Cargile, Mrs. Howard Watson, Mrs. Bernard Go-



MRS. BILL SCHRATZ

wens, Mrs. H.L. Phipps, Mrs. C.A. Watson, Mrs. Don Martin, Mrs. Hubert Dvkes, Willis Wood, Mrs. Elton Bass, and

Mrs. Harvey Bass. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schratz recently moved to Bloomfield, New Mexico.

Mrs. Bub Shafer Presents Program

The Friendship Club met Thursday evening May 2, at the Corral Restaurant with Mrs. Billy Mathis and Mrs. Peggy Childers as hostess and co-hostess.

The invocation was given by Mrs. Syble Johnson after which a salad plate was served to seventeen members.

Roll call was answered with a verse from the Bible or poem.

Mrs. Bub Shafer gave the program on the Bible character Mary Magdalene.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Audie King, minutes were read and approved and the treasury report given.

Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon and Mrs. Blanche Johnson were appointed by the president to place the name of Mrs. Mae Busbice on the Friendship Club Memorial plaque in the library.

Members present were Mrs. Bub Shafer, Mrs. Mary Young, Mrs. Audie King, Mrs. Billy Mathis, Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon, Mrs. Sammie Moore, Mrs. Maude Young, Mrs. Peggy Childers, Mrs. Joe Damron, Mrs. Erma Ray, and Mrs. Sybil Johnson, Mrs. Blanche Johnson, Mrs. Mildred Andrews, Mrs. Pat Wingo, Mrs. Gladys Darsey, Mrs. Adelyn Swaffler and Mrs. Dewell Griffiths.

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Admissions: Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. John R. Harris, Robert Wade King, Steven Russell Ellis, Mrs. Lusio Torres, Roy Bayless, Mr. Lewis Stewart, Mrs. Lorene Latham, Mrs. Rafael Franco and baby girl, Glenn T. Matley, Mrs. Ludie Choate, Marvin Davenport, Eddie Hernandez, Bill Bonell, Mrs. Bernabe De La Cruz, and baby girl, Bobby Newman, Mrs. Gabino Guillen and baby girl.

Dismissals: Mrs. Frank Posey, Joel Posey, Mrs. Alfinza Posadas and baby girl, Mrs. Gordon Blevins, Mrs. J.T. Eubanks, Mrs. Lina Hite, Mrs. Effie Smith, Mrs. Rafael Franco, Eddie Hernandez, Mrs. Dornabe De La Cruz and baby girl, Steven Ellis, Mrs. Ada Harlin, Mrs. Ruby Harris, Robert Wade King, Mrs. John Latham, Mrs. Fidela Soloman, Mrs. Lucio Torres, Mrs. John Watson, Roy Bayless, Marvin Davenport.

L.B. Hambrights To Move

Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Hambricht of Lazbuddie are moving to Midland May 18.

They bought the Anul Ashford farm, built a house and moved here September 10, 1955.

Hambricht's health problems force them to give up farm living they have enjoyed in this area for 19 years. They will be with their daughter and family and daughter-in-law and grandchildren. Their loss will be that of the association with the many friends, acquaintances and fellow church members of Lazbuddie Baptist Church.

One Advantage Golf Enthusiast (during downpour): "Now you see the advantages of golf." Discouraged Novice: "What advantages?" "Well, you couldn't play tennis on a day like this."

Two Place In Dalhart Rodeo

Members of the Muleshoe Rodeo Club went to Dalhart to attend the Dalhart Tri-State Rodeo.

Sherman Presley placed third in ribbon roping and received a buckle and four points. He also placed third in Bulldogging and received a buckle and four points.

Eddie Mardis placed fourth in calf roping and received three points.

Others riding in the rodeo were Dan Ellis, Ross McKillip, Derk Green, Billy Millburn, Jerry Hodge, and Wayland Barker.

The club traveled to Stennett this last weekend for their next rodeo.

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MULESHOE

ESA Mother - Daughter Held

It was a night of 25 years of memories at the ESA sorority's Mother-Daughter Banquet Friday night in Methodist Fellowship Hall when the silver anniversary of the Epsilon Chi Chapter was celebrated. Honored guests were Charter members and mothers of the Sorority members.

Charter members attending the banquet were Miss Billye Jones, Mrs. James Glaze, Mrs. J.M. Forbes, Mrs. Karl Lovelady, Mrs. Kenneth Precure, Mrs. Clyde Holt, Mrs. Ruby Gregory, Mrs. Gordon Petersen, of Clovis, the former Gwyneth Bigham, and Mrs. Bob Herrington of Cozad, Nebraska, Mrs. Herrington was presented a Jonquil, the sorority flower, for coming the farthest to attend the banquet.

The chartering ceremony was

held in the Roland Bigham home October 17, 1949. Mrs. Bigham was a special guest at the banquet as was Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon, a member of the first pledge class in January 1950. Mrs. Loyse Caldwell of Dallas, mother of Mrs. Garter Williams, was recognized as the mother coming the farthest to attend the banquet.

Almost 100 persons were present to see Mrs. Charles Bratcher receive the distinguished Diana Award for giving of herself to a remarkable degree in the service to others. Mrs. John Blackwell was named outstanding member of the chapter, and Mrs. Donald Golden outstanding pledge.

Also recognized were outstanding young women of American for 1973, Mrs. Paul Wilbanks and for 1974, Mrs. Jim-

my White and scholarship winner, Regina Poteat.

Mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. Jerry Harrison, president. The invocation was given by Mrs. Kenneth Precure, charter member and past president. The first president in 1949-50, Mrs. Ruby Gregory, gave the opening ritual. The inactive members, mothers and special guest were welcomed by Mrs. Edwin Cox, vice-president-elect, Mrs. Wilcy Moore, a former member and mother of sorority member Mrs. Ronnie Barrett, gave the response.

Mrs. James Andrews of Friona, a charter member of Sigma Upsilon chapter in Friona Muleshoe's sister chapter and immediate past president of District 9, entertained with her singing and led the group in ESA songs.

The program presented by Mrs. John Blackwell and Mrs. Jack Rennels was a pictorial history of the 25 years of Epsilon Chi. The highlight was a taped message from Mrs. Noel Woodley of Terrell, formerly of Muleshoe, who served as first educational director in 1949 to 1954. Other educational directors who acted as sponsors present at the banquet were Mrs. Fred Johnson and Mrs. Wilbur LeVeque.

The oldest tradition of the sorority which is still carried on is giving eyeglasses to needy school children. This was started during the second year the chapter was formed while Gwyneth Bigham was president. The first Mother - Daughter celebration noted in the yearbook was in 1952, and Mrs. Steve Bavousette of Friona, the former Mary Frye of Muleshoe, seems to remember it was a tea held in the home of Mrs. Naomi St. Clair Alcorn, who hosted many sorority functions in the early days.

During Mrs. Willis Farrell's presidency in 1951-52, the Muleshoe members organized the Sudan Chapter, and Mrs. Jack Young now of Muleshoe was a charter member of that chapter. In 1970, when Mrs. Jack

Rennels was president, the Friona chapter was formed.

Bake sales and a snow cone machine sustained Epsilon Chi financially in the beginning. In fact the first bake sale in the spring of 1950 netted \$33, and bake sales are still an economic life saver.

The Will Roberts Rodeo parade held in the summer always had an ESA float in it as does today's Christmas parade. Christmas dances were an annual event until 1967, when the Christmas Santa social was started to help see that Santa visits needy children. The Annual dance now held since 1970 is the Luau.

The largest project ever undertaken by Epsilon Chi was for the library and started in 1963, with a community wide western dance. When Mrs. Kenneth Precure was president. She was recognized as being the member active the longest, 15 years. It is estimated that over \$3,500 has been given by ESA to the library. The current civic project is the hospital action fund.

The first second generation member to join ESA in Muleshoe was Mrs. Clifford Black, daughter of Mrs. Bill Jim St. Clair. Pictures were shown of Mrs. St. Clair's pledge class. Other second generation members have been Miss Janet Ellis, daughter of Mrs. Dick Ellis served as president in 1953-54 and Mrs. Ellis in 1955-56.

The only second generation member now in the chapter is Mrs. Ronnie Barrett, daughter of Mrs. Wilcy Moore.

Past Presidents present were Mrs. Ruby Gregory, Mrs. Gordon Petersen of Clovis, Mrs. Willis Farrell of Amarillo, Mrs. Willis Witherspoon, Mrs. Bill Jim St. Clair, Mrs. Dick Ellis of Clovis, Mrs. Carl Barmert, Mrs. Herb Griffiths, Mrs. Robert Hooten, Miss Billye Jones, Mrs. Roy Wrinkle, Mrs. Kenneth Precure, Mrs. Eugene Howard, Mrs. Jack Rennels, Mrs. Dick Chitwood, the current president Mrs. Jerry Harrison, and President-elect Mrs. Carter Williams.

To conclude the banquet, Mrs. Corky Green, an inactive mem-

ber, sang a son "ESA is Beautiful" which she has written last year. She was accompanied by Miss Gayla Hooten who had also provided dinner music for the banquet.

The chaplain Mrs. Jim Crawford gave the benediction followed by the closing ritual led by Mrs. Hugh Young.

It Better Be Good

At 5 a.m. little Johnny awoke and asked his mother to tell him a story.

"Sh-h-h," soothed Mother, "any minute now your daddy will be home and tell us both one."



JULY WEDDING PLANNED... Mr. and Mrs. K.S. Reynolds of Amarillo announce the engagement of their daughter, Mamie Gail, to Eddie Dale Gage, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gage of Muleshoe. Miss Reynolds attended Lubbock Christian College and Texas Tech University, was a member of Alpha Epsilon Chi, Women's Social Club at Lubbock Christian College. Gage attended West Texas State University and Texas Tech University. He was a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity at WTSU. He is presently employed at Blackburn's. The couple plan a July 27 wedding at the Central Church of Christ.

Canyon O.E.S. Hosts Grand Officers Tea

A tea was held in Canyon, Sunday afternoon, for Grand Officers in District 2, Section 3, Grand Chapter of Texas, Order of the Eastern Star.

Grand Officers attending from Muleshoe were: Mrs. Sidney Dell Bullock, member of the Founder's Day Committee; Wyle Bullock, member of Ambassa-

dors Committee and Mrs. Mary Farley, Chairman, District 2, Section 3, Time and Talent Committee.

Others attending from Muleshoe Chapter were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams, Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, and Mrs. J.H. Clay, Associate Matron.



FIVE GENERATIONS... H.G. Harvey of Muleshoe; Clara Coffman, also of Muleshoe and the daughter of H.G. Harvey and the late Mrs. H.G. Harvey; Harvey Coffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coffman of Gordin City, Texas; Twilla Jo Leverett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Coffman, of Odessa and Jason Leverett the three month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Leverette of Odessa were together for family visit recently. Jason Leverette was born on H.G. Harvey's 86th birthday.

Mrs. Kenmore, "Outstanding Young Educator"

Connie Kenmore, first grade teacher who feels that "watching my children grow and progress is fantastic," has been named the Outstanding Young Educator for 1973-74 by the Dimmitt Jaycees.

Mrs. Kenmore, 24, was announced as the winner at last Thursday night's Teacher Appreciation Banquet, hosted by four civic clubs. She received a plaque from Jaycee President Avery Thrasher.

The Jaycees annually name an Outstanding Young Educator among local teachers in the 21-36 age bracket.

Mrs. Kenmore was one of seven teachers, administrators and school staffers singled out for honors at the Teacher Appreciation Banquet, which was attended by almost 300 school people, civic club members,

school trustees and their spouses.

In presenting the Outstanding Young Educator award, Thrasher explained that "by honoring the young teachers, the importance of this profession to the welfare and growth of our communities can be emphasized."

Mrs. Kenmore, wife of Ronnie Kenmore, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harlin, is a graduate of Lazbuddie High School and West Texas State University. Before entering WTSU, she attended South Plains College, in Levelland, where she was named to Phi Theta Kappa academic honorary. She received a BS degree in elementary education from WTSU in 1973, and plans to train this summer for bilingual teaching.

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Pork Producers Vote On Referendum

Texas pork producers will soon decide by referendum whether or not a check-off program will be begun for their commodity. The check-off is not to exceed 10 cents per head for all slaughter animals at the first point of sale.

Voting on the referendum will begin about May 1, with balloting done by mail. All ballots must be postmarked not later than May 14. Ballots will be sent to all producers by the Texas Pork Producers Association, points out Spencer Tankley, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Producers who do not receive a ballot may obtain one from the county Extension office in the courthouse at Muleshoe or call the county office at 272-3913.

In addition to voting on the referendum, producers will also be electing a board of directors from 15 districts which will be called the Texas Pork Producers Board.

If the referendum is approved the board of directors will be responsible for handling all phases of the program. The money collected must be used only for developing and carrying out programs of research, education, promotion, and disease, insect and predatory animal control designed to encourage production, marketing and use of pork. Thus, the check-off system is a "self-help" program, explains Tankley.

The upcoming referendum is being conducted under the Texas Check-Off Act of 1969 and is under the supervision of the Texas Commissioner of Agriculture. Approval of the referendum requires a two-thirds vote in favor of the check-off or that those voting "yes" produce at least 50 per cent of the state's pork for slaughter during a designated period. Producers must report their production at the time of balloting.

The Extension Service has conducted educational meetings

in the past few months to inform producers about the provisions of the referendum and the Check-Off Act.

Producers who do not wish to contribute to the program through the check-off may ask for a refund on paid in assessments. A written request must be made within 60 days from the date of the check-off payment on a form provided by the Pork Producers Board.

The check-off program may be terminated at any time by a simple majority vote of qualified producers.

This information is provided by Dr. Bill Thomas, Extension Swine Specialist.

BIBLE VERSE

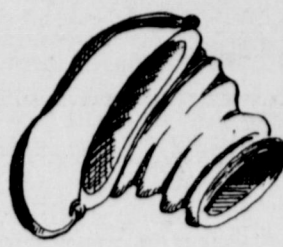
"A bruised reed shall he not break, and the smoking flax shall he not quench; he shall bring forth judgment unto truth."

1. Of whom was the author speaking?
2. Who was the author?
3. What position did he hold?

Answers To Bible Verse

1. Jesus Christ, the Messiah.
2. Isaiah.
3. He was the outstanding prophet of the Jews.

At Muleshoe Junior High



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--- FEEDBAG INFORMATION ---



ESA Honor Awards Will Be Presented

The National Honor Society held the last regular meeting for the 1973-74 school year Wednesday, May 1, at 6 p.m. in the Corral Restaurant. The Vice-President, Lequice Herman, presided over the meeting in the absence of the president The Chaplain, Glenda Harlin, gave the invocation.

Members ordered patches and jewelry with the National Honor Society emblem.

The Members who have been in the National Honor Society for two years presented Mrs. Smith with a gift of appreciation.

Those present for the dinner were Steve Block, Terri Bryant, Cindy Chandler, Kim Cowan, Glenda Harlin, Susan Head, Le-

quice Herman, Mike Jones, Denette Mann, Regina Poteet, Danita Throckmorton, Larry Torres, Sharon Wrinkle, Sammye Mardis, Doug Crawford, Judy Dearing, Vicky Griffin, Cindy Harvey, Bobby Henry, Susan Murray, Robbie Nesbitt, Jana

Oyler, Marcia Rudd, Tim Soter, Steve Van Zandt, Pan Vinson, David Watson, and Prisca Young.

UIL Events Begin May 6-10

In the week of May 6-10 the UIL events will begin. The events are Number Sense - Mr. Gregory coordinator, Ready Writing, Mrs. Milbun coordinator, Spelling, Mrs. Bruns coordinator, Oral Reading - Mrs. Pollard coordinator, Good Luck to all contestants.

Junior High Variety Show Held May 2

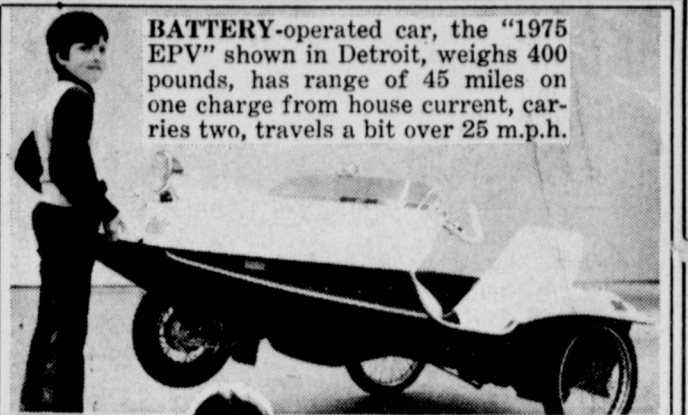
by Shari Harlin & Shelly McGlenn

On May 2, at the High-School auditorium the Junior High Variety Show was held. Any talented person or group could perform. The Student Council sponsored this show. There were two performances, one at 1:35 for the Junior High Students and one at 7:30 for the public. The student Council would like to thank all who worked hard to make this a success all who participated in this show, and all who attended.

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Junior High Variety Show Held May 2

People, Spots In The News



BATTERY-operated car, the "1975 EPV" shown in Detroit, weighs 400 pounds, has range of 45 miles on one charge from house current, carries two, travels a bit over 25 m.p.h.



CHAMPION at looking down one's nose must be this pensive papa peacock parading in a London park.



CALICO CAR—Some artistic soul took the time and trouble to "quilt" this small auto with Hallmark's new gift-wrap paper. It's called Patchwork Pizzaz.

Report of Condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK

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REPORT OF CONDITION, CONSOLIDATING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE

The First National Bank of Muleshoe, Texas

IN THE STATE OF Texas, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON April 24, 1974 PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER TITLE 12, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 161.

	ASSETS	
	Dollars	Cts.
Cash and due from banks (including \$ 3,930.59 unposted debits)	2,983.	147.04
U.S. Treasury securities	200.	066.96
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	497.	187.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,770.	331.83
Other securities (including \$ None corporate stock)	21.	000.00
Trading account securities		None
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,400.	000.00
Loans	5,022.	835.32
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	102.	762.91
Real estate owned other than bank premises	126.	109.24
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and "associated companies"		None
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		None
Other assets (including \$ None direct lease financing)		792.57
TOTAL ASSETS	14,124.	233.37
LIABILITIES		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	6,576.	848.02
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,173.	056.50
Deposits of United States Government	52.	319.01
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	908.	276.15
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions		None
Deposits of commercial banks	17.	000.00
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	83.	042.95
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$ 12,810,542.63	
(a) Total demand deposits	\$ 7,314,411.48	
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$ 5,496,131.15	
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
Liabilities for borrowed money		None
Mortgage indebtedness		None
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None
Other liabilities	63.	449.06
TOTAL LIABILITIES	12,873.	991.69
MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES		
		None
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	158.	498.99
Other reserves on loans		None
Reserves on securities		None
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	158.	498.99
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
Capital notes and debentures		None
NA % Due NA \$ None		
NA % Due NA \$ None		
Equity capital-total	1,091.	742.69
Preferred stock-total par value		None
No. shares outstanding		None
Common Stock-total par value	300.	000.00
No. shares authorized	15,000	
No. shares outstanding	15,000	
Surplus	400.	000.00
Undivided profits	346.	628.73
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	45.	113.96
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,091.	742.69
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	14,124.	233.37
MEMORANDA		
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	13,540.	828.66
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,067.	464.00
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts		None
Standby letters of credit		None

I, Ted Barnhill, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Ted Barnhill

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

/s/ M. D. Gunstream
 /s/ Paul Poynor
 /s/ Elbert Nowell

Directors.

REPORT of CONDITION of MULESHOE STATE BANK

Consolidated Report of Condition of " Muleshoe State Bank of Muleshoe in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on April 24, 1974.

	ASSETS	
	DOLLARS	Cts.
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$100,245.35 unposted debits)	1,613.	969.40
2. U.S. Treasury securities	1,095.	011.58
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	300.	000.00
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,010.	567.28
5. Other securities (including \$ None corporate stocks)		1.00
6. Trading account securities		None
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	3,700.	000.00
8. Other loans	7,658.	451.82
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	578.	498.41
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises		1.00
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated		None
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		152.00
13. Other assets	18,108.	505.70
14. TOTAL ASSETS	33,062.	2,116.82
LIABILITIES		
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	8,040.	163.60
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	7,670.	754.70
17. Deposits of United States Government	46.	798.59
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	651.	010.32
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions		None
20. Deposits of commercial banks		None
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc.	70.	496.78
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$ 16,479,223.99	
(a) Total demand deposits	\$ 8,403,545.42	
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$ 8,075,678.57	
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money		None
25. Mortgage indebtedness		None
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding		None
27. Other liabilities	196.	660.90
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	16,675.	884.89
RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES		
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	216.	347.90
31. Other reserves on loans		None
32. Reserves on securities		None
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	216.	347.90
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS		
34. Capital notes and debentures		None
35. Equity capital, total	1,216.	272.91
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding None)		None
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 20,000) (No. shares outstanding 20,000)		400.000.00
38. Surplus	500.	000.00
39. Undivided profits	316.	272.91
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		None
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	1,216.	272.91
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	18,108.	505.70
MEMORANDA		
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	16,785.	910.05
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	7,463.	815.25
3. Unearned discount on installment loans included in total capital accounts		None

I, Robert E. Finney, of the above-named bank, do solemnly (SWEAR) (AFFIRM) that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: Robert E. Finney

Charles L. Lenau
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H. L. Griffiths

State of Texas, County of Bailey

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of May, 1974

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires June 1, 1974

Notary Public Pat Kreutz



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

Austin--Some time ago, our column mentioned problems a few Texans have had with in-state land deals.

Other Texas Consumers have expressed concern about promotions for out-of-state land developments and how to avoid difficulties in such transactions. Responsible land developers are concerned, too. They say the keys to avoiding trouble with out-of-state land buys are to deal with a reputable company or individual and to investigate carefully before entering into any agreement or commitment.

It's always a good idea to view any land development in which you're contemplating making a sizeable investment. If it's worth several thousand dollars of your money, it's worth the extra cash and time it would take to see it.

But what makes such rules difficult to follow in purchasing land in another state is that it is sometimes impossible to travel to the state to investigate the property, and the com-

pany offering the deal may be unknown to the consumer.

If, for some reason, you can not inspect land that you are considering purchasing you can find out certain things about it by asking the land developer for a property report.

Since passage of the Interstate Land Sales Act, developers of tracts of more than 50 subdivided lots that are promoted as a unit must file a property report with the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

This report gives the exact location of the land, clearly outlines the method of financing to be used, tells how much money is backing the project, and discloses whether or not the promoter actually has a clear title to the land.

It is unlawful to use interstate commerce or the mails to promote, sell, or lease lots without adhering to terms of the Act. If you buy out-of-state land, are promised a property report, and don't get one

you have the right under the Act to file suit for your losses. The best way to avoid such difficulties, however, is to be on guard if an interstate land promoter cannot provide a property report or tells you that you don't need one. That golden opportunity he's offering you could be a bit tarnished.

In a recent case involving sale of land in Florida and Arizona the Federal Trade Commission has provisionally accepted a consent order in a case involving a large land sales and development firm.

The order, agreed to by the company, could provide restitution in the way of money or substitute lots to thousands of consumers who purchased land for retirement or vacation homes because of what the FTC contends was deceptive advertising of worthless land.

According to the FTC, many of the land sales took place at promotional dinner parties where movies showing an attractive, developed area led buyers to believe that the land they purchased would be similar. In fact, some of the lots were under water, others had no sewer or water systems, and there was no assurance that planned developments would take place.

Attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division have had reports from other states that auctions are being used to sell worthless out of state land. The excitement of competing with other bidders can cause some buyers to spend far more than they ever intended, and often far more than the land is worth.

The customary mode of operation for such itinerant land promoters is "hit and run." They rush down to the bank the next morning after a sale, cash all checks, then leave town. Many buyers later find that they are left holding deeds for land that may be not only hundreds or thousands of miles away from them, but what is worse, many miles from the nearest electric cable or sewer connection.

So if you're considering the purchase of out of state land that you can't go see prior to the sale, ask for a property report. You can also check with the Department of Housing and Urban Development for possible information about the land promoter.

If problems arise, get in touch with attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division or your local county or district attorney.

BRIEFS

- Britain estimates 400,000 being laid off.
- Greenland is planning to search for oil.
- Violent crime in U.S. up 3% in 9 months.
- Denver prepares for racial school busing.
- U.S. energy edge helps lift dollar.
- November trade surplus showed sharp drop.
- South Korea sets limits on press freedom.
- Ray files damage suit in King case.

Lt. Governor's Report

By Bill Hobby

A recent national poll has indicated that more Americans would prefer to live and work in a rural community than in a large city.

The emphasis on urbanization which we have witnessed during the past few decades may well be at an end with a renewed interest in rural America.

Agriculture, in addition to being the largest industry in our state, has also become our most dynamic growth industry. The demand for agricultural products has risen to a level where once again it pays to be a farmer. That is, it pays if you can find seed, fertilizer, water and fuel to run the farm machinery.

Not only do we have more people, but their incomes have increased tremendously. They want and can afford better food, and that means more protein and more livestock. The American farmer can meet this world demand for food if he is not denied for foolish government policy.

It is a tribute to the American farmer and rancher that recent federal price ceilings did not bring agricultural production to a halt. We saw the damaging results of government intervention in the free market place -- poultry raisers, for example, killed over 2 million baby chicks because they cost more to feed than they would bring under artificial price controls imposed by government.

The Sandhills Philosopher



Editor's note: The Sandhill Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm discusses gardening this week, more or less.

Everybody these days is trying to beat the high cost of living especially by, if he's in a position to do it, raising the price of what he has to sell and hollering to high heaven over the price of what he has to buy.

Since groceries are high on most people's budget, if you count cosmetics, hose, cigarettes, lawn fertilizer and other such staples, there is a widespread rush over the country to plant a garden this year.

Recognizing this, and recognizing that a lot of big city dwellers don't have any ground for a garden, some smart guy I read in the paper last night, has come up with a plan. He has leased a large tract of land just outside the city and is in turn sub-leasing small garden plots in it to city people trying to beat the high cost of food. Each plot leases for \$160 a year and he tells his prospects it's possible to grow \$1,500 worth of vegetables on it.

Now I don't want to discourage this, it would do a lot of city people good to get out in the

country and find out what fresh air tastes like, but I'd advise them not to bank on growing \$1,500 worth of food.

A garden looks splendid in a seed catalog but it's hard to duplicate it on the ground. It's like a movie actress. She looks better on the screen than she does in broad daylight.

Enthusiasm when you first step onto your garden plot mounts steadily until you've finished breaking the first few square feet and your back is killing you. If you get it all spaded or plowed (you can get a garden tractor for \$400 or \$500) and planted there is another time of exhilaration when the plants first come up, dampened a little when you find out that for every vegetable there are 14 weeds. After you get it weeded you'll find there are more insects on this planet, Horatio, than man has dreamt of.

I could go on but I don't want to discourage the gardening movement. You can grow one if you work hard enough at it, but that's true, alas, of nearly any job. In the meantime, don't alienate your friendly groceryman.

Yours, faithfully,
J.A.

'Land Of Texas' Published

AUSTIN--Do you know that Texas grows enough carrots to feed the entire United States? ... That pecan trees are native to 152 Texas counties? ... That Texas ranks among the leaders in the nation in the bee industry?

Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced the publication of FROM THE LAND OF TEXAS -- an informative and entertaining booklet of agricultural information.

Dedicated to the school children of Texas, White said that the book is a "record

that all Texans can appreciate."

The publication explains the challenges that face today's farmers and ranchers in their production of food for the American table. Also included are the major crops and livestock, production facts and figures and the growing areas of principal commodities.

For a copy of FROM THE LAND OF TEXAS, write John C. White, Commissioner, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

BOOST SMALL CARS
DETROIT--U.S. automakers are stepping up production of fast selling small cars as three assembly plants complete the changeover from building low-demand big cars in the face of possible gasoline shortages.

CHANGING ASTRONAUTS
SPACE CENTER, HOUSTON--Skylab 3's astronauts have grown up to an inch or more in height and lost some inches around the waist since they left earth. A space doctor also told the men of Skylab 3 that their physical fitness is as good as before they left earth.

Dear Friends:

We wish to take this opportunity to announce to you, we have purchased a new store, the Western Store on "South Main" in Lazbuddie.

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We are having open house May 9, 10 and 11 for our new business. We extend to you an invitation to come by anytime and especially during these 3 days. We'll have a door prize to register for, a "Whirlpool Trash Masher Compactor". It will be given away by a drawing Saturday, May 11th at 6:00 p. m.

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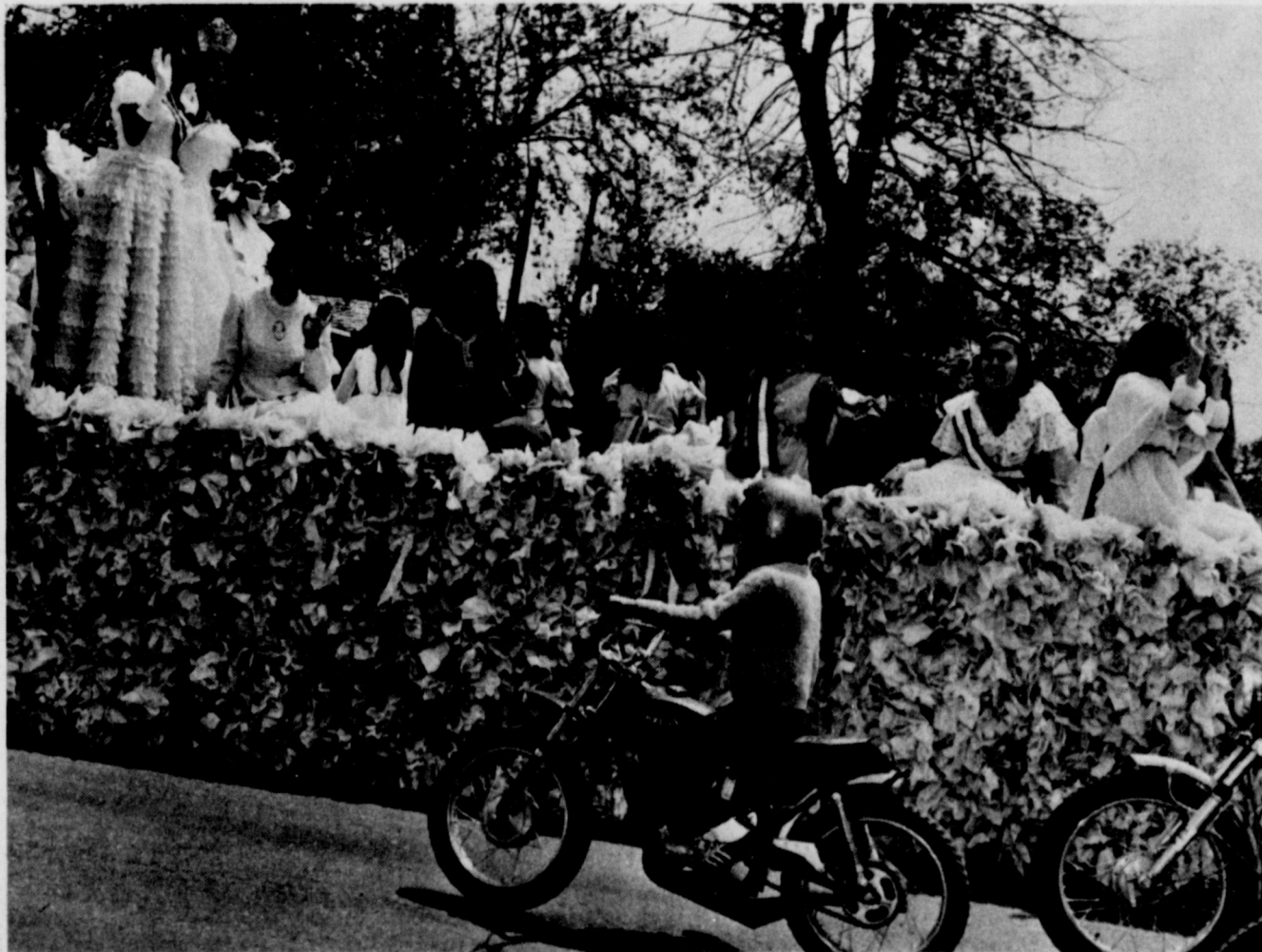
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WASHINGTON REPORT BY

Lloyd Bentsen,

United States Senator

CONCEPT OF THE PRESIDENCY. When George Washington took office, he insisted that "Mr." was a sufficient title for any American, including the President of the United States. Over the years, however, the Office of the Presidency has deviated from the original intent -- and I believe it is time to re-examine the role of the President in our system of government.

There is a disturbing trend in the concept of the presidency which started many years ago. This wasn't something that just cropped up in the current Administration. And it was as much the fault of the Congress -- a failure of Congress to assert its constitutional role, over an extended period of time -- as it was the fault of the Executive Branch.

I recognize that it is all too

easy for a member of the Senate to take a critical view of the Executive. The adversary relationship between the two was built into our Constitution and the function of government depends on it.

Members of the legislative branch are not expected to always agree with the President--even if they belong to the President's party. But we are expected to respect his concept and conduct of the office.

The concept of the Presidency has been changing over a period of time--and from my viewpoint, much of the change has not been for the better.

The recent turmoil surrounding that office is a clear signal that it is time to re-examine the role of the President in exercising the "just powers"

conferred by the consent of the governed.

The President is required to be many things to millions of people. He must be a politician, a Chief Executive, a Commander in Chief, an educator and a leader.

PRESIDENCY HAS CHANGED. Since the early days of our country, the office of the presidency has become more remote, more exalted, more powerful. And it has become more distrusted and feared--both at home and abroad.

Thomas Jefferson walked ceremony and afterward sat at from his hotel to his inaugural the cold end of the table at his boardinghouse because no man there would give the new President a place at the warm end. No one thought of yielding his place to the new President, any more than he would have thought of demanding it.

Of course, we cannot go back to the simplicity of the old ways. But it is still within the power of the President to set a tone that is in keeping with a democratic society, where hardships and sacrifices are equally shared.

In spite of modern demands for protection and security, Harry Truman was one of our most accessible Presidents. He got his exercise by taking brisk early morning walks through the streets of Washington--followed by a breathless retinue of reporters and a barrage of questions.

He kept his perspective by reminding himself, when faced with crucial decisions, that he was just an average American citizen--who happened to be occupying the Office of the Presidency at that particular time in history.

It is this perspective that needs to be restored and re-emphasized--by an open president, an accessible president, who makes no apology for democracy.

PRESIDENT PLAYS MANY ROLES. I realize I place a heavy burden on the shoulders of the President, requiring him to be not only Chief Executive and Commander-in-Chief, but skilled politician, an analyst, planner, educator, leader and example. And some may wonder if there are any Americans who can fit the job description.

Of course there are--Thousands of them. I reject categorically the undemocratic idea that there is only one person in either of our country's political parties who is uniquely qualified for the presidency.

We may have shortages in this country, but there is no shortage of leadership. There is an abundance of talent to be tapped--and, in re-examining our concept of the Presidency, it is important that we take full advantage of it.

SOVIETS TO ECONOMICIZE

MOSCOW--The Soviet Union's top planner has warned that Russians are going to have to be careful about their use of fuel. He told the Communist planners, who direct the Russian economy, they have to scale down their general economic targets for 1974.

Courthouse News Horse Vaccination Time Here

New cars: Norman N. Hichliffe, 1974 Mercury, Muleshoe Motor Co.; Frankie Black, 1974 Buick, Town and Country Auto. Danny Shipman, 1974 Pontiac, Town and Country Auto; F.L. Brown, 1974 Oldsmobile, Town and Country Auto; Johnny Vaughn, 1964 Mercury, Watson Motor Co; Ray D. Willis, 1974 Ford Pickup, Muleshoe Motor Co; Jimmie T. Carpenter, 1974 Cadillac, Garner Motor Co.; Price Hamilton, 1974 Ford Pickup, Muleshoe Motor Co.; L.M. Davis, 1974 Ford, Muleshoe Motor Co.; M.D. Locker, 1974 Ford, Red J. Ford, Bob Palmer 1974 Ford Pickup, Muleshoe Motor Co. Kirk Potts, 1974 Mercury Muleshoe Motor Co., C.C. Snitker, 1974 Chevrolet, Crow Chevrolet; T.H. Lewis, 1974 Ford, Muleshoe Motor Co; James Warren, 1974 Chevrolet Pickup, Crow Chevrolet; H. Gordan Patton, 1974 GMC Pickup, Town and Country Auto; James Meason, 1974 Buick, Town and Country Auto; P.A. Mitcham, 1974 Buick, Town and Country Auto; Bailey County Electric, 1974 Chev. Pickup, Crow Chevrolet; Bailey County Electric, 1974 Chevrolet Pickup; Crow Chevrolet; Eugene Gully, 1974 Pontiac, Town and Country Auto; R.D. Chitwood, 1974 GMC Pickup, Town and Country Auto; D.L. Redwine, 1974 Ford Pickup, Muleshoe Motor Co.; Mrs. Dorothy Beddingfield, 1974 Chevrolet, Crow Chev.; Isidro Ortega, 1974 Chevrolet, Crow Chev.; N.C. Moore, 1974 Mercury, Pioneer Lincoln Mercury; Clinton Eugene Rogers, GMC Pickup, Town and Country Auto.

Marriage License: PerryDon Mason, Clovis, and Cathy Lou McCormick, Muleshoe.

Raymond Loyd Davenport, Muleshoe, and Judy Lynn Calvert, Muleshoe.

Warranty Deeds: Gary Miller to Byron M. Gunter, all of Lot 184, Richland Hills addition, Muleshoe.

Gene Cox to Gary Miller, beginning at a point in the east row line of State Highway 214 and the South line of tract no. 5 of the S.T. Lawrance subdivision of the south half of the northwest quarter of Section 53, Block Y, W.D. and F.W. Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County, from whence the southwest corner of said southwest quarter bears south 20 feet and west 533.95 feet.

E. J. Shafer and wife, Joyce A. Shafer, to Betty Donald Burrows, all of Lots Nos. 5 and 6 Block No. 2 of Obenhaus re-division of the east half of Block No. 7, Warren's Acreage Subdivision, Bailey County, located on Section No. 33 and 40, Block Y, W.D. and F.W. Johnson subdivision no. 2.

TOKYO SAVING THINGS

TOKYO--Tokyo residents have been throwing out fewer things since reports of shortages spread in connection with the Arab oil squeeze. City officials report that rubbish pickup is down 124 tons a day from October.

Warmer weather means the appearance of the mosquito and its threat as a disease carrier, especially as far as horse sleeping sickness is concerned. So, all horse owners should take steps to protect their animals, urges Spencer Tanksley, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

All horses, mules, asses and ponies should be vaccinated for the three types of equine encephalomyelitis (horse sleeping sickness)-- Eastern, Western and Venezuelan. The Venezuelan strain (VEE) caused the deaths of thousands of horses in Texas and Mexico when it first appeared in 1971.

A combined vaccine is available for the Eastern and Western strains of the disease and annual booster shots should be given after the initial vaccination. A separate vaccine must be administered to protect animals from VEE. The vaccine provides protection for about 18 months. Colts vaccinated last year while under six months of age should be re-vaccinated, points out Tanksley.

Vaccines are available through veterinarians and should be administered only by them, notes Tanksley.

The Texas Animal Health Commission requires that all horses moving to shows or out-of state be vaccinated for VEE.

Symptoms of the three diseases include depression, lack of appetite and drowsiness. Animals may frequently grind their teeth and stagger when moving. They may also lunge uncontrollably and assume a "sawhorse" stance.

Although there have been no horse deaths from VEE in the

past two years, in the U.S., a number of animals were lost last year to the Eastern and Western strains of the disease in some 25 states.

So, plan to vaccinate your horses as soon as possible to give the protection they need, advises Tanksley.

U.S. SUPPORTS POUND

The United States has made available an additional \$1 billion in U.S. currency to help England support the value of the pound.

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Nixon's Offer

President Nixon's nationally televised offer to the House Judiciary Committee to turn over 1200 pages of transcripts to the committee (all pertinent conversations) and allow the chairman and ranking Republican to hear all the tapes themselves, in addition, is a reasonable one.

The House Judiciary Committee has now had six months to investigate impeachment; almost nothing has been done in the way of studying the mass of material already available. Instead, the Democratic Chairman, Peter Rodino, and his staff chief, John Doar, have precipitated a series of escalated, publicly oriented confrontations with the White House.

The American people are growing tired of the politics of Watergate. If Rodino wants the facts, he should lead his committee in a prompt and serious study of the massive data at hand, listen to all the tapes himself. By not doing that already, the committee has probably lost its public relations contest with the President; the feeling is inescapable that the committee (and its hundred lawyers) could work out a solution and do its job if politics were not involved.

Mother's Day

The observance of Mother's Day is a recent one in the United States, beginning only in 1907. Then it was the idea of Miss Anna M. Jarvis, a Philadelphia school teacher, formerly of Grafton, West Virginia, that at least once a year sons and daughters should pay tribute to mothers. Miss Jarvis arranged for a special church service and suggested white carnations be worn by those attending.

The observance, on the second Sunday in May, has rapidly spread to every part of the United States and the fact that it became custom in all the states only four years after it had been suggested testifies to the sentiment for such an observance in this country.

In later years, the custom of wearing a white carnation on Mother's Day was changed and those whose mothers were still alive wore red flowers, instead of white. First observed in the United States, Mother's Day has become an international occasion and mothers in every area of the world are now honored each year on Mother's Day.

More than anyone else, the mother who cares for both home and her children is destined to influence the character and future of the country. And often this responsibility is combined with a back-breaking and steady ordeal of sewing, washing, mending, cleaning and teaching. It is to this mother, who dedicates her life to her home, her family and children, that the country owes a debt of gratitude. It is this mother who represents the finest in our civilization.

Good intentions, besides paving a well known area, are a prelude to many fine achievements.

People who extend liberal support to the churches seldom worry about what they get in return.



NEWS REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

Kennedy's Trip - An Arms Agreement? Deficit Trade - The New Fuel-
WASHINGTON, D.C.--The major significance of Senator Ted Kennedy's recent trip to Russia was missed by those viewing the show as a political one, which it was.

As soon as he returned to this country, Kennedy told newsmen he was convinced an arms agreement between Russia and the United States can be achieved, and in the reasonably near future. In addition, Kennedy said he felt a ban on all strategic nuclear weapons could be negotiated with the Russians at a later date.

These are significant words, especially from a leading Senator of the opposition. He was, in effect, saying the basic foreign policy of the Nixon Administration, its whole purpose of

detente with the Soviet Union, would succeed, and saying it at a time when President Nixon was hard pressed by Watergate and economic problems.

Kennedy's assurance that he wasn't running for President, meanwhile, wasn't taken seriously by the Press. The Massachusetts Senator said he would make an announcement late next year, revealing whether he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination. That, of course, is the standard technique of candidates.

The U.S. trade balance dipped into the red in March, for the first time in nine months, and immediately confidence in the dollar began to wane abroad. Yet the trade balance for 1974 remains healthy in the black because of surpluses in January and February.

The higher cost of imported oil, a major factor in the March deficit, has convinced many the U.S. balance for the year will be in the red

WASHINGTON NOTES

NOMINATES WOMAN

President Nixon has nominated Dr. Virginia Y. Trotter as Assistant Secretary for Education in the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. She's the first woman elected to this post.

ON OCEAN FUEL

Senator William D. Hathaway (D-Me) says that the nation's greatest hope for increased energy production lies in the development of ocean continental shelf oil and gas resources.

ON INFLATION

Director of the Cost of Living Council John T. Dunlop predicts that inflation in the second half of the year will be worse than either the Nixon administration or private economists have predicted.

ON PROJECT SANGUINE

The Navy has suspended development of Project Sanguine a vast underground system for sending emergency messages to missile-firing submarines.

PERCY'S BID

Senator Charles H. Percy (R-Ind) has developed an ambitious two and one-half year battle plan to win the Republican presidential nomination in 1976 at an estimated cost of about \$11 million.

CUBA TO GET AUTOS

The State Department has announced approval of export licenses to three U.S. automakers for their Argentine subsidiaries to sell vehicles in Cuba.

ON FOREIGN AID

President Nixon has asked Congress for \$5.18 billion

in new foreign aid funds. He called for \$907.5 million to the Middle East, \$939.8 million for Indochina and \$28 million to administer the program.

BEEF PRICES DOWN

The American National Cattlemen's Association took a survey on retail prices of beef in 19 large cities and found prices were down on the average of 25 cents a pound since the February 11th peak.

ON HEALTH CARE

Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Caspar W. Weinberger predicts the national health care bill could rise \$7-billion if Congress does not extend Federal controls beyond April 30.

QUILT TELLS STORY

ELM GROVE, WIS. -- Dan Lorenz Jr., 21, has a prized quilt that tells the story of his life. His mother used scraps from his first blanket and other garments he wore through high school to make the 586-piece quilt.



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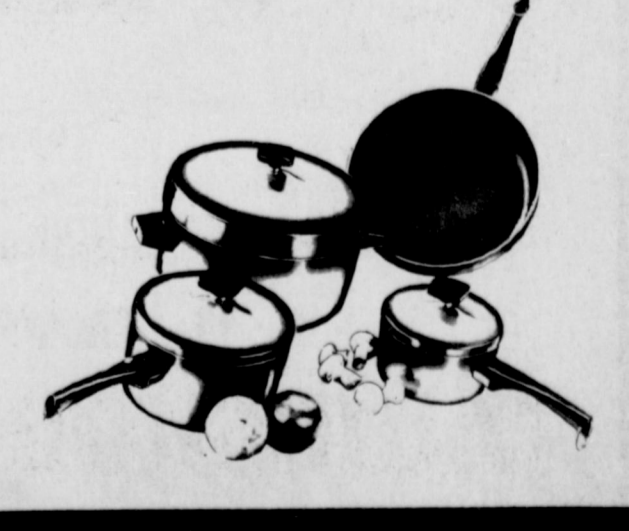
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, Tex. — New federal revenue sharing funds totalling \$294,045,044 will be distributed to state, county and city governments in Texas during the next fiscal year.

This is \$9 million more than allocations for the current year which amount to \$285,228,345 for all units of government in the state.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe reported state government will get nearly \$3 million more for the 1974-75 fiscal period beginning July 1 than the 1973-74 allotment.

State government's cut is \$98,081,488 compared with \$95,283,690 for this year.

An overpayment of \$108,711,

due to an Office of Revenue Sharing mistake in Washington, will be deducted from next year's funds sent to Texas.

The allocation is based on a formula including consideration of population, per capita income and tax effort.

Under next year's formula, hospital district taxes will be considered in the total county tax effort. Hospital taxes previously had been considered a city tax effort.

Six Texas counties will get larger revenue sharing allotments while some cities within the counties will get smaller amounts.

Harris County, which now receives \$6.87 million, will get

\$9.65 million for 1974-75. Houston will receive slightly less — \$17,366,689 as compared with \$18 million under current formulas.

The Dallas County total will increase from \$3.58 million to \$5.2 million. Nueces County's share will increase from \$1.7 million to \$2.3 million. Bexar County's from \$2.6 million to \$5.2 million, El Paso County's from \$1.2 to \$1.9 million and Tarrant County from \$1.8 million to \$3.25 million.

The city of Dallas will get slightly less — \$13.1 million, as compared with \$13.6 million. Corpus Christi's total will decline from \$3.66 million to \$3.4 million, San Antonio's from \$9.6 million to \$9.3 million, El Paso's from \$6.1 million to \$6 million and Fort Worth's from \$5.26 million to \$5 million.

DROUGHT DECLARATION SOUGHT — Governor Briscoe has requested U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz to declare Coleman County a disaster area as a result of drought conditions in the county. Briscoe requested the disaster declaration provide low interest loans and other assistance to farmers and businesses that suffered wheat crop losses from the drought.

The Governor informed Secretary Butz a number of other Texas counties have been affected by prolonged dry weather and high winds and similar requests for supplementary Federal assistance may be received from other county officials in the near future.

State Agriculture Commissioner John C. White said estimates of wheat losses due to drought conditions in 47 Texas counties run about \$160 million.

ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES — Under most circumstances submission by State Welfare agencies of basic information concerning the identity of welfare recipients to a centralized computer does not violate any Federal or State common law statutory or constitutional right of privilege, Atty. Gen. John Hill has ruled.

In an opinion requested by Governor Briscoe, Attorney General Hill noted there would be no public disclosure of the

information, hence no violation of law. The Governor had noted that the centralized computer list would eliminate the need for welfare recipients to fill out applications.

Hill also issued an opinion saying it is a legitimate expenditure of campaign funds for "publicity" purposes to furnish transportation to members of the press to accompany a candidate on campaign travels.

"If paying for the transportation of newsmen is a means of securing publicity, and we think it is, then we cannot say that it is an unreasonable one," Hill said in his opinion.

APPOINTMENTS — Governor Briscoe has named five Port Commissioners for the Port of Galveston and Texas City. Each will serve a two-year term expiring April 15, 1975.

Appointees from Galveston are Sam Tramotoe, William Spruill, Leroy Brown, and J.C. Seiffert. Fifth appointee was Allen D. Wilkenfeld of Texas City.

HOST COMMITTEE NAMED — Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby has named the following four state senators to serve on an ad hoc host committee for the Southern Legislative Conference in San Antonio, July 16-19: Sens. Nelson W. Wolff and Glenn Kothmann, both of San Antonio; John Traeger, Seguin; and Grant Jones, Abilene.

RIGHT TO READ MEETING — Dr. Ruth Holloway, U.S. Office of Education director of the nationwide "Right to Read" program, will speak at the conference of Texas reading coordinators in Austin May 13-14.

Sponsored by the Texas Education Agency, the conference will be held at the Thompson Center on the University of Texas-Austin campus. Eighty additional schools will be added to the program in September. The program is designed to match learning needs of every student with special training for reading teachers and supervisors.

HUD AGREEMENT SIGNED — Governor Briscoe has entered into an agreement with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development transferring administrative responsibilities for HUD's 38 neighborhood facilities to the Texas Department of Community Affairs.

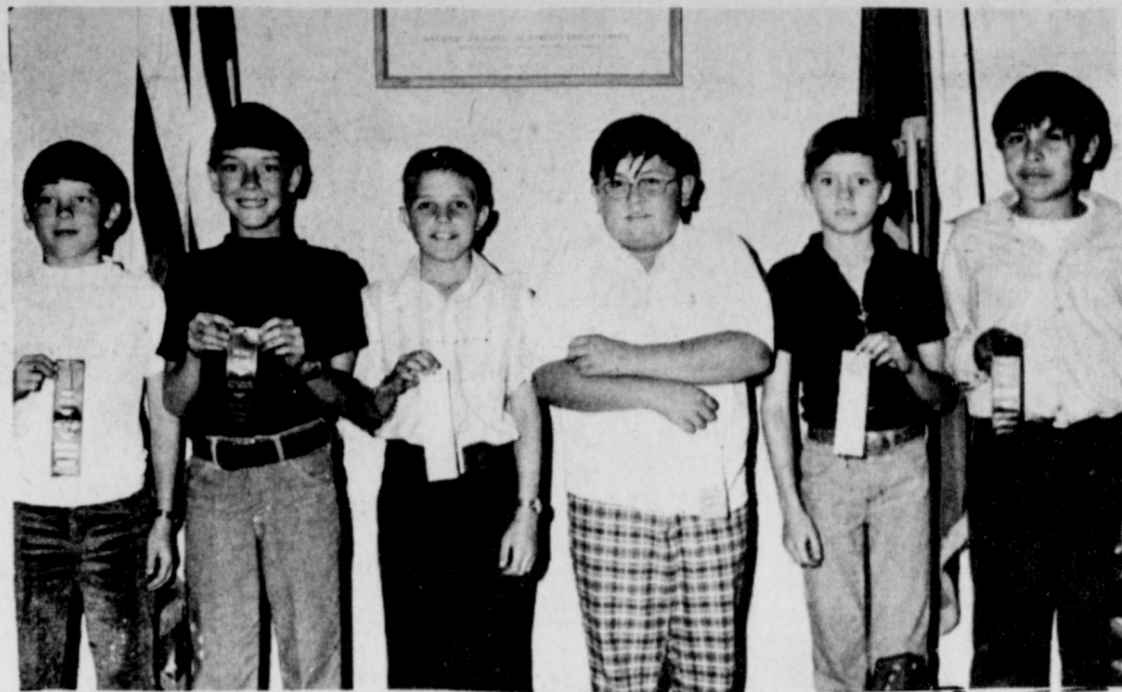
The facilities, which are located in 32 Texas communities, have been built under terms of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1965.

Under terms of the Act, ownership of the centers is vested in the community with HUD remaining responsible for administering use of the centers.

Under the new agreement, the Department of Community Affairs will assist local governments and local service agencies in developing and implementing programs to more fully utilize the neighborhood facilities. At present, HUD officials say, there is gross under-utilization of space and equipment at many of the facilities.

SALARY-PERSONNEL POLICIES — Salaries and personnel policies for non-faculty employees of Texas universities will be examined as a part of a statewide study directed by the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System.

First phase of the study, to be completed this fall, is expected to result in recommendations to the 64th Legislature regarding



BOYS ORAL READING Winners of the Boys Oral Reading contest held recently at Mary De-Shazo were fifth graders, left to right, Clifford Watson, first; Kelly Harrison, second; Curtis Hunt, third; Adam Lardo, fourth; Derek Prater, fifth; and Richard Orozco, sixth.

level of state funding required to support equitable salary policies for non-faculty employees, says Higher Education Commissioner Bevington Reed.

SHORT SNORTS
Dr. Kenneth Gaver has been selected to serve as new Commissioner for the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation. Gaver comes from Ohio where he performed similar duties.

Frances Smith Dodds, former member of the Houston Chronicle capitol bureau, has been named Director of Planning for the Governor's Criminal Justice Division.

Construction activity in Texas during March was notable for 2.7 per cent increase in the seasonally adjusted index of residential construction, the Bureau of Business Research reports.



Study finds U.S. Christians support Israel.

Butz hints U.S. contemplates Arab food embargo.

Soviet says China promotes Mideast tensions.

Price Support Plan Urged By Texas FU

The Farmers Union warned today the "Forward contracting for sale of cotton does not give farmers the price stability nor the price security they need in order to stay in business and produce the cotton that the nation needs for domestic use and exports.

Joe Rankin, Ralls, Texas, Vice-President of the Texas Farmers Union, put both the Texas and National Farmers Unions on record for "a renewed and revitalized farm program" in a statement to the Cotton Subcommittee of the House Committee on Agriculture Monday, April 23.

Rankin said cotton buyers are anxious to buy cotton for future delivery when they think the price will go higher. But when buyers expect abundant supplies in the future, farmers can't get offers to buy at prices sufficient to cover their production costs, Rankin said.

Rankin called for an eight point price support and stabilization program for cotton.

Rankin has been designated by Texas Farmers Union to represent cotton producers at the 17th Universal Cotton Standards Conference to be held at Memphis Tennessee, May 14 and 15. Cotton industry leaders from the United States and 10 other nations will attend and take part in the discussions. This conference is held every 3 years under terms of the Universal Cotton Standards Agreement.

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BISHOP, CALIF.--The
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has been forced to limit pub-
lic access to Mount Whitney.

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10.7 mile Mount Whitney
trail.

Services Held Tuesday For Teague

Dennis B. Teague, 31 a former
Muleshoe resident, was
dead on arrival at Clovis Mem-
orial Hospital Saturday after
an extended illness. Teague was
born June 19, 1942, in Perryton
Texas and graduated from
Clovis High School in 1961. He
was a resident of Clovis.

He was a member of the
Church of Christ. Funeral ser-
vices were held Tuesday at
10 a.m. in the Steed-Todd Mem-
orial Chapel with Dewey Fogerson
minister, officiating. Burial
was in Bailey County Memorial
Cemetery in Muleshoe under
the direction of Steed-Todd Fun-
eral Home.
Survivors include the widow,
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Other Loans.....	4,218,073.75	4,051,190.81
Stock in FHLB.....	54,200.00	54,200.00
Accrued Interest Receivable.....	74,395.73	89,302.70
Cash and U. S. Gov't Obligations.....	701,855.88	700,814.27
Land, Buildings and Equipment.....	175,760.35	115,381.71
Deferred Charges to Expense.....	21,516.50	13,294.19
Other Assets.....	97,886.10	77,297.87
Total Assets.....	10,433,743.36	10,076,770.79
Liabilities and Capital		
Savings Capital.....	8,671,063.08	7,656,844.02
Borrowed Money.....	550,000.00	1,175,000.00
Loans in Process.....	60,408.71	73,980.23
Borrowers' Trust Fund.....	42,928.80	31,447.24
Other Liabilities.....	29,914.65	47,626.96
Unearned Discounts.....	440,455.65	412,719.17
Reserve for Pmt of Dividends-Savings...	122,381.92	106,992.15
Capital Surplus & Reserves.....	516,590.55	572,161.02
Total Liabilities and Capital.....	10,433,743.36	10,076,770.79

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COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Preliminary statistics on cotton ginnings from the U.S. Bureau of Census show the 25 High Plains counties represented by Plains Cotton Growers Inc., of Lubbock, accounted for 2,779,805 gin-run bales or 15.5 percent of a 12,594,370-bale national crop. High Plains ginnings come to 61.7 percent of the 4,500,544 bale Texas total, according to PCG figures.

The national average net weight per bale ginned from the 1973 crop was 493.8 pounds, so the U.S. running bale total converts to 12,956,458 bales of 480 pounds net weight. In Texas average net bale weights were 501.9 pounds, highest in the nation, bringing the net weight

bale total for this state to 4,705,881.

Although official figures are not compiled, indications are that the average weight of gin-run bales on the High Plains was higher than both state and national averages. The average net bale weight from three area compresses checked by PCG came to 503 pounds. If this figure is applied to all High Plains cotton, the area ginnings in net weight bales comes to

just over 2.9 million, well above the 2,725,000 net weight bales estimated earlier by the joint PCG Lubbock Cotton Exchange Estimating Committee.

The Bureau of Census ginning figures are broken down by counties but are not an accurate indication of county-by-county production because of significant amounts of cotton produced in one county and ginned in another. Actual county production figures in net weight

bales will be released later by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, and these will be used as the "official" High Plains production figures.

The trend to heavier bale weights, begun in 1971, as the natural result of the change to net weight trading and more expensive ginning and ties, is expected to end in 1974 because of new Texas Cotton Association trade rules which impose

stiff penalties on both heavy and light weight bales. TCA members handle some 80 percent of the Texas crop each year, and its trade rules for 1974 call for a penalty of \$5 on bales weighing from 330 to 379 pounds and from 551 to 575 pounds. Below 330 pounds and above 575 pounds the penalty will be \$10 per bale, plus the "right to reject." Only bales weighing between 380 and 550 pounds will escape penalty and

this will force a deliberate reduction in bale sizes, PCG reasons.

The penalties, according to TCA, were adopted as a result of loading problems caused by odd sizes and broken bands at Texas ports.

U.S. moves toward decontrolling food prices.

British order cut in food-chain profits.

BRIEFS

Democrats on panel urge 10-billion tax cut.

Search for shale-oil process intensified.

"Gas" allocation for April to increase.

Dogs found helpful to schizophrenics.

Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

Compiled From Sources Of The Texas Department of Agriculture
John C. White, Commissioner

Drouth Hurts Northern Wheat... Rainfall Spotty...
Milk Makes Good News... Feedlots Plan Marketing...
Auction Business Down

THERE IS a lot going on on Texas farms now that will have a big effect on how Americans live in the coming months. Planting is underway over much of the State, and the weather is having its usual effect. In the northern part of the State, dryland wheat farmers have marked up an unsuccessful year because of drouth. Most of their wheat crops have been grazed out, plowed up, or abandoned. Irrigated wheat is doing well, as is wheat in the southern half of the State where one field was reported already harvested last week. About 22 per cent of the cotton was reported planted over the State, compared to nine per cent at the same time last year. Replanting of cotton, corn and sorghum in the southern half of the State is complete. Sorghum planting is almost over from the Blacklands southward, and planting for the entire State is about 45 per cent complete. Rice planting is almost complete, and peanut planting is about 10 per cent complete.

AS ALWAYS, rainfall has been spotty during the first three weeks of April, with Mercedes in the Valley reporting the most rain, 4.14 inches. Rainfall at various other places over the State during the same time will give you a picture of planting problems: Laredo 0, Corpus Christi .05, Victoria .85, College Station 1.41, Longview 1.47, Seymour .58, Wichita Falls 2.80, Amarillo .04, Big Spring .15, Waco 2.67, San Antonio 1.16.

MILK HAS been in the political news, and it is making good news on the agricultural front. Texas farmers got \$266 million gross income during 1973 for dairy products. That's 12 per cent above 1972. The price of milk averaged \$8.18 per 100 pounds which was 1.01 more than a year earlier, but the annual average number of milk cows was down one per cent from last year, to 355. Total production of milk in Texas was 3,256 million pounds, a drop of three per cent from 1972.

FEEDLOT operators plan to market 1,200,000 head of cattle between April 1 and June 30 this year, which is 54 per cent of the total on feed April 1 and six per cent more than were marketed in Texas during the same quarter of 1972. There were 2,219,000 head being fed for slaughter April 1 which is two per cent below a year earlier, four per cent below the number on feed March 1 and one per cent above the 2,205,000 January 1. Feedlots have been having their troubles as cattle prices declined, but there were 225 of them operating in the state in April. (That includes those feeding 1,000 or more head.) However, 41 of the feedlots were reported empty and the other 184 reported they had 2,172,000 head of cattle, about 71 per cent capacity of the 225 total.

LIVESTOCK AUCTION markets showed a drop in business during March. There were 328,000 head sold through auctions during that month, 48 per cent below a year ago, and 23 per cent below the previous month. Hogs sold in auction rings during March totaled 41,000 head, 18 per cent below a year ago, and three per cent above February sales.

THE U.S. Department of Agriculture has announced that about 50,000 sterile Mexican fruit flies will be released in Dimmit County each Wednesday for the next nine to 12 weeks to combat infestations of the Mexican fruit flies. The number of sterile flies released eventually will reach 100,000 per week. This will be the first time this method of attack has been used against the Mexican fruit flies in Texas, but it has been used twice before in Mexico.

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EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK.....Jackie Blaylock has the distinction of being the longest period of time as a full-time employee, fulfilling the duties of office clerk, since February, 1953 - 21 years ago. During that time she has seen Cashway grow from the small corner grocery store to its present supermarket status. Jackie, along with handling the multitude of duties as a file clerk, invoicing merchandise, credit accounts, also is the friendly and courteous voice that often answers the telephone and takes your delivery order. Jackie and Lawrence Blaylock moved to Muleshoe in 1948 with their children, Ronnie Larson, employed by Frito-Lay in Lubbock, Mrs. Boyce (Elaine) Hart, employed by the Motley County Tax Office, and incidentally the mother of Jackie's two granddaughters; and Danny who is a student at Commercial College in Lubbock and employed at Dillard's Department Store. Lawrence Blaylock is retired due to illness but enjoys fishing and camping. Jackie Blaylock is a member of the First Baptist Church and a member of the Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge # 114.

- Owens Country Style (1 lb. Roll) 98¢
- Swifts Premium Protein Beef Rib Steak lb. 98¢
- Swifts Premium Protein Beef Arm Roast lb. 98¢
- Armour Star Muencher Summer Sausage lb. 98¢
- Hormels Balck Label (1 lb. pkg.) Bacon \$1.09
- Echvick German Smoked Sausage lb. \$1.29

64 oz. Bottle Bodens Asst.
FRUIT DRINKS 49¢

46 oz. Can Texsun Pink
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Swifts Premium Protein Beef 100% Pure Beef
GROUND BEEF 89¢

Swifts Premium Protein Beef
CHUCKROAST 89¢

Mexico Vine Ripe
CANTALOUPE 29¢

Colorado No. 2 White Russet
POTATOES \$1.65 (10 lb. Bag)

Arizona Garden Fresh
Squash 29¢

California Sunkist
Lemons 29¢

16 oz. Can Jif Foam
Oven Cleaner \$1.09

20 oz. Can
Magic Sizing .59¢

Camay Bath Size Bar
Soap 2 for 45¢

40 oz. Box Clorox 2
Bleach .69¢

32 oz. Bottles - 6 Bottle Ctn
Coca Cola \$1.39

25 lb. Bag Gladiola
Flour \$3.99

18 oz. Box Duncan Hines
Cake Mixes 49¢

3 oz. Box Asst. Flavors
Jello 3 for 39¢

#21/2 Can Western Gold
Pork & Beans 25¢

#303 can White Swan Whole Kernel
Golden Corn 25¢

12 oz. Can Armours
Treet 89¢

1/2 s Can Van Camps
Tuna 45¢

Bordens 6 pack (Popsickle, Fudgesickle & Nifties)
Novelties 39¢

16 oz. Box Nabisco RITZ
Crackers 59¢

1/2 gal. ctn Bordens (asst. Flavors)
SHERBERT 99¢

3 lb. tin Armours Vegetole
SHORTENING 99¢
(Limit 1 With \$5 Purchase Or More)

- 32 oz. pkg. Mr. Boston Fish Sticks \$1.19
- 10 oz. pkg. Keiths Baby Lima Beans 29¢
- Banquet T.V. Dinners 49¢
- 10 oz. Birds Eye Mexican Style Vegetables 55¢

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