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February 25	73	33	
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Lazbuddie Youth Show Champions

Several Lazbuddie youths competed in the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show held in Friona Thursday, Friday and Saturday, taking home top honors in the Barrow and Lamb Division.

Mike Windam, showed the Breed Champ and Grand Champ of the show in the heavy weight Crossbreed division of the Barrow Show, while Russell Windham had the Reserve Breed Champ and Reserve Grand Champ of the show in the same division.

Terry Clark took first place with the Breed Champion Chester White in the light weight division and Sherri Seaton showed the Reserve Champion of the Breed in the heavy weight division.

First place Duroc barrow in the light weight division was shown

by Dennie Steinbock while Jimmy Robinson took first in the medium weight division. Terry Steinbock showed the Breed Champion in the heavy weight Duroc division and Dave Engeling, showed the Reserve Breed Champion.

The heavy weight Hampshire, taking first place was shown by Charleston Steinbock while Mickey Powell showed the Reserve Champ of the Breed in the same division.

Marty McGuire showed the first place Poland in the light weight division and Keim Smith showed the Reserve Breed Champion in the Poland heavy weight division.

Sean Mason showed the South-down Champion Lamb of the breed while Scott Elliot showed the Reserve Breed Champ Dorset Lamb.



Head-On Collision Kills Two Area Men

Two area men were killed in a head-on collision about 29 miles southwest of here Saturday afternoon.

Farm Groups Unite On Export Stand

WASHINGTON, D. C. -- Spokesman for every major U.S. grain export commodity urged Congress today to "insist that the Administration stop treating farm exports like a faucet that can be twisted on and off by bureaucratic whim."

A.W. (Dub) Anthony of Friona, Texas, joined spokesman for wheat, corn, rice and soybeans in a unique panel presentation before the Senate Finance Committee.

"Three times in the past three years the Administration has clamped down on farm exports," he said.

Randy Allan Hardage, 19, of Muleshoe, and Louis Cumpian, 20, of Maple, were killed instantly in the crash 29 miles southwest of here, according to Bailey County Justice of the Peace Frank Ellis.

Authorities said the Hardage car was traveling south on a farm road, shortly after 4 p.m. Saturday when it was in collision with the Cumpian car which was going north.

Officers said the cars appeared to have hit almost head-on at the top of a small hill. Both men were alone in their cars at the time of the accident, authorities said.

The bodies of both men were taken to Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home in Muleshoe.

Services for Randy Allan Hardage, were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in the Trinity Baptist Church here with Rev. David Evetts, pastor, and the Rev. V.L. Huggins, Baptist minister of Memphis, officiating.

Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park Cemetery under

the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home.

Born in Clovis, New Mexico, January 28, 1957, Hardage was a lifelong Bailey County resident. He was a member of the Trinity Baptist Church and a volunteer member of the Muleshoe Fire Department. He was a 1975 graduate of Muleshoe High School, and employed by Tide Fertilizer of Muleshoe.

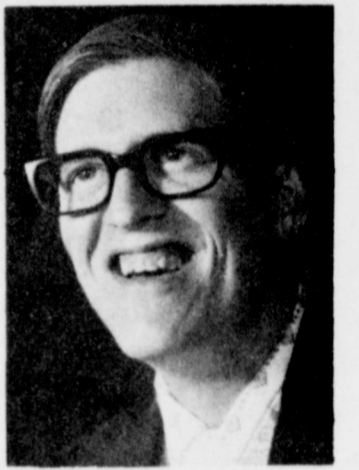
Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardage; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Hardage of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. L.O. Norwood of Truth or Consequences, New Mexico; a great grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Norwood of Muleshoe; a sister, Rachelle of the home; and a brother, Ricky of Muleshoe.

Pallbearers were: Lyndon Huckabee, Louis Cardinal, Eugene Reeder, Tom Ladd, Weldon Eagle and Joe Young.

Honorary Pallbearers included: Gary Floyd, Rich Magby, Phil Brockman, J.R. Carpenter, Mike Carpenter, H.E. Reeder, Richard Alsop, Jack Dunham, Wayne Wauson, Earl Ladd, Jr., Bill Kinard, Danny McNeil, Alton Carpenter, J.D. Parker, Bob Copeland, Jack Rennels, Billy Williams, and Fred Clements.

Services for Louis Herrera

Cumpian were held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday in St. Ann's Catholic Church, on Page 3, Col 2



RANDY ALLAN HARDAGE

Heart Radio Day Said To Be Success

Heart Radio Day held by the Bailey County Unit of the American Heart Association, Saturday, February 21, was termed a "big success", by members of the local unit. \$1,108.50 was raised through the sale of baked goods, art objects, hand craft, and other items that were donated by interested persons in the area.

Joyce White, regional director of the American Heart Association, on Page 3, Col 3

Chamber Breakfast Thursday

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will hold a Membership Breakfast Thursday, February 26, at 6:30 a.m. at the Corral Restaurant.

The meal will be Dutch-Treat at \$2 per person.

The cash prize will be \$50 this time and you must be present to win.

The door prizes are to be furnished by Muleshoe State Bank, Anthony's, Gibson's and Pay-N-Save.

All members are urged to attend. The program will be about severe weather, featuring the tornado at Lubbock.

World Missions Conference

Eighteen Southern Baptist Churches of the Llanos Altos Baptist Association will be involved in a World Missions Conference during February 29 - March 7. Nine Missionaries serving in foreign, home and state fields of service will speak to the members of the participating churches.

The two Southern Baptist churches of Muleshoe, Trinity Baptist and First Baptist, will be participating in the Conference. Services in both churches will be held concurrently beginning Sunday, February 29 through Wednesday evening, March 3. Sunday services will be at the regular time in both churches. Weekday services at Trinity Baptist will be at 7:00 p.m. Weekday services at First Baptist, on Page 3, Col 3

Area Youth In Calf Scramble

Keith Hawkins, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hawkins of Muleshoe, and Brian Kirby, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Revel Kirby of Sudan, Texas will take part in the calf scramble at the 7:45 p.m., March 6 performance of the World's Championship Rodeo at the 1976 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The calf scramble, a feature of the show since 1942, was started to allow 4-H and FFA boys an opportunity to get started in the beef or dairy cattle business.

Cotton Prices Lower

Grower prices were \$2.00 to \$7.50 per bale lower during the week ending February 20, according to Paul R. Dickson in Charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office. Farmers sold mixed lots of mostly grades 31, 41 and 32; staples 28 through 31; mikes 2.7 through 3.4 for 45.25 to 46.25 cents per pound. Mixed lots of mostly grades 42, 52, 33, 43 and 53; staples 29 through 31; mikes 2.9 and lower brought 40.25 to 41.25 cents.

The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reported trading was moderate and growers offered new crop cotton in moderate volume, Dickson said. Demand was moderate. Prices paid growers for cotton, on Page 3, Col 2

Deadline For Filing Nears

Four persons have filed for the two positions on the School Board. Both incumbents, Dr. Charles Lewis and Don Harmon are seeking re-election while Rev. H.D. Hunter and Jim Young have announced their candidacy.

Deadline for filing is March 3. At press time, there is still only one person seeking the position of Mayor of the City of Muleshoe and that is C.H. (Homer) Millsap. Filing deadline is March 4.

Winners at each of the rodeo performances receive certificates to buy registered females which they bring back for judging at the next year's livestock show.

Since its inception, more than \$1 million has been paid by the livestock show to youngsters to buy their animals.

Through the 1976 show, this will include expenditures for beef heifers amounting to \$606, 125. This money went for 4,006 animals.

Since its beginning, \$699,400 went to boys in the dairy scramble. This has covered 3,400 heifers.

Of the 388 boys who compete this year, only half will be winners.

The calf scramble is the fourth event at every rodeo performance. Twenty-four boys will take part in the beef scrambles, competing for 12 heifers and 28 boys will scramble for 14 dairy cows.

Cirrhosis Seminar Slated

SAN ANTONIO -- Whether from nutritional deficiency, poisons, or other causes, cirrhosis of the liver can cause additional health complications.

"Cirrhosis, Its Complications" will be the topic of the Thursday, February 26 therapeutics seminar for health professionals at West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe.

Originating at 12:30 p.m. CST from The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, the seminar will be broadcast live locally and participants will be able to hear discussions and ask questions of the San Antonio panelists.

The San Antonio panel will be on Page 3, Col 4

Jaycees Sponsor Beard Contest

The Muleshoe Jaycees are sponsoring a Beard and/or Mustache Growing Contest, which started Monday, February 23, to be held in conjunction with the July 4 celebration.

The event was officially kicked off during the regular luncheon meeting of the local Jaycees when J.R. Carpenter, city police officer, grabbed Gene McGuire, handcuffed him and smeared shaving cream on his face for his last shave prior to the contest.

Carpenter said shaving per-

mits will be issued for \$2 each and participant badges will be sold by any Jaycee member starting Monday for \$1 each.

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Easter Seal Mail Appeal To Begin

Easter Seal Appeal letters are being delivered this week according to Jimmie Crawford, of Muleshoe, Bailey County Easter Seal Representative of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. The Representative serves as contact for disabled persons needing Easter Seal rehabilitation services and also serves as Treasurer of the Easter Seal Appeal in the County.

The Easter Seal Society offers physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing programs, and special equipment loans to enable disabled persons to make the best use of their Cont, on Page 3, Col 1

Board Will Interview Applicants

Members of the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees decided to sort out applications and select four men to be interviewed by the Board on Tuesday, March 2, 1976, for the position of Athletic Director and Head Football Coach, during a special meeting held Monday night. The position was left open due to the Cont, on Page 3, Col 3

Briscoe Asks Action Against Predators

Governor Dolph Briscoe today asked Attorney General John Hill to look into one of the two possible areas of legal action to assist the livestock owners of Texas in their long-standing battle against predators.

The Governor further asked the Attorney General to see if Texas should join a Wyoming lawsuit or enter a suit on behalf of the State of Texas against the

United States Department of Interior, Department of Agriculture and the Environmental Protection Administration. This action was taken following a request by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association that the State of Texas enter into the Wyoming lawsuit.

Dr. Percy R. Turner, president of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, explained that the State of Wyoming filed suit against the agencies listed in an effort to force them to fulfill their obligations in regard to predator control. The Predator Control Act of 1931 directed the Federal government to eliminate losses due to predatory animals.

The suit further charges that the Environmental Protection Administration acted improperly in banning chemical toxicants for predator control. The suit states proper hearings were not conducted nor were the proper economical and environmental impact statements filed to warrant the actions taken.

The Wyoming suit also alleges the Executive Order of February, 1972, which prohibited Federal employees from using chemical toxicants was invalid because it did not comply with existing regulations.

"With all the talk about food shortages and the need for Cont, on Page 3, Col 1

McMurry Concert Band To Appear In Muleshoe

The McMurry College Concert Band, directed by Michael R. Barry, will perform at 10:45 a.m. on Wednesday, March 3 in Muleshoe High School.

To mark the nation's Bicentennial Year, the McMurry Band is playing all American music on its current tour of West Texas and New Mexico.

Barry has scheduled performances in Big Lake, Odessa, Clovis, Muleshoe, Friona, Lubbock, Canyon, Borger, Pampa, and Shamrock as well as two performances at the beginning

and end in Abilene, home of McMurry College.

Among the American-composed scores which McMurry musicians are packing for the tour are included works ranging from "Rhapsody in Blue" by George Gershwin and Ferde Grofe to a medley of Cole Porter show tunes arranged by Wayne Robinson and "America the Beautiful" arranged by Carmen Dragon.

Three of the compositions were written by Dr. Macon Sumerlin, McMurry composer in resi-

dence, and a fourth is by Tommy J. Fry of Odessa, a McMurry graduate.

All the concerts will open with Sumerlin's newly arranged "Statement." This begins with a flourishing fanfare, and includes the McMurry school song, "America the Beautiful" and our National Anthem.

Other recent Sumerlin works included with his "Sweet Betsy Overture" and his "Inauguration," also an overture.

Fry's work in the repertory is "Freischutz Quickstep." Fry,

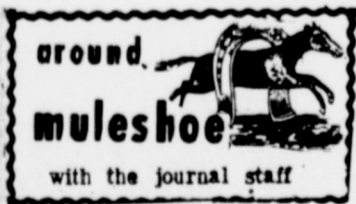
like Sumerlin, has a growing reputation as a composer and several of his pieces are on contest lists.

For religious programs on the tour, Barry's musicians will have Bach's "My Jesus! Oh, What Anguish," Martin Mailman's "Liturgical Music for Band," "Salvation is Created" by Tshesnokoff and Houseknecht, "God of Our Fathers" by George Warren and Claude Smith.

Band favorites like Gershwin's Cont, on Page 3, Col 1



McMURRY COLLEGE BAND



Rev. Floyd Dunn, minister of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe was the guest speaker at Rotary Tuesday. He spoke about the difference in the type of government we have now and when it was originally formed in 1776.

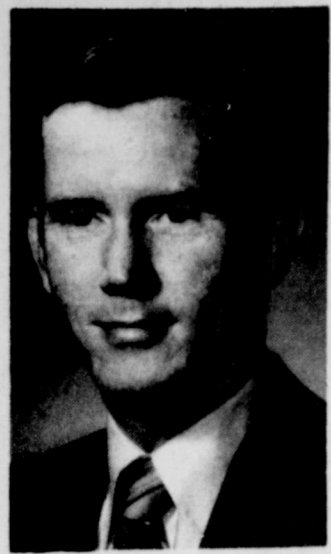
Kyle Kimbrough was the student guest and Terry Gunter was installed as a new Rotarian. Troy Actkinson was in charge of the program.

A one night gospel concert with the Cruise family will be held in the Trinity Baptist Church, Friday, February 27, at 7:30 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

There will be a meeting of all adult leaders and all 4-H members 14 years and older Thursday, February 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Bailey County District Court Room.

Please note the change of meeting place.

March Couch, area 4-H specialist will be present for the meeting.



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MEREDITH E. WYATT CALIFORNIA

It is double pleasure to deceive the deceiver.
-Jean De La Fontaine.

Our advice to you this week is to take care of your heart, and live a while.

First Baptist Begins World Missions Sunday

A World Missions Conference will begin at the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe on Sunday morning, February 29. Featured speakers for the conference will be missionaries who serve as foreign, home and state missionaries among Southern Baptists.

Missionary V.M. (Pat) Hoaldrige, Jr. will be the pulpit guest for the Sunday morning service. He and his wife, the former Judy Farmer of Lamesa, Texas, serve as missionaries to Israel, doing general evangelism work in the city of Natanya. The mission speaker for the Sunday evening service will be Meredith E. Wyatt. The Rev. Wyatt is a home missionary serving in the state of California. He has developed a mobile audio-visual teaching center and

is called the "chapel-on-wheels" missionary. The Missions Conference will continue on week nights through Wednesday, March 3. Miss Darlene Elliott, missionary

to Columbia; Arville Senter, missionary to Tanzania, Africa; and Thurman Upshaw, missionary in Texas will speak Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings respectively.

USDA Seeks Further Changes

AUSTIN -- The head of the Independent Cattlemen's Association said Friday that Texas ranchers should be aware that the U.S. Department of Agriculture plans to seek further changes in brucellosis program requirements.

ICA President T.A. Cunningham of Goliad said USDA "plans to pop Texas with 16 pages of changes despite promises that we had swallowed the whole pill" when the Animal Health Commission accepted

the present requirements under court and threat of quarantine.

The 16 pages of planned changes were disclosed by Dr. Paul Becton, USDA's national brucellosis coordinator, Thursday at a meeting of the Texas Animal Health Commission.

Cunningham said promises that no changes were planned were made by Becton at a December 30 court hearing in Austin and in several other meetings with cattlemen. Cunningham said he cannot

The nursery of the church will be provided for nursery age children for the conference. The people of Muleshoe and the Muleshoe area are urged to attend the World Missions Conference.

The evening services during the week for the World Missions Conference will begin at 7:30 p.m. Sunday services for the conference will be at the regular time - 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

New Roses Don't Just Happen

COLLEGE STATION -- A rose is a rose is a rose. But do you really know what goes into that rose? A horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service points out that every new rose produced takes years of trial and error experiments and an ample sum of money.

"It can take as long as 10 years to produce a single new rose and can cost up to \$100,000," says Everett Janne.

"The long process begins with a hybridizer who may set out as many as 30,000 seedlings in one year. These seedlings are judged for color, shape, firmness and scent. Out of all of these, five or six promising plants may be selected for further study."

These select plants are then grafted onto sturdy understock roses and subjected to years of outdoor testing for strength, disease resistance and beauty, explains the Texas A&M University System horticulturist. These observations are made in test gardens throughout the United States.

Janne points out that all plants of any specific variety come from one selected plant. For future rose growers, he recommends buying strong, healthy plants from reputable nurseries or retail stores.

"Plant roses in well drained beds that have plenty of organic matter and that get at least six hours of sun a day. Water the roses often, spray regularly for blackspot control, and apply a complete fertilizer immediately after each blooming cycle."

Beautiful roses can brighten any landscape, contends Janne. And the future will bring new and better varieties of roses, thanks to the painstaking work of plant breeders.



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Fresh Iceberg Lettuce
19¢
Lb.

Firm, Solid Heads Cabbage	Lb.	10¢	California, Sunkist Navel Oranges	Lb.	25¢
Delicious Apples	3 Lbs.	\$1.00	Sno-White Cauliflower	Lb.	59¢
Medium White Mushrooms	Lb.	99¢	Purple Top Turnips	Lb.	29¢
50-Lb. Bag, Topsoil or Cow Manure	Ea.	\$1.49	40-Lb. Bag Peat Moss	Ea.	\$1.69
Assorted Varieties Spring Bulbs	Pkg.	99¢			
Mild Yellow Onions	Lb.	19¢			

Superb Valu-Trim Chuck Steak
79¢
Lb.

Superb Valu-Trim Round Steak
Lb. 98¢

Superb Valu-Trim Sirloin Steak
Lb. 98¢

Fresh Ground Beef
Lb. 79¢

Lean & Meaty Short Ribs
Lb. 59¢

Paramount, 16 to 18 Lb. Avg. Turkeys
Lb. 59¢

Superb Valu-Trim, Boneless Chuck Roast
Lb. \$1.19

Superb Valu-Trim Rib Steak
98¢
Lb.

Superb Valu-Trim, Boneless Round Steak
Lb. \$1.19

Superb Valu-Trim, Seven Bone Shoulder Roast
Lb. 88¢

Superb Valu-Trim, Bone-In Rump Roast
Lb. \$1.09

Piggly Wiggly, Halfmoon Longhorn Cheese
Lb. 93¢

Borden's Mild or Tangy Cheez Kisses
7-oz. Pkg. 99¢

Kraft Sliced Natural Swiss Cheese
6-oz. Pkg. 98¢

Superb Valu-Trim Chuck Roast
69¢
Lb.

Farmer Jones Franks
12-oz. Pkg. 88¢

Farmer Jones Franks
1-Lb. Pkg. \$1.19

Farmer Jones Bologna
12-oz. Pkg. 89¢

Farmer Jones Sausage
1-Lb. Bag \$1.39

Hormel Little Sizzlers, Link Sausage
12-oz. Pkg. \$1.09

Smoked Hot Links
Lb. 98¢

Eckrich Smorgas Pack
1-Lb. Pkg. \$1.79

Gary's Super Dogs
5-Ct. Pkg. 99¢

Blue Morrow Burritos
Lb. 79¢

Swift, 10 to 14 Lb. Avg., Butterball Turkeys
Lb. 75¢

Piggly Wiggly Fish Sticks
16-oz. Pkg. \$1.19

Mrs. Paul's, Fried Fish Fillets
8-oz. Pkg. 89¢

Frozen Food

Swanson's Beef, Chicken or Turkey Pot Pies
3 8-oz. Pkgs. \$1

All Varieties, Patio Dinners
11-oz. Pkg. 59¢

Piggly Wiggly, Chopped Broccoli, Broccoli Spears, Cauliflower, Cut Corn, or Green Peas
8-oz. Pkg. \$1.00

Piggly Wiggly Tomato Soup
6 10 1/2-oz. Cans \$1

Sunshine's Krispy Crackers
1-Lb. Box 49¢

Sunshine's Crackers
10-oz. Box 59¢

Piggly Wiggly, All Flavors Canned Dog Food
7 15-oz. Cans \$1.00

Piggly Wiggly, Dry Dog Food
5-Lb. Bag 99¢

All Varieties, 15c Size Bars Candy Bars
8 For \$1

Dairy Regular Quarters, Parkay Margarine
1-Lb. Pkg. 39¢

Piggly Wiggly, Buttermilk or Sweetmilk Canned Biscuits
8-oz. Can 10¢

Local Brand, Assorted Flavors Fresh Yogurt
4 8-oz. Ctns. \$1

Local Brand Sour Cream
3 8-oz. Ctns. \$1

Mix or Match

Piggly Wiggly Choice Halves or Sliced Delicious Peaches
3 16-oz. Cans \$1.00

Piggly Wiggly Choice Pear Halves
3 16-oz. Cans \$1.00

Piggly Wiggly Applesauce
3 16-oz. Cans \$1.00

Briscoe...

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 finding replacements for fossil fuels, it seems senseless for the Federal government to prevent livestock owners from conducting an effective predator control program. It has been proven beyond a shadow of a doubt that the chemicals taken from our predator control programs can be used without endangering our environment," stated Turner.

To illustrate the losses due to predators, the Texas Crop & Livestock Reporting Service filed the following report. In 1974 Texas producers lost a total of 532,000 sheep and lambs from one cause or another. The same Service reported losses of 479,000 head in 1973. Of the total 1974 losses, 200,000 were grown sheep; 197,000 were lambs that died before they were marked; and 135,000 were lambs lost after marking.

The agency said predators accounted for most lamb losses -- 65 percent of those lost after marking and 57 percent of those lost before marking. Coyotes

McMurray...

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 "Strike Up the Band," Sousa's "Stars and Stripes Forever" and David Bennett's "Trouble for Trombones" go along, as well as more formal "Incidental Suite" by Claude Smith and "Morceau Symphonique" by Alexandre Guilmant.

On the lighter side will be "Harlem Nocturne" by Earle Hagen and Alfred Reed, "Drumbeat Jamboree" by Paul Yoder, "Jalousie" by Jacob Gade and John Krance, and "New Ragtime Follies" by Robert Lowden.

The McMurry Concert Band is one of five major musical ensembles on the McMurry campus. It is composed this year of 22 music and music education majors and 38 students majoring in other fields.

The McMurry Band was for many years under the leadership of Dr. Raymond T. Bynum, a near legendary figure in Texas musician circles who started the first all-student high school band.

Bynum, now director emeritus at McMurry, aimed at promoting music among college students, providing training for aspiring teachers and performers, and giving the non-music student an avocation.

Barry was appointed McMurry's director of bands in 1975. He previously served as a music educator in public schools of Shamrock, Big Lake, and Borger 1965-74, and he spent 1974-75 as administrative associate for the First United Methodist Church of Borger.

A product of Odessa public schools, Barry earned his bachelor's of music education and master of arts degrees from West Texas State University.

Before beginning his teaching career, he served as an officer in the U.S. Army and was awarded the Army Commendation Medal.

In addition to the current tour, the band performs several campus concerts during the year as well as minor tours involving concerts and church services.

Other McMurry instrumental opportunities include the Lab Band and the Indian Marching Band as well as various instrumental ensembles.

McMurry's choral groups include the Chanters, Morning Star, and the Oratorio Choir.

Cotton...

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 seed ranged from 80-100 dollars per ton, mostly 80-90 dollars.

Grades 51, 42 and 52 were the predominate grades classed this week in the Lubbock territory. Grade 51 accounted for 19 percent; grade 42, 16 percent and 52 was 27 percent. Bark reductions were assigned to 64 percent of the samples classed.

Staples 30, 31, 32 and 33 were the predominate lengths. Staple 30 amounted to 36 percent; staple 31, 19 percent; and staple 32, 17 percent and 33 was 17 percent also.

Mike group 2.7 through 2.9 accounted for 20 percent and 2.6 and below was 79 percent.

High Plains samples classed totaled 8,800 for the week. Seasons total stands at 1,226,000. Total on this same date last year was 1,100,000, the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reported Friday.

Collision...

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 Church in Morton, with Rev. Nicholas Schniders, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Morton Cemetery under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

A native of Navasota, Cumpian had lived in Maple about three months, moving there from Sonora, and was born September 30, 1955, and was employed as a farm laborer and was a Catholic. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Cumpian of Sonora; four sisters, Rosa, Mrs. Dominica Galan and Mrs. Carmen Falcon, all of Maple, and Mrs. Adella Martin of Grandview, Washington; and three brothers, Manual of Lubbock and Jesse and Carlos, both of Maple.

Easter...

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 abilities to overcome handicaps. These services are financed by the annual Easter Seal Appeal and Fall Membership Drive.

The Society finances public education programs, provides scholarships for training of professional personnel to staff rehabilitation centers, and helps provide for National research into the causes and cures of crippling conditions. Crawford pointed out that all these programs are important if Texas is going to continue to provide the best in rehabilitation services for its own disabled citizens.

During 1975, the Texas Easter Seal Society provided treatment and services for 10,768 children and adults who were in need of assistance. Easter Seal services are available to any disabled person who can benefit from help provided by the Easter Seal Society, and who do not qualify for any other assistance. Self-mailing requests for assistance are available through the Representative.

The Easter Seal Campaign will continue through Easter Sunday, April 18.

Farm...

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 and each time it has pulled the rug out under farm prices," Anthony said.

Anthony, President of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, told members of the prestigious Senate Finance Committee, which has jurisdiction over trade matters, that farmers have been "by-passed in decision-making, and must have more input if we expect to make intelligent use of our export capabilities -- one of the world's greatest economic assets."

During the panel's presentation the Committee was advised that the National Association of Wheat Growers is setting up a special \$1 million fund to bring possible legal action against the government on the grounds that it acted illegally when it put a moratorium on grain sales to Russia and Poland last year. NAWG President Don Wood-

World...

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 tist will be at 7:30 p.m.

Participating in the Conference with Trinity Baptist Church will be Longview Baptist Church. The public is cordially invited to attend this emphasis on world missions at one of the participating churches in Muleshoe.

Jaycees...

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 Awards will be given for first, second and third place winners in the following categories: Longest Beard, Prettiest Beard, Best of the Year, Baby Face Award and the Most Outstanding Mustache.

Judging will be in conjunction with the Fourth of July Celebration held in Muleshoe.

Carpenter said anyone wishing to grow a beard or mustache, but not wanting to participate in the contest would be welcome and would not be required to purchase a participant badge.

The Jaycees hope to make this one of their biggest and best promotions during this Bicentennial Year. Your participation will be greatly appreciated.

Heart...

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 tion from Lubbock assisted with the Radio Day, along with Rev. H.D. Hunter, Dean Spraberry, Sherry Embry and Laura Seals, all of the Bailey County Unit. H.E.C.E. girls making deliveries during the day were Joy Frazier, Debbie Hunter, Susan Farley, Janie Harvey and Yolanda Zoukie.

Staff members of KMUL were said to be of great help during the day and their assistance was greatly appreciated by the local Heart Association.

Due to the great resources from Bailey County residents, the day was a success. All money raised goes to the American Heart Association of education and research to help fight heart disease.

Board...

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 recent resignation of Coach Chuck Stout.

The Board discussed methods that could be used to select the man for the position and discussed salary increments to be paid coaches. This decision was left open for negotiation with the person to be hired.

The meeting slated for March 2 will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Area...

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 calves. Winners will receive \$275 certificates from sponsors in the Houston area.

The livestock show, which starts February 25, will be staged in the show's \$18 million, air-conditioned facility and rodeo performances will be held in the Astrodome, February 27 through March 7.

Top professional cowboys from throughout the United States and Canada will be competing for the world's largest rodeo purse, over \$100,000. Rodeo audiences will also be treated to performances by these eight great stars in the field of musical entertainment: Freddy Fender and Tanya Tucker, February 27; Olivia Newton-John, February 28-29; Charley Pride, March 1-2; Rufus, featuring Chaka Khan, March 3; Glen Campbell, March 4-5; Charlie Rich, March 6 and Mac Davis, March 7.

Cirrhosis...

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 composed of gastroenterologists from the UT center's medicine department.

Discussions will include complications from a reduced number of functioning liver cells, and the increased resistance to blood flow through the liver during cirrhosis.

Moderator will be Dr. Ernest Urban, associate professor of medicine.

Additional members of the panel will be Dr. Victor Ostrower, assistant professor of medicine; Dr. Richard Welch, assistant professor of medicine; and Dr. Elliot Weser, professor of medicine.

Book Tells Of Pests

COLLEGE STATION -- The spring season will soon be here and homeowners and gardeners will again be waging war on a host of insect pests. A publication by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service can help in this battle.

Titled "Insects and Related Pests Attacking Lawns and Ornamental Plants," the publication offers a full description of the different pests that feed on flowers, shrubs, trees and lawns in Texas.

Each insect is described in detail along with the type of damage it does, points out Dr. John Thomas, entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "The insects are also categorized as either chewing or sucking types so as to identify the damage they inflict to plants."

The publication features color pictures of many of the insect pests that attack lawns and ornamental plants along with pictures showing some of the damage they do.

"Successful control of these insects depends on recognizing them and the type of damage they do and then taking the proper control measures," notes the Texas A&M University System entomologist.

In addition to chemical controls, certain cultural and management practices are also important in avoiding or reducing insect damage to plants, points out Thomas.

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Corporation Promises More Canning Lids

MUNCIE, INDIANA -- Ball Corporation, Muncie, Indiana, a major producer of home canning supplies, said today that during the 1976 home canning season it plans to produce and place in distribution channels at least 65 percent more replacement caps and lids for home canning jars than were shipped during the 1975 season.

"This is a realistic but cautious projection," William C. Hannah, Group Vice President, Glass Containers, said, "and does not include zinc caps and rubber rings." "Two new production lines, each capable of producing an excess of 1,200 lids a minute, are in the start-up phase," he said. "Should these new lines reach maximum production levels earlier than anticipated, we will be able to significantly better our present cautious estimate," he said.

"The Ball cap and lid plants in Muncie, Indiana, and El Monte, California," Mr. Hannah added, "will continue to operate three shifts a day, seven days a week, as they have almost continuously since January 2, 1975."

"Even now, in the middle of February," W. Stanley Stuart, Jr., Vice President, Consumer Products, said, "Ball is receiving many requests for information about the availability of replacement caps and lids as well as a substantial number of letters from home canners, complaining that they were unable to purchase lids now even though the home canning season is months away." "Many of these letters," Stuart said, "are coming from canners in the northern tier of states." "It is impossible," he said, "to satisfy even a small portion of the total home canning season demand this early in the year."

"Ball," Mr. Stuart said, "will allocate its home canning products in an equitable manner to its customers based on shipments to those customers in 1974 and 1975. An average of shipments, by item, in those years will be used in determining the percent of the total available 1976 production each customer will receive. The allocations have been developed on a quarterly basis and will reflect historic shipment patterns which are related to the growing-harvest season."

"Many of the inquiries Ball received," Mr. Stuart said, "are from canners who want to buy directly from the Company. Our products are distributed through wholesalers or chain purchasing organizations that, in turn, ship to retail stores," he said. "This method of distribution is the best manner by which we can serve all geographic areas of the country and is the least expensive method for the consumer. If we had to set up a mail order department, with hundreds of people to pack jars, caps and lids for mailing, and pay the postage for getting the products to the consumer, the home canner's cost for these supplies would increase intolerably," he said.

"Ball will continue," Mr. Stuart said, "to provide complete units - jars with caps - to those canners who need and want them. However, during the 1976 season, Ball expects to produce and ship to its customers seven times as many replacement caps and lids as complete jar-cap units."

According to Jack K. Carmichael, Governmental Affairs Manager, many requests are being received from governors, members of Congress, state legislators and other governmental officials asking for information concerning the number of caps and lids and/or jars

which have been or will be shipped to the retailers in their respective states or districts. "There isn't any way in which we can accurately provide such information," Mr. Carmichael said, "because our sales territories reflect marketing considerations rather than geographic or political boundaries. Supplies reaching the retailers in any one state, congressional or state legislative district frequently come from distributors outside that state or district." "Any information on shipments in response to such requests,"

Carmichael said, "could very well be misleading."

"There is no accurate way this early in the year to determine the overall demand for home canning supplies," Mr. Stuart said. "We do estimate that there will be about 35 million home vegetable gardens in 1976, up from 32 1/2 million last year. A recent survey suggests that 41 percent of American households plan to do some home canning in 1976, up from 37 percent a year ago. However, previous surveys have shown that not all households planning

to can actually fulfill their intentions." "Demand for home canning supplies is affected by several factors," Stuart explained. Floods, frost or drought damaging crops reduces canning activity in one area while favorable growing conditions increase the amount of home canning activity in another. "These factors are watched very closely," he said, "and with the cooperation of our distributors any home canning supplies not needed in one area of the country can be diverted promptly to other areas."

Rotary Tilling Gets Garden In Shape

COLLEGE STATION -- Equipment needed for the home garden may vary from a hoe, shovel, and rake to a small tractor. In addition, a valuable piece of equipment can be a rotary tiller, says the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Rotary tillers are available in various sizes and price ranges and do a good job of getting garden soil in shape for planting.

Extremely hard soils may be difficult to till deep so several trips may be necessary over the

area, tilling a little deeper each time. If blade penetration is a problem, wait until the soil is moist. Moisture will generally loosen the soil and make it easier to till, especially the first time.

A rotary tiller should last several years for the average home gardener. Before buying a tiller, the gardener should consider the total cost of owning, operating and storing the machine, the amount of time it will be used, the size of the garden, and other possible alternatives.

Unless a large garden is planned on a continuous basis, renting or borrowing a tiller rather than purchasing one may be the best solution.

When operating a rotary tiller, wear tight fitting clothing that cannot become entangled in the tines. Of course, the first key to safe operation of a rotary tiller, as with other pieces of equipment, is to become familiar with the machine, advises the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Conference Provides Answers

People with small businesses can get answers to many of their questions about federal government rules, regulations and programs at a conference set for Dallas, March 16-17.

Some 20 different government agencies will be on hand to help business people with their problems at the Government Assistance to Small Business Conference. More than 2,000 small business representatives are expected for the conference, to be held at the Fairmont Hotel.

This is the second conference to be held for the five-state federal region of Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas. Last year's conference drew about 1,500, according to Ed Foreman, chairman of the Southwest Federal Regional Council which is sponsoring the event. Although the conference is being held for the five-state region, Foreman emphasized that registration will not be limited just to those five states.

"Through this conference the small businessmen can come to one area and receive information on regulations, selling to the government and management and financial aid available to him among the myriad of government services," said Fred Neumann, chairman of the Federal Executive Board. "It is really a one-stop shopping area of knowledge about the government -- a wealth of information from a group of agencies in one spot."

The conference will consist of at least 10 seminars running simultaneously with each seminar repeated once, a luncheon each day with major speaker, individual counseling at booths

Development, Health, Education and Welfare, plus the Environmental Protection Agency, General Services Administration, Federal Energy Administration, Small Business Administration, Internal Revenue Service, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Community Services Administration, Federal Aviation Administration, Consumer Products Safety Commission and the Federal Trade Commission.

Not So Funny
 "You say your sister makes up jokes, then she's a humorist isn't she?"
 "No, she works in a beauty parlor."

Nelson A. Rockefeller, Vice President:
 "I'm not a candidate. Have you ever heard of anyone running for vice president?"

William E. Simon, Treasury Secretary:
 "It's naive to think that corporations pay taxes. It's people, ultimately, who pay taxes."

Richard E. Bell, Deputy Assistant Agriculture Secretary:
 "It would be no real problem to supply (Russia) up to 5 million tons of wheat and 5 million tons of corn if U.S. crops turn out as expected."

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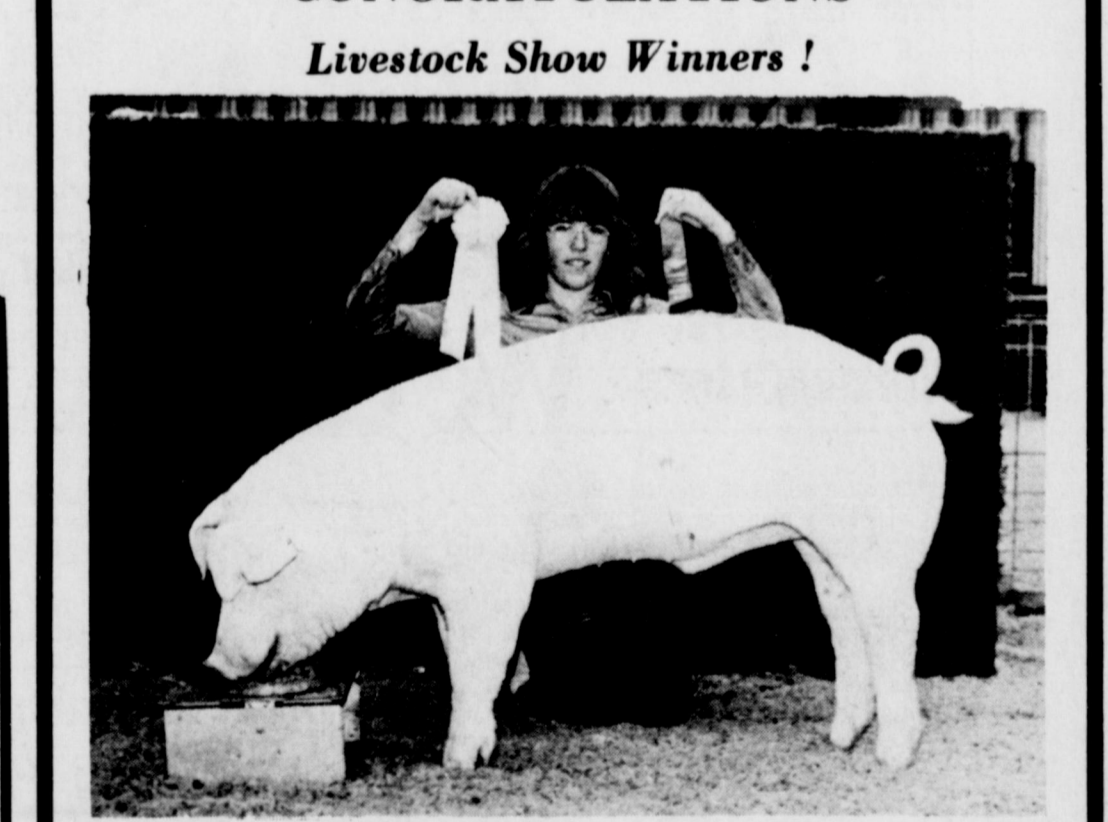
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RESERVE BREED CHAMPION. . . Sherri Seaton showed the Reserve Champion of the breed in the Chester White Class in the heavy weight division.

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6 tablespoons salad oil	2 envelopes Caesar salad makings with croutons
2 tablespoons vinegar	

*Vary amount and type of salad greens to suit taste. Place lettuce pieces in bowl. Add salad oil; toss. Then add vinegar and egg. Sprinkle contents of salad makings envelopes over lettuce pieces; toss well. Serve at once. Makes 6 servings.

Four-Letter Words Trigger Parental Reactions

COLLEGE STATION -- Obscene or profane four-letter words have a "magical" quality to most children, Mrs. Ilene Miller, a family life education specialist, says.

"This happens because these words usually provoke some kind of reaction from parents, teachers and other adults. Reactions range from anger, amusement, disgust, dismay, worry and embarrassment to feelings of personal insult," she added.

Mrs. Miller is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Obscene words, at first, are just like other words a child is learning. But the child soon discovers the obscene or profane words have the power to produce strong emotional reactions when other words don't."

A child may hear and see adults or other children use these words without understanding their meaning -- but he sees the emotional power the words have. Sometimes he knows the meaning of the words but hasn't learned a better way to express his thoughts.

"It is not surprising that a child will continue to use the four-letter words frequently to trigger that strong emotional reaction in adults. Children find it extremely fascinating to do this because it gives them a feeling of power and importance. The fact that certain words are forbidden increases that fascination," she continued.

Parents and teachers wonder how to cope with these verbal expressions. Sometimes parents punish a child, wash out his mouth or punish him in some other way. These approaches may stop the words, but what about the child's thoughts and emotions?

"Perhaps the best approach is to relax, not worry and try not to react emotionally at all. In this way, the child will not experience the 'emotional power' of these words."

"Another alternative is to give the child a new, longer and harder word as a substitute for the four-letter word. Children may repeat the four-letter words for a while, but if adults remain unemotional and casual, this behavior will usually stop," the specialist said.

Muleshoe Young Homemakers Plan Mini-Activity

The Muleshoe Young Homemakers met Tuesday, February 10, in the High School Home Economics Department. President, Betty Bush called the meeting to order. Regular business was conducted then discussions were held on upcoming activities.

Plans were made for the February 13, bake sale. Plans are also being made for Mini-Activity Day, in March. All area young homemakers are urged to attend.

First Baptist Gains Staff Member

Kenneth Carter and his family of Lipan, have accepted the position offered him at the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe, as music director.

Carter is active as a new staff member, music and youth director and he will assist in education.

They will move here in March. March 14 will be Carter's first Sunday as music director, here.

Carter was born February 24, 1949 in Pampa, and was reared in Skellytown. He graduated from White Deer High School, White Deer. He has attended college at Abilene Christian College. Frank Phillips Junior College, Wayland Baptist College and has been attending Southwestern Seminary where he will receive his Master of Religious Education Degree in May.

He has been Superintendent of Youth at First Baptist Church, Skellytown; Minister of Music and Youth, First Baptist Church, Halfway; Youth Director, First Baptist Church, Littlefield; Assistant Music Director, First Baptist Church, Skellytown; and is presently Music and Youth Director at First Baptist Church at Lipan. He was ordained by First Baptist Church, in Lipan, January 26, 1975.

Carter is married to the former Patsy Darlene Barnett of Skellytown and they have two children, Shane, 8, and Brandon, 3.

West Plains Hospital Hospital Briefs

ADMISSIONS
February 20 - Consuelo M. Martinez, Johnny R. Miller, Christina M. Sisneros, Margaret L. Green, E. Oleta Hamblin and Lois Austin.
February 21 - Kay Seaton, Mildred McDaniel and Hortinsea Ascota.
February 22 - Herbert Higgins, of Hereford.
February 23 - Mrs. Don Dillard, Sena Stevens and Raymond Mears.

DISMISSALS
February 20 - Rosa Roddam, Royce Garth and Lisa Coleman.
February 21 - Willie Phillips, Nino Vargo and son and Consuelo Martinez and son.
February 22 - Johnny Miller and Lois Austin.
February 23 - Mrs. Joe Sisneros, Kay Seaton, Oleta Hamblin and Herbert Higgins.

O.E.S. Observed Friendship Night

Plainview Chapter No. 37, Order of the Eastern Star, observed their annual Friendship Night, with a dinner and program, Friday evening, February 20, in Masonic Hall.

A group of students from Wayland Baptist College entertained with a musical program. Mrs. Roberta Russell, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2, Section 3, Grand Chapter of Texas, O.E.S., was presented behind Esther's Station, escorted to the East and accorded a cordial welcome.

Among other Grand Officers introduced were: Mrs. Mary Farley, Muleshoe, member of American Heritage Committee and Wayne Williams, member of Champions of Freedom Committee of the Grand Chapter.

Other attending from Muleshoe were: Mrs. Wayne Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Phillips.

New Arrivals



Edward Martinez

Mr. and Mrs. Pascual Martinez of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born February 20, 1976, at 11:35 a.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital in Muleshoe. The baby weighed six pounds, four ounces and was named Edward.

Cory John Vargo

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Vargo of Bovina are the proud parents of a new baby boy born February 20, 1976, at 6:45 a.m. in the West Plains Memorial Hospital in Muleshoe. The baby weighed seven pounds, six ounces and was named Cory John.

BICENTENNIAL BRIEFS

SAFETY TIP

It's a glaring error to overlook the many dangers of fireworks during the Bicentennial Year. Celebrations will bring about an increased use, with many licensed public displays and more children playing with fireworks.



The Better Vision Institute points out that many serious eye and body injuries, including blindness, are reported as a result of fireworks after each July 4. Although some 22 states ban fireworks, contraband fireworks often cross state lines. In the interest of eye and body safety, many organizations have urged federal regulation of fireworks. The Better Vision Institute urges all Americans to remember that vision-like freedom is a precious gift.

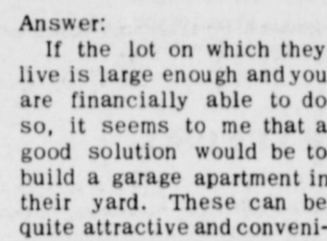
LOUISA'S LETTER

Dear Louisa,

I have been living with my daughter who is married and has two children. Her husband has been nice to me -- in fact, all of them have gone out of their way to make me feel at home. But I know that I interfere with their style of life -- the children's friends are not in and out as much as before I came and when the older one's entertain they feel that they must include me among the guests. I have only one room and have had to store most of my things because I was not sure that this way of life would suit me. I am financially able to rent an apartment but I hate to hurt my people's feelings by telling them that such a plan would suit me better.

What do you think I should do?

Grandpa--Va.



Answer:

If the lot on which they live is large enough and you are financially able to do so, it seems to me that a good solution would be to build a garage apartment in their yard. These can be quite attractive and convenient and would allow both you and your family to have the privacy that makes life so much simpler when different generations live close together.

If that is not possible there are many homes for older people where meals can be served and where you can keep your car. You could spend weekends with your children but be close enough to help them or get help when it is needed.

Louisa.

Address letters: Louisa, Box 532, Orangeburg, S.C. 29115

CANCER Answerline

American Cancer Society

A lawyer writes: "I am approaching 60, and two of my friends the same age have been hit by cancer of the prostate. Should I be taking special care now?"

ANSWERline: Prostatic cancer occurs mainly in men over 60. Now that you are in that age group, your regular health checkup should include examination of your prostate and a urine analysis. If you experience any urinary difficulty at any time, you should consult a physician. Please remember that your age means only that you are at greater risk of developing this form of cancer -- it does not mean that you are sure to get it. But, it is wise to be checked.

Question: "Does the American Cancer Society do research?"

ANSWERline: The ACS does conduct one kind of research itself: computer aided studies of large population groups to discover if there is a link between cancer and the way we live. That is the only kind of research the ACS undertakes directly. When it comes to the kind of cancer research done in the laboratory or hospitals, the ACS supports the work of highly reputable investigators. Last year, the ACS invested \$27,000,000 in research. For more information about how this money was spent, please check with your local ACS unit for a special leaflet.

A new mother explains: "A friend told me that if I breastfeed my child, I'll protect myself against breast cancer. Is she right?"

ANSWERline: No. There are many fine reasons to breastfeed your child but cancer protection is not one of them. Your friend's idea is widespread, but wrong.

Apostman asks: "Is emphysema a form of cancer?"

ANSWERline: No. Emphysema is a crippling, often fatal respiratory disease. It is a disease in which the lungs lose their elasticity and cannot expand and contract normally to draw in and force out air. You probably confuse it with cancer because cigarette smoking, the main cause of lung cancer, is also linked to emphysema. Both diseases would occur much less frequently if there was no cigarette smoking.

A hospital nurse asks: "In our hospital we give routine Pap tests to our women patients and I think that it is a good idea to inform all women about this test. Can you tell me how many American women have had a Pap test?"

ANSWERline: We think that it is a wonderful idea as well because a quick, painless Pap test is the best way to detect a common form of uterine cancer in its most curable stage. It is estimated that some 78 percent of American women have had at least one Pap test. But, please remind your patients that one Pap test is not enough; it must be done on a regular basis to help safeguard a woman throughout her life. By the way, the American Cancer Society is trying to have every woman at risk take a Pap test by the end of 1976 -- a good way to mark our Bicentennial.

ABOUT YOUR HOME

By April Rhodes

August white sales will soon be upon us, check your needs for linens now. Slightly irregular towels may be cut 50 per cent.

Those who must watch their weight will find an abundance of fresh fruits and vegetables on the market.

Knitted or crocheted wall decorations resembling tapestries are quite popular now. Patterns can be original or choose one from current magazines.

High school students, individually, or in advertised groups (with proper identification), can find summer work in homes, yards and gardens.

Cotton dresses and play clothes are making a comeback. They can't be beaten for coolness when worn in the summer heat.

Add one tablespoon of Wheat Germ to your morning cereal and fruit for variety and added nutrition.

Citrus 'Delights' Seasonable Now

COLLEGE STATION -- Citrus delights, made with in-season Texas oranges and grapefruit, will perk up dreary winter days; Mrs. Sally Coble, a foods and nutrition specialist, says.

"When selecting grapefruit, look for firm, well-shaped fruits heavy for their size. Oranges should also be firm and heavy, with bright-looking skin. Soft, discolored spots on the fruit are signs of decay," she said.

Mrs. Coble is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Both oranges and grapefruit are picked ripe so they're ready to eat without ripening time at home. A greenish cast, sometimes found on oranges, isn't a sign of immaturity or poor quality.

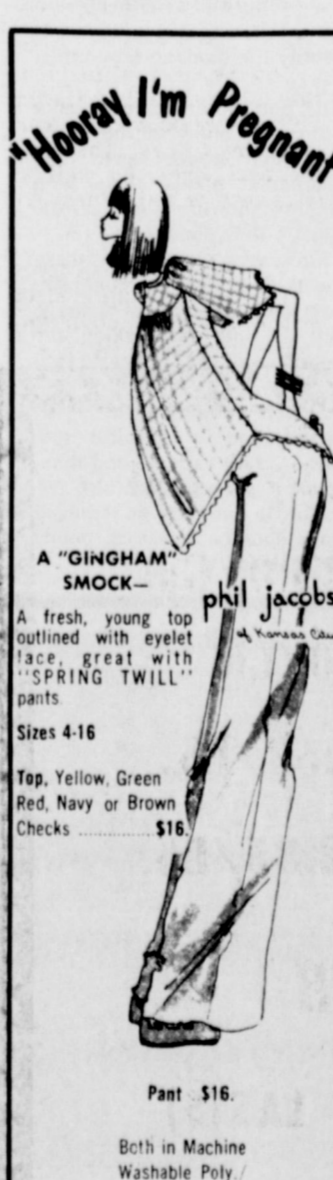
"Citrus fruit will keep about four to six weeks in the refrigerator," she reminded.

Nutritionally speaking, she said that oranges and grapefruit are good sources of Vitamin C, or ascorbic acid. This nutrient is needed daily for healthy gums, wound healing, protein metabolism, hormone production and production of collagen -- the cementing substance that holds cells together.

"The amount of Vitamin C needed daily by normal adults is 45 milligrams. This amount can be met by eating one-half grapefruit or one medium orange each day.

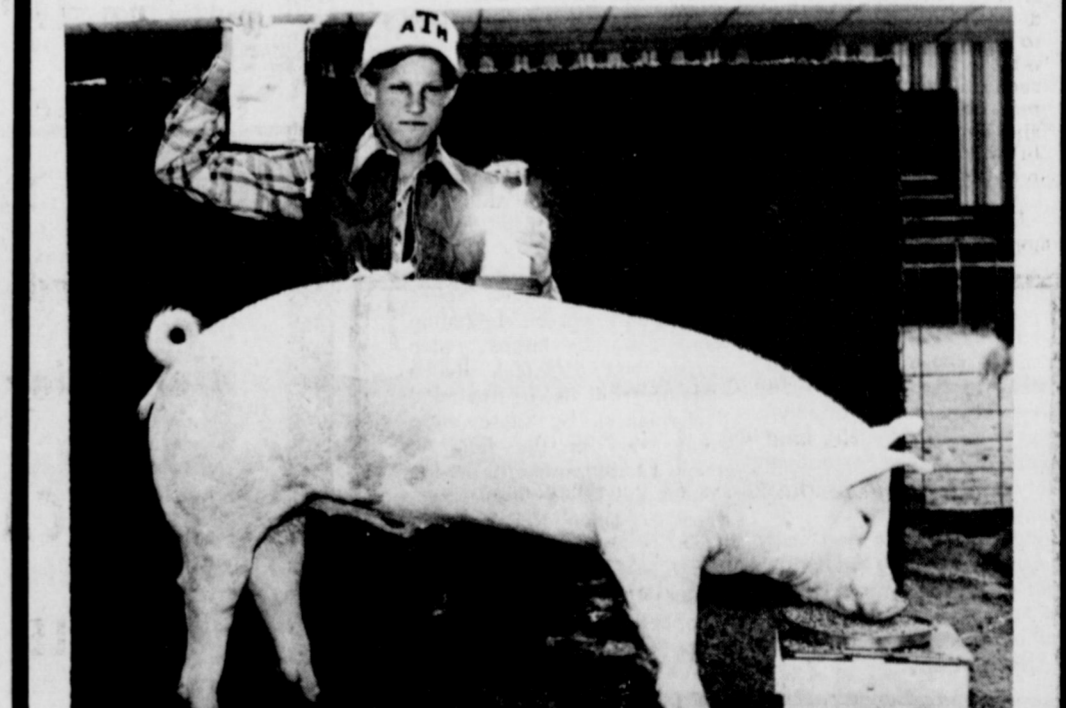
The specialist suggested some recipes for the top quality oranges and grapefruit available now.

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SALUTING the Lazbuddie Champions of the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.



RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION... Russell Windham was proud to hold the Reserve Grand Champion of the Show title. He also had the Reserve Breed Champion in the Crossbred division.

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From The Journal Files

10 Years Ago

Muleshoe was represented at two area Chamber of Commerce banquets last week. Roy Davis and Jeff Peeler attended when Robert Dupress, executive officer of Continental National Bank, Fort Worth, was the speaker. Friday night nine from Muleshoe attended the annual banquet at Olton when "Stuttering Sam", Amarillo, was the speaker. Attending from here were the Chamber president and Mrs. Charles Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams and her mother; Harmon Elliott, and Roy Davis.

Bailey County program building committee will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the First National Bank when Harmon Elliott will preside, according to J.K. Adams and Jean Martin, county agents, who said that "problems of concern" to the entire county will be discussed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arnold and children were in Muleshoe over the weekend, visiting Mrs. Dee Clements. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold left Monday for Abilene Christian College for lectures, and the children remained with the Clements. The family lives in Hamilton, Missouri.

Linda Scott, a 1964 graduate of Muleshoe High, has been named to the dean's honor roll at Lubbock Christian College. She's the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scott, Muleshoe. A sophomore music major, she is vice-president for her social club, secretary of the LCC band, accompanist for the Meister-singer chorus and a member of the piano ensemble. To be eligible for the honor list, a student must achieve at least 3.5 grade average. She had a term grade of 3.7.

Officers and members of the Bailey County Historical Survey committee have been invited to attend a regional meeting of the State Historical Committee March 5 at 10 a.m. in the student union building on the West Texas State University campus, Canyon. Cecil Davis is chairman of the Bailey committee.

Spotlight on HEALTH

THERMAL, CHEMICAL OR MECHANICAL?

Diagnostic detective work may be needed to track down the cause of tooth sensitivity. Dentists explain that there are basic causes for it and there are trigger causes. And if your problem is triggered, is it triggered by something thermal, chemical or mechanical? Whichever it is, it can add up to a pain in the tooth-tooth.

Thermal causes include extremes of temperature in food or drink, or perhaps breathing in a mouthful of cold air.

Chemical may include sucking on candies or ingesting certain foods, drinks or fruits.

Mechanical are usually frictional and include tooth-brushing, dental bridge clasps, or metal eating utensils.

Finding the offender and then avoiding it if possible is one approach to relief of the symptoms.

A short cut can usually be affected through a visit to a dentist. He is likely to be able to tell you whether the cause is basic or trigger. If it is basic, such as dental decay, gum recession, deep-seated fillings, abrasion or incorrect tooth brushing, he can usually correct these conditions.

Senate approves military money bill compromise.

20 Years Ago

Mrs. Roney Smith, of Earth, and Miss Mitzi Ivy, of Amarillo, spent last Friday evening in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ivy, of the Lazbudie community.

Bobby and Linda Hart, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hart, of Farwell, spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blackburn. The Harts came after their children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holt and daughter, Mary Jo, spent the weekend in Austin visiting the Holt's son, Jimmy, who is a student at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gordon visited his brother and family in Idalou, Tuesday.

Guests in the Luther Ham home over the weekend were Marjorie Du Priest and Louise Ham from Howard Payne College at Brownwood and Winnie Paul Ham from Tech at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Peterson visited at Morton with the W.B. Peterson's on Friday.

30 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Preure were shopping in Clovis Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ivy and daughter and Mrs. Payne and Pauline Rink spent Wednesday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Green visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Duncan Sunday.

Mrs. Vance Wagon and Mrs. Buck Wood were in Lubbock Saturday shopping.

Pat Bobo returned Friday from a short combined business and pleasure trip.

Herbert Griffiths, for the first time since last spring, has again taken up the fine art of bouncing T crafts on the Muleshoe airport. Being 16 years of age, he will be able to solo soon.

40 Years Ago

Miss Gene Morgan, of Hereford, has been visiting in Muleshoe for the past several days with her sister, Mrs. Harold Wyer and brother, W.C. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Garth and daughter, Pauline, returned home to Muleshoe Sunday evening from a visit of several days at Ennis, Dallas and various other points, with relatives and friends.

Dee Clements and family are farming the placed worked by Bob Thomas this past year.

Miss Catherine Hobbs, who is attending a business college at Lubbock spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Hobbs.

Mrs. Ray Griffiths, Mrs. Clarence Goins and Miss Eunice Griffiths were Amarillo visitors Saturday afternoon of last week.

Courtland Paul John Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Smith and Mrs. Julian Lenau left Friday evening of last week for Denver, Colorado, where Mr. Smith and Mr. Allan will study in a pharmacy school.

Repairing Popping Nails And Cracks

COLLEGE STATION -- Popping nails, cracks and open holes are damage common to gypsum wallboard. While open holes may be considered more serious than popping nails or cracks, all detract from a house's appearance, Mrs. Patricia Seaman, a housing and home furnishings specialist, says.

She's with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. She suggested methods for repairing these kinds of damage.

Popping Nails: Nail popping takes place when wood studs holding the wallboard expand and contract under varying humidity conditions. This forces through the finished surface the nails holding the panels. Improper installation also may cause nails to pop.

To repair popped nails, reinforce weak areas with additional nails. Drive new fasteners about one and one-half inches above and below popped ones. Bring the panel into close contact with the stud by pushing with a free hand. Drive the nailhead below the panel's surface until a "dimple" is formed in the heavy paper. The dimpled surface will hold the new patching material.

Remove loose plaster from the dimpled areas, then sand lightly. Fill the dimpled area with patching material and let it dry overnight. If shrinkage occurs in drying, reapply patching material. When the patch is completely dry, sand lightly.

Patching and Filling Cracks: Whenever patching, it's important that the edges of the patch be even with the wall.

To accomplish this, use light "feathering" strokes when applying patching compound. "Feathering" strokes are a succession of small, overlapping X-like strokes across the patch area -- working from top of the patch to bottom. Make sure you start and end each stroke on clean wall outside of the patch area.

Deep, wide cracks stay patched longer when reinforced with joint tape. Ordinary drywall perforated tape and patching compound may be used. Follow these steps:

- Sand the area about six inches on each side of the crack.
- Work patching material down into the crack.
- Center tape over the crack and press it down firmly with a wide spatula.
- Cover tape with a coat of patching material. Smooth it out well beyond tape edges by

feathering. --Allow the patch to dry overnight. Then apply another coat of patching material that extends one and one-half inches beyond the edges of the last coat. Smooth the edges and let the patch dry. Sand lightly.

Narrow cracks also may be filled with patching material. Use a stiff brush or screwdriver to remove loose material from the crack.

Bend the top of the tang end (point) of a file -- or similar object -- into a hook. Use to enlarge and undercut opening to provide a more secure bond for the patching compound.

Dampen edges of the crack when using patching compound mixed with water.

Fill deep cracks almost to the surface. Let dry, then add a thin finish coat. Smooth it out on each side of the crack about two inches, by feathering. Let dry. Sand smooth.

He Could!

A man could retire nicely in his old age if he could dispose of his experience for what it cost him.

--The Synopsis.

good ball season.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Marshall of Whitharrel, visited Saturday evening and ate supper with her parents, the Nolan Harlans.

Mrs. Virginia Davila will be teaching a Mother's Aid Course for girls in the fifth and sixth grades at Littlefield school, this Saturday. This is a two hour course and classes will be held in the party house, at Leguna Park. The course will be of aid to the little girls, if they desire to do baby sitting or helping care for younger ones, in their own home. Mrs. Davila is very good with young children. She taught in the Bula Head Start program for ten years. She has three children of her own.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Withrow drove to Muleshoe late Sunday afternoon and had a visit with their daughter, Jackie Withrow.

A.P. Fred is still confined to the intensive care unit at Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

Several in the community are still stricken with the flu bug. Both Mr. and Mrs. John Latham have been hospitalized in the Amherst hospital. She was able to return home Monday, but he has to spend a few more days. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard are confined at home with the bug, being under the doctors care.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright and children, Anisa and Kris, of Lubbock, visited Sunday afternoon with his grandparents, the V.C. Weavers.

Visiting this week with the L.H. Medlins are their daughter, Mrs. Rocky Dewbre and small son, Michael, from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeryl Bellar and son, Jeryl Junior had company over the weekend, Saturday, her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mathew and children, Jackie and Debbie came down from Dimmitt and spent the night.

Another daughter, Margie had spent the past week here with her cousin, Jeryl Junior. Also, on Sunday her mother, Mrs. Skeeter Lindsey and Tray Fulton spent the afternoon with them and had lunch.

The Three-Way boys and girls basketball teams won their last District game Tuesday night with Whitharrel, Tuesday evening, February 17, the Three-Way girls will meet Nazareth, for the Bi-District game, at the Texan Dome, in Levelland.

Dr. Wyatt will be bringing a Bible Study, at 9:30 a.m. Monday and Tuesday.

Rev. Eddie Riley urges everyone of the community to come out and hear these missionaries speak.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman drove to Portales Sunday and attended church services with their children, the Dudley Cashes. Their grandson and his new wife, Dennis and Janalee, were also visiting. They drive back by Muleshoe to visit with Blanche Cash, who has been sick. They attended church with her, at the Muleshoe Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackman visited Monday afternoon in Lubbock, with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Harkness.

Diplomacy
Prof: "Mr. Smith, will you tell me why you look at your timepiece so often?"
Smith (suavely): "Yes sir I was afraid, sir, that you wouldn't have time to finish your interesting lecture, sir."

Bula News

By Mrs. J. Blackman

March 27 is the wedding date chosen by Miss Diana J. Cox, and Robert M. Sears.

The bride elect lives at 8815 South Western in Dallas, and is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Whittenburg, of Hartley, and the late Cecil Cox. Diana was born and reared in the Bula community and is a 1966 graduate of Bula High School. She is also a graduate of South Plains College and has attended Texas Tech University. For the past several years she has been doing secretarial work in Dallas.

Her fiance lives at 8825 South Western in Dallas, is the son of Mrs. Josephine Sears, of 7406 Kinshire Lane and the late John T. Sears.

Wedding vows will be read in the Lovers Lane Methodist Church, with the Rev. Harvey Whittenburg, assisting.

Mrs. A.M. McBee accompanied her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Richardson, to Levelland Thursday evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richardson, to help him celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones met with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Jones from Quail, at Anthony's Hospital, in Amarillo, early Friday morning. R.D. Jones was undergoing some medical tests, then. They returned home with his brother to Quail and spent Friday and Saturday nights.

Rev. Gerald Paden, instructor in the Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock, was guest speaker at both morning and evening services, Sunday. At the noon hour several met in the Nolan Harlan home and had a "pot luck" dinner.

Three-Way girls lost their Bi-District game Tuesday evening, to Nazareth. This was played in the Texan Dome at Levelland. This is the first year for Bula and Three-Way girls to play together. It is also the first year for coach Risinger to work with the girls. They have all had a

Words on Water

TEXAS WATER QUALITY BOARD
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78711

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL--A LOOK AT THE PAST

Fifteen years after the Republic of Texas was admitted to the Union, the first prohibition on water pollution appeared as a vague clause in the Texas Penal Code. That was in 1860.

From that year until 1931, there were no new pollution laws, nor were any really needed since the state was largely rural with little industry.

Then in 1931, the first water pollution control act was incorporated into the Texas Civil Statutes, stating that waste discharges should not affect the quality of the receiving stream. (Also, in the 1930's, the Texas State Department of Health began requiring that Texas cities and towns provide secondary treatment to city sewage, thus helping Texas avoid some of the desperate problems faced even today by some other states.)

Texas agencies overseeing the early regulations were the State Department of Health, the Game and Fish Commission and the Railroad Commission (for oilfield wastes).

Although it had no funds, personnel nor real statutory authority, when the Texas Water Pollution Advisory Council was created in 1953 by the Texas Legislature, it

became the first sounding board for water pollution problems in the state and established the first statewide network for sampling the waters in Texas rivers and streams.

With the enactment of the State Water Pollution Control Act in 1961, the Texas Water Pollution Control Board was created, though no provisions were made for funding or staffing and the Board's work was done largely by the staff of the State Health Department.

That Board, however, did a great deal of groundwork and established a base of information later used by the Texas Water Quality Board when it became the first independent state agency in charge of water quality management and pollution control for the state in 1967.

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Trinity Baptists Host Cruze Family

The Trinity Baptist Church of Muleshoe is sponsoring a One Night Gospel Concert, featuring the Cruze Family, Friday, February 27 at 7:30 p.m. The nursery will be provided.

When God calls men into full-time evangelism, most often they have to leave the family behind. This is not so with the Cruze Family, for when God called, each member answered. It has been a whole family yielding to God to serve Him.

Daddy Joe Cruze is a former jet fighter pilot who served the U.S. during the Korean Conflict. The Cruze family consists of Mrs. Cruze, the former Nancy Lake of Jacksonville, Texas, Joe III, a 1972 graduate of Jacksonville; Karen and Jamie, John, and Cindy, who has written numer-

ous gospel songs that have been published. Two people who are not Cruzes by name, but definitely a part of the family are Becky Brieden, pianist of Freer, Texas and Clark Stone, drummer, of Anton, Texas.

The children do their schooling by correspondence which allows them to travel and serve the Lord with their parents. Each member shares a part in this family-type ministry, as a soloist, group singer, and personal worker.

They appear several times each year at the Grand Ole Opry and are under contract to Superior Records, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mark February 27 on your calendar of activities.

Fertilizer Studies On Vegetables

WESLACO -- How well vegetables do when nitrogen fertilizer is applied will often depend on plant population or density.

Dr. Billy W. Hipp, soil chemist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, has conducted tests which show that nitrogen fertilizer on broccoli, for example, can boost yields. However, there also was an increase in incidence of hollow stems, an undesirable quality factor.

Increasing the plant population to 55,000 plants per acre was found to lower hollow stem percentage.

The Green Duke broccoli variety produced much lower hollow

stem incidence than did Waltham 29 and Gem varieties regardless of nitrogen treatment or plant population.

For high yields and quality, Hipp, located at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center at Weslaco, found that broccoli should be grown at high plant populations and should receive about 150 pounds of nitrogen an acre when grown on most Rio Grande Valley soils.

In another study, nitrogen application to tomatoes decreased yields if plant populations were low, but seemed to help yields slightly under high plant density. Plant response to nitrogen was influenced more

Trinity Baptist Church Holds World Missions

The Trinity Baptist Church (Southern Baptist Affiliated) is announcing and urging the general public to attend and participate in a World Missions Conference scheduled to begin Sunday, February 29 at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The Trinity Baptist Church has invited missionaries from the

In addition to the two speakers on Sunday, Rev. Evetts said that on Monday at 7 p.m., Rev. Elmin Howell from Dallas will be speaking; on Tuesday, at 7 p.m., Rev. V.M. Hoaldridge

from Natanya, Israel; and finally on Wednesday at 7 p.m., Rev. Meredith E. Wyatt from California will speak.

Rev. Evetts added the the Longview Baptist Church, with

their Pastor, Rev. Robert Shurgart would be co-sponsors of the Conference to be held in the Trinity Baptist Church building located at the corner of Avenue B and East Fourth Streets.

various fields of work that they support materially and spiritually.

S.F. Longbottom, missionary from Vietnam, will be speaking at the 11 a.m. service this coming Sunday, February 29. Rev. Longbottom was graduated from Baylor University, Waco, Texas, with the bachelor and master of Arts Degrees and from Southwestern Baptist The-

ological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, with the bachelor of Divinity Degree.

At 7 p.m., M.E. McGlamery, superintendent of missions from Las Vegas, Nevada, will be speaking about the missionary

work being done in his field.

Rev. Evetts, Pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church said that these and the other missionaries will be telling about their experiences, their problems and many other interesting aspects of the work on foreign and home mission fields.



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CONGRATULATIONS on your success at the Parmer County Livestock show



BREED CHAMPION. . . Charleston Steinbock is shown above with his heavy weight hampshire which captured a Champion of the Breed trophy.

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RESERVE BREED CHAMPION. . . Mickey Powell is shown here with his Hampshire which brought him the Reserve Breed Champion award.

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We are very proud to extend our congratulations to the Lazbuddie FFA and 4-H Chapters for having the Champions at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show held in Friona. This is the 16th consecutive year Lazbuddie has captured the title of Grand Champion of the Show in the Swine division.



Houston Livestock Show Expects Record Entries

An all time record number of entries, more than 20,000, will compete in the 44th annual Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo to be held February 25 through March 7. Once again, the finest cattle, sheep, swine, poultry and horses from over the United States will be competing for the highest premiums in the country, a record \$445,538.

Open show entries include 1,611 breeding beef cattle, 425 dairy cattle, 92 goats, 86 breeding sheep, 191 swine and 2,450 horses. Sale and exhibition cattle entries total 1,224. Junior entries include 1,624 junior breeding beef heifers, 1,465 steers, 534 dairy cattle, 365 breeding sheep, 95 goats, 1,858 barrows, 1,401 market lambs, 512 turkeys, 2,795 broilers, 959 youth rabbits, 887 adult rabbits, 1,265 breeding poultry and 185 commercial steers.

The livestock will be shown in the livestock show's exposition building, considered the best facility in the nation for livestock exhibition. Horses will go under the eye of the judges in the \$4.8 million horse arena, completed last year.

The show will again offer a marketplace for breeding cattle with auction sales scheduled. In addition, there will be seven junior market sales.

A record number of foreign visitors are expected during International Days, February 25 through 29. Last year visitors were on hand from 41 countries. The sales of breeding animals are of particular interest to the foreign visitors.

Three new sales of breeding cattle are scheduled this year. They are the offerings of Gelbvieh on February 25, Tarentaise on February 26, and Polled Santa Gertrudis on February 28.

Other sales scheduled are for Holsteins on February 25; Brahman, Chianina and International Brangus cattle on February 26; Simmental, Hereford and Charolais cattle on February 27; Santa Gertrudis and Limousin cattle on February 28.

In addition to these sales of cattle at halter, there will again be the popular sale of registered range bulls and commercial heifers on March 5.

There are also two horse sales scheduled. Quarter Horses will be sold on February 28 and Appaloosas on March 6.

Rodeo cowboys will compete in the Astrodome for more than \$100,000, the largest rodeo purse in the world. The top professional cowboys from throughout the United States and Canada are expected to compete again this year.

The first rodeo performance is set for the afternoon of February

27. One event which has long been a favorite of Houston rodeo fans is the calf scramble, where at each performance 24 boys try to get possession of 12 calves fresh from the range. The winners receive certificates for \$175 to buy a registered beef or dairy heifer which they will bring to the Houston show for a special competition in the next year.

There will also be \$275 certificates for 40 winners in the show's junior livestock and dairy judging contests.

When the final rodeo performance is held March 7, the 10 top contestants in each event will compete in the Houston Rodeo Finals. Trophy saddles and added money will be at stake.

The parade marking the opening of the rodeo will start at 9:15 a.m. on February 27, winding along the traditional parade route through downtown Houston. Joining in the parade will be 4,000 riders and 200 wagons from 10 trail rides which will converge on Houston from all points of the compass. The longest ride originates at Logansport, Louisiana.

Rodeo audiences will be treated to performances by these eight great stars in the field of musical entertainment: Freddy Fender and Tanya Tucker, February 27; Olivia Newton-John, February 28-29; Charley Pride, March 1-2; Rufus, featuring Chaka Khan, March 3; Glen Campbell, March 4-5; Charlie Rich, March 6 and Mac Davis, March 7.

Grow Your Own Transplants

COLLEGE STATION -- Use of transplants is one of the keys to successful gardening, and an individual can grow his own vigorous transplants indoors. However, care should be used not to start them too early.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service says this is a common mistake made by inexperienced gardeners. Transplants from seed planted too early become spindly, weak, tall and yellow and do not do well when set out in the garden.

For the best survival and quick recovery after planting in the garden, transplants should be young, sturdy and in good nutritional condition.

Usually four to six weeks is sufficient time to grow most

transplants. Vine crops take two to three weeks to develop two to three true leaves while lettuce takes three to four weeks. Tomatoes need five to seven weeks to reach transplanting stage. These time requirements are at the recommended day temperature of about 75 degrees F. and a night temperature of 60 degrees F.

To determine planting time for transplants, figure back four to six weeks from the average last spring frost date. Seed of most spring garden varieties should be planted about this time. Some transplants such as cabbage, broccoli, lettuce, green onions and spinach can be set in the garden four to six weeks before the last frost date.

When starting plants indoors use soilless or synthetic soil mix

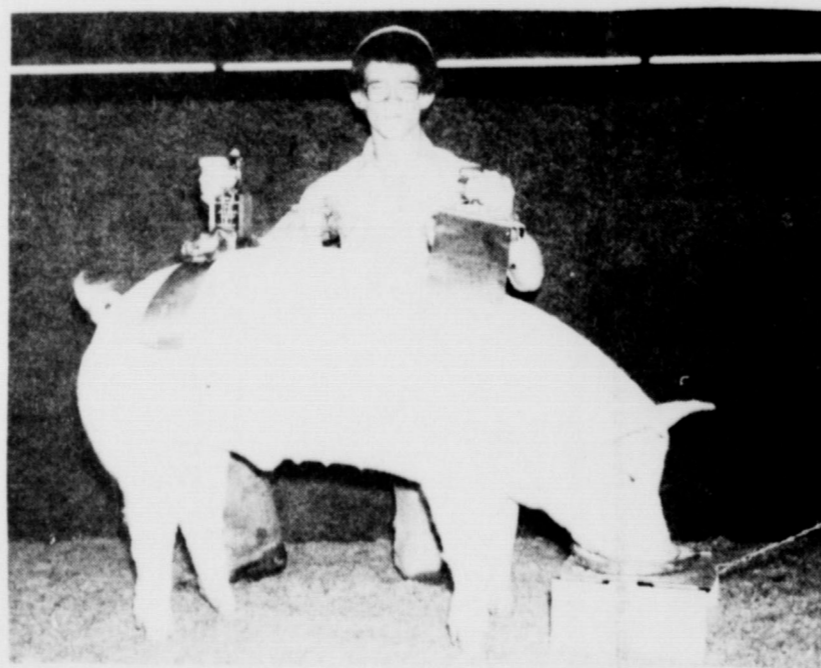
available at garden centers or nurseries.

Seed can be started in almost any type container such as flower pots, milk cartons or cake pans. Be sure the container has holes for adequate drainage.

Once you've got the needed materials and planting time is at hand, fill the containers with the synthetic mix, firm it in well, and then water thoroughly. Space the seed evenly, cover lightly and water again.

To improve germination, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service suggests slipping the container into a plastic bag and placing it in an area at room temperature but out of direct sunlight. Remove the bag when the seed first sprout and place the container in sunlight.

We Salute The Lazbuddie Winners Of The Parmer County Livestock Show



GRAND CHAMPION. . . Mike Windham of the Lazbuddie FFA showed a heavyweight cross barrow to Grand Champion honors Friday morning at the Parmer County Junior Livestock show.

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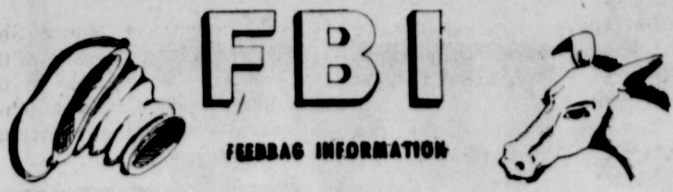
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At Muleshoe Junior High



Raffle And Hall Decorations Done

The Junior High Student Council sold tickets at 25 cents each for a box of Valentine candy with ten one-dollar bills attached to it. They sold tickets for about two weeks and the drawing was held on February 13 just before school was out. Robin Burgess was the girl who got to draw the winning tickets. She drew Sharla Henry's ticket. Becky Turner sold the winning ticket and received one dollar.

Burgess. She won a box of Valentine candy with five one-dollar bills attached to it.

The Student Council sponsored a hall decoration contest for all of the grades. All of the students that wanted were allowed to work on it whenever they finished their classwork and their teachers would let them out. All of the students and the teachers worked very hard.

Outstanding Member Chosen

On Tuesday, February 17, Historical Society elected an Outstanding Member of the society. Nancy Garcia was elected as the Outstanding Member of the society. They voted on the person they thought had done the most or put out the most in the Historical Society. She was chosen Outstanding Member for all the work she had done for the Cookbook and all she had done for the society. Nancy is a Historian, and she is on the finance and the money committee.

The Historical Society would really like to thank Nancy for all the work she had put out, and the Journalism staff would like to congratulate her!

Last Jr. High Pep Rally Held

Monday, February 16, the Junior High had their last pep rally of the year. All of the girls and boys that participated in Athletics were honored.

Varsity, J.V., and freshman cheerleaders attended the pep rally also. The winners of the hall decoration were announced in the last few minutes to form a climax for the spirit that had been rising. There was so much spirit raised that the Mules and Mullettes took away three victories from the Levelland Lobos that night.

Life can be enjoyed by all who are willing to accept it patiently.

The hardest job in the world involves the reformation of human beings.

Recipes Shared

TAMALES

Men who think cooking should be left to the women, should try this. My father, Joe Huckabee, cooks this for special events. This recipe is a simplified version of the Mexican tamale.

---Tammy Huckabee
 Outside:
 4 cups masa harina
 1 cup shortening
 3 Tbsps. chili powder
 2 Tbsps. salt
 2 dozen corn shucks
 Inside:
 Salt to taste
 2 pounds hamburger
 2 Tbsps. chili powder
 Fry hamburger until done. Add chili powder. Simmer for 3 minutes. Season with salt.
 Outside:
 Combine masa Harina, salt, chili powder; mix well. Cream in shortening until mixed well. Add water until a smooth paste is formed.

Soak corn shucks in warm water until pliable. Spread heaping tablespoon of masa harina paste on each shuck. Put a heaping tablespoon of chili mixture on masa harina paste.

Roll shuck to form cylinder. Place tamale on a wire rack above boiling water for 30 minutes.

'B' Mullettes Lose Last Game

On February 16, the Mullettes played their last game against the Levelland Lobos and lost by a score of 23-27. The high pointer of the game was Bobbie Nell Osborne with 14 points, Lorena Martinez - six, Gloria Castorena - two, and Esmeralda Posadas - one. The girls all hustled but unfortunately not enough to win the game.

The Mullettes finished the season with a record of four wins and six losses.

'A' Team Mules End Season

On February 16, the "A" team Mules defeated the Levelland Lobos by a score of 46-36. This was the Mules last game of the season. They ended the season with a 15-2 record. They lost to Gattis and Littlefield. The Mules came back and beat Littlefield two times to show they were better. Levelland beat Gattis so the Mules should have been undefeated. The "A" team won District AAA.

High pointer was Zeke Pecina with 14. James Atwood and Alvaro Ontiveroz both had eight points each. Mark Northcutt and Terry Burton both had six each. Mike Northcutt and Arthur Rojas both had two each.

Whatever deceives seems to exercise a kind of magical enchantment.

Faculty Volley Ball Game Held

The Muleshoe Junior High faculty was challenged by the High School faculty to a game of volleyball. The game was held in the Junior High Gym on Tuesday, February 17. School was let out at 2:15 and ended when the bell rang to dismiss school for the day. The faculty were dressed in jeans and old shirts. High School won the game at 16-14. Junior High won one game, also, at 16-12. One the last game, time ran out when the score was 10-9 in the High School's favor. Junior High students paid 25 cents per person and also bought Beat tags from a High School student. All of the proceeds went to the Future Teachers of America (FTA). Mrs. Page held a study

hall for the ones that did not wish to attend the game. Everyone enjoyed these games and can't wait for another experience like it.

MISSISSIPPI MUD

This recipe was given to Mrs. Royce (Pat) Clay of Muleshoe by Verble Nesser of Hobart, Oklahoma. The Clays lived in Hobart years ago and were good friends of the Nesses. They visited their friends and received this recipe. Now it is a favorite dessert of the Clays.

---Brenda Clay
 Step 1:
 1 stick oleo, melted
 1 cup pecans (chopped)
 1 cup flour
 Press this in a Pyrex pan (large) and bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes.
 Step 2:
 After above mixture has cooled completely, mix:
 1 cup powdered sugar
 8 oz. cream cheese
 1 cup Dream Whip (or Cool Whip or whipping cream)
 Spread this mixture on cooled crust.
 Step 3:
 Prepare large package of instant chocolate pudding. Spread on second layer.
 Step 4:
 Add 1 cup whipping cream, whipped.
 Step 5:
 Last, add 1 grated Hershey bar on top.



By BOB BULLOCK
 State Comptroller

Texas Taxes

Austin -- Officials of a number of Texas cities may not be aware that their city may impose a tax of up to three percent on hotel and motel occupancy.

Funds generated by the tax can be used by participating cities for promotion of conventions and tourism. This means such things as paying for convention center facilities like auditoriums and arenas. The tax money can also be used to pay for personnel and materials for registration of convention delegates and advertising to promote convention and tourist business.

Until recent months the law allowed only those cities with population above 5,000 to impose the three percent tax on hotels and motels.

The last Legislature removed that restriction, and now, all cities, regardless of their size, may impose the tax and use the money collected for these purposes.

The state has, for many years, imposed a three percent tax on hotel and room occupancy. At present the state tax brings in about \$13 million each year. Funds generated by the tax go into the state's General Revenue Fund, from which the Legislature appropriates money to pay most of the State's bills.

A city may impose the tax only on hotels and motels which lie within that city's boundaries. A motel or hotel in the county outside a city, for instance, would not be liable for the city tax, though it pays the state tax.

The state has no such limitation on its three percent tax. All hotels and motels in the state, regardless of

location, are liable for the tax -- unless their overnight room rate is under \$2.

In order for a city to impose the hotel and motel room occupancy tax it must first adopt an ordinance authorizing the tax.

The city may also set its tax rate on room occupancy at any level up to three percent, but all income from the tax must be used for convention and tourism promotion.

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BAILEY COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

'Wanted By FBI'

The Dallas Office of the FBI, through its Special Agent in Charge, Theodore L. Gundersen, has announced it is in need of clerical employees to fill the positions of Clerk, Typist, and Stenographer at Bureau Headquarters in Washington, D.C. These positions present an excellent opportunity for all young people, male or female, including minorities, who are at least 16 years of age, United States citizens, and have at least a high school education, provided they can pass a rigid investigation of loyalty, reputation and character, and are in good physical condition. No previous experience is required.

The entrance salary for a Clerk is \$6,296 (GS-2) per year with a raise in thirty to ninety days to \$7,102 (GS-3) per year, if their work is satisfactory. A twenty word spelling test must be passed to qualify for the Clerk position.

A Typist starts at \$7,102 (GS-3) per year. Applicants for the Typist position must pass a five minute typing test at the rate of 40 words per minute and a twenty word spelling test.

As openings occur, applicants for the Clerk and Typist positions who are interested, are considered for the Fingerprint Clerk position which starts at \$7,102 (GS-3) per year. Successful candidates are considered for promotion to \$7,976 (GS-4) per year after six months; to \$8,925 (GS-5) per year after one year; and to \$9,946 (GS-6) per year after two years experience in fingerprint work.

A Stenographer starts at \$7,976 (GS-4) per year. To qualify for the Stenographer position applicants must pass a three minute dictation test at the rate of eighty words per minute; pass a five minute typing test at the rate of forty words per minute; pass a twenty word spelling test; and a twenty word vocabulary test.

The FBI is only interested in above average young men and women. Many FBI clerical employees continue their college education on a part-time basis in the Washington, D.C., area while working at these full time clerical jobs. Young men and women who possess a four year college degree from an accredited college and who have been employed in a clerical capacity with the FBI for three years and meet all other requirements may then be considered for the Special Agent position at a starting salary of \$14,824 (GS-10) per year.

The FBI provides counseling services to its new employees to assist them with housing, transportation, and other needs. If close friends or young married couples apply at the same time and are found acceptable, every effort is made to afford them appointments on the same date.

The FBI does not come under Civil Service in that the FBI has its own application form, tests, investigators, and hires its own employees rather than draw them from a Civil Service list or register.

An application and detailed information may be obtained by calling or writing the Special Agent in Charge, FBI, 200 Mercantile Continental Building, Dallas, Texas, 75201, telephone Area Code 214-741-1851, or by contacting the nearest FBI Office whose telephone number will be listed in the front of your

telephone directory. Completed applications should be sent to the above address as processing of such applications can be instituted as much as six months prior to an individual's availability. Upon receipt of a completed application, the interested applicant will be contacted and arrangements made for personal interview and appropriate tests at a time and place convenient to the applicant.

Vacancies for the positions of Clerk, Typist and Stenographer frequently exist in the Dallas Office for which interested and qualified applicants may also be considered. The many benefits of working for the FBI such as annual leave, sick leave, health and life insurance, and retirement benefits should be thoroughly considered when choosing a career.

ACT NOW!

Irrigation Conference Slated

HEREFORD - A look at diminishing water supplies and well cave-ins is one of seven topics to be reviewed in a High Plains Irrigation Conference in Hereford, March 9 at the Bull Barn, beginning at 9:45 a.m.

Producers, agriculture specialists and industry representatives joining in the confab will also hear features of low cost pumping units, how to improve existing pumps, achieving efficient row and center pivot irrigation and relationship of soil water holding capacity to plant growth.

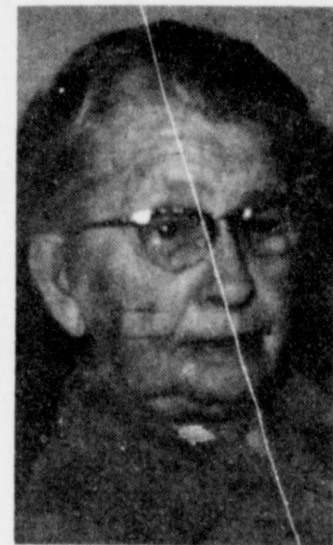
According to Leon New, Texas Agricultural Extension Service irrigation specialist and Justin McBride, Deaf Smith County Extension agent, the conference will feature as speakers experts in irrigation and water management. Among these will be J.K. Childress, district manager, FMC Corporation, Plainview; Joe Harbin of Bailey County Electric Cooperative; Jack Musick, agricultural engineer, USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center, Bushland; and Charles Schlabs, grower and chairman of the Deaf Smith Water Association, Hereford.

Also in the lineup of speakers will be Don Smith of the High Plains Underground Water District, Lubbock; Darrell Watts, Extension irrigation engineer, University of Nebraska; and Wayne Keese, agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station.

Sponsor of the irrigation conference is the Panhandle Economic Program of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with the Deaf Smith Water Association and the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce.

Every person should be willing to listen to others - at least as much as he talks.

Sigh no more, ladies, sigh no more,
Men were deceivers ever.
-Shakespeare.



MRS. LULA D. SCOTT

Lula Scott Rites Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula D. Scott of the Big Square Community were held at 3 p.m. Monday at the Lazbuddie Methodist Church.

Mrs. Scott, 87, died at 7 p.m. Friday, February 20 in South Hills Manor Nursing Home in Dimmitt where she had been for a short time.

Rev. Frank Matthews, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park Cemetery under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Scott was born in McCome, Illinois. She had lived in Castro County since 1908, moving to the Big Square Community from Baird, Iowa. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include her husband, Alfred; a son, Glenn of Lazbuddie; a daughter, Mrs. Gloria Elliott of Lazbuddie; 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Welch Last Rites Held

Funeral services for Mildred Francis Welch, 57, of Enochs community were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, in the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield, with Rev. Wallace Kirby of Perryton, officiating, assisted by Rev. Hazel House of Andrews.

Burial was in the Little Memorial Park under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Welch died at 1:35 a.m. Monday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

A resident of the Enochs community for the past 35 years, she was a native of Stillwater, Oklahoma. She was a member of Enochs Methodist Church and of United Methodist Women.

Survivors include her husband, W.L.; two sons, William and Gary, both of Enochs; a daughter, Mrs. Linda Wall of Hobbs, New Mexico; a brother, M.C. Street Jr., of Muleshoe; two sisters, Mrs. Wenona Gibson of Muleshoe and Mrs. Juandell Ligon of Littlefield; a niece, Mrs. Bobby Newman of Muleshoe and five grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.

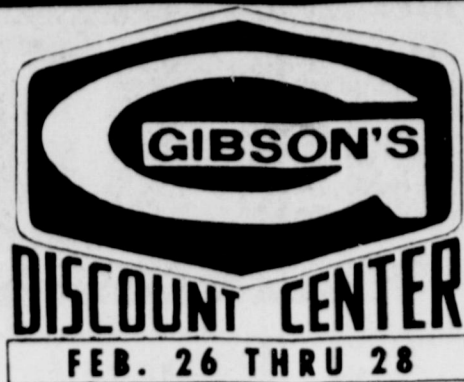
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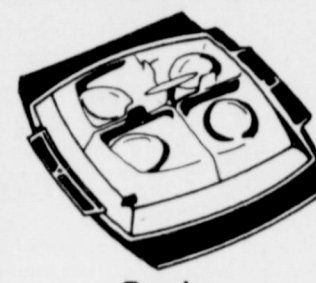
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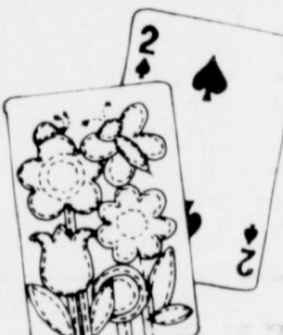


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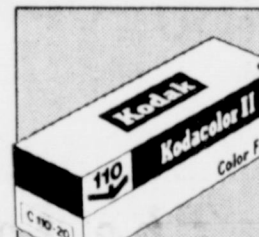
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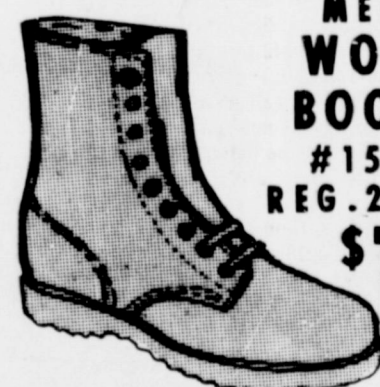
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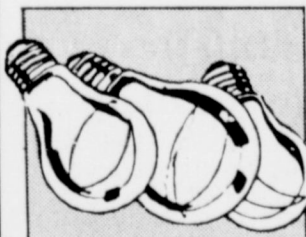
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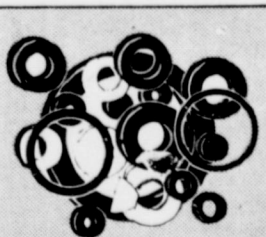


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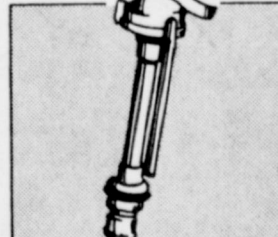


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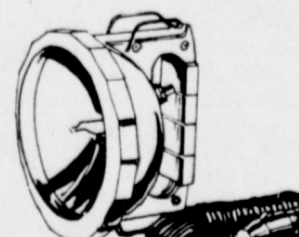
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May God bless each of you.
Leon and Muriel Lewis and family

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our neighbors, friends, and relatives for their prayers, visits, cards, flowers, words of sympathy and the abundance of food brought to us during the illness and passing of our loved one. May God bless each one of you.
The families of Minnie Elizabeth Carpenter

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NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATE OF JAMES L. SCOTT
Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of James L. Scott were issued to me, the undersigned on the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1976.
In the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered, in the County below named, are hereby required to present the same to me respectively at the address below given before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitations, before such estate is closed, and with the time prescribed by law, my residence and post office address is Route 2, Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.
Dated the 23rd day of February, A.D. 1976.
Raymond L. Scott, Independent Executor of the Estate of James L. Scott, deceased, No. 1157, in the County Court of Bailey County, Texas.
9t-1tp

ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ
1. Manager Billy Martin was ousted by what team?
2. Don Nottingham plays pro football for what team?
3. Who won the Pleasant Valley Golf Classic?
4. Who won the Nashville 420 Grand National race?
5. Bob Watson plays pro baseball for what team?

Answers To Sports Quiz
1. Texas Rangers.
2. Miami Dolphins.
3. Roger Maltbie.
4. Cale Yarborough.
5. Houston Astros.

Rev. Eddie Riley, pastor of the Bula Baptist Church, announces that the local church will be host to five missionaries, participating in the Llanos Altos Association, of World Mission Conferences, Sunday, February 29, through Wednesday, March 3. Sunday morning February 29, the speaker will be Rev. Meredith E. Wyatt, with the Southern Baptist Home Mission board, and working in mobile Audio Visual, in his home town, of Bakersville, Calif. He terms himself a chapel on wheels missionary. He received his BA degree at Howard Payne and his Th.M. degree from South Western Theological Seminary, in Fort Worth. He has pastored

two churches in California and three in Texas, he is 62 years old and the father of three children. Sunday evening Miss Darline Elliott will speak. She is presently librarian and Piano teacher at the International Baptist Theological Seminary, in Cali, Columbia. She was appointed foreign missionary in 1943. She is a native of Corpus Christi, Texas, and received her B.A. degree from Baylor University at Waco, and M.A. in religious education from South Western Seminary, in Fort Worth. Monday evening brother Arville E. Senter, will speak. He is a Southern Baptist Missionary to Tanzania, South Africa. His main ministry is working with people of Southern Haeglana, of Tanzania. He has a B.A. degree from the University of Corpus Christi and B.D. degree from South Western Seminary, Fort Worth. Tuesday evening, brother T.O. Upshaw, state missionary, will be the speaker. He has pastored churches in Rotan, 1948-52, Lefores, 1952-57, and Pampa, 2957-January 70. He presently serves as area Missionary for Baptist Double Mountain Area in Stamford, Texas. He is a graduate of Roby High School, and his wife graduated from Rotan High School. He is father of one son and two daughters. He has a degree from Hardin Simmons University and South Western Seminary, Fort Worth.

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Tough, Texas Weeds Bow To Chemicals

FRESNO, CALIF. -- Names like lanceleaf sage, prairie sunflower, rough blackfoot and spurred anoda bring to mind vivid pictures of the old West. These particular names, though, have little glory and legend for the producers who grow over two million acres of cotton annually on the Texas High Plains. For them, these native weeds amount to an economic headache.
Research scientists like Dr. John R. Abernathy, a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station weed physiologist from Lubbock, say there are some remedies to these headaches.
Addressing a crowd of producers, officials and experts at the 1976 Beltwide Cotton Production Conference in Fresno, California, February 25, Abernathy said his research tests over the past two years have turned up some herbicide combinations that can handle the pesky weeds of the Texas High Plains.
Several native annual plant species, he said, have become economically important weed problems in the production of cotton over the years. Decades ago, they were trampled underfoot of buffalo roaming the Caprock region in the Texas Panhandle. Today, native weeds such as the lanceleaf sage, silverleaf nightshade, oakleaf thornapple, prairie sunflower, rough blackfoot and the common morning glory invade many sections of crop land.
Speaking as one of four panel members on weed control dur-

ing the two-day conference, Abernathy said that dinitroaniline (di-ni-tro-an-i-line) herbicides such as Treflan, Cobex, Tolban, Amex, Prowl, and Basalin did not by themselves control these native weeds. Instead, they destroyed the pigweed, which competes with other native weeds, and created an environment which allowed the native plants to proliferate.
In two years of tests in which some 29 herbicide treatments in cotton were examined, Abernathy found that herbicide overlay treatments satisfactorily controlled all the annual native weeds except the lanceleaf sage. The overlay treatments consisted of a preplant incorporated dinitroaniline followed

by a preemergence application of Caparol (prometryne or diprometryne).
To get the lanceleaf sage, he applied a dinitroaniline herbicide preplant plus Karmex (diuron) immediately after planting. This, he said, worked satisfactorily.
The Texas researcher said the reason that lanceleaf sage is tougher to control than the other native weeds is because of an unusual characteristic. When the plant's small seeds are placed in contact with moisture, they secrete a gelatinous, protective membrane. The problem is complicated by the plant's ability to produce an enormous amount of seed, sometimes over 150 million seed per acre.
"Timely tillage operations still can be one of the better control measures for the lanceleaf sage," Abernathy said. "We also found that one of the best preventative measures is to keep turnrows, ditches, and infested areas clean."
Abernathy said studies at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Lubbock showed that one lanceleaf sage plant per foot of cotton will reduce boll production by 35 percent.
The scientist said crop rotation and cleaning peripheral areas of the field, in addition to applying chemical herbicides, would be effective steps for producers to take in cases of all the native weed pests.
The year's conference, held at the Rowday Inn in Fresno, featured a wide range of topics on cotton production, harvesting, and marketing. About 400 leading producers, industry representatives, Cooperative Extension Service officials and state Experiment Station research scientists from across the southwestern and southern states were expected to attend.
The event was followed by another day of technical sessions in which insect pests of cotton and field environment effects on yields were discussed.
Time of services are scheduled for 11 a.m. Sunday and 6:00 p.m. Weekdays.

Bula Baptist Church To Host Missionaries

He is presently on board of trustees of High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo, and has served six years on Southern Baptist Executive Board.
Wednesday evening brother Gerald Moore, from Las Vegas, N.M. will be bringing the message. Brother Moore's home is in Las Vegas, N.M. He does home mission work, with the spanish speaking people at Wagon Mountain, N.M. He was born in Gorman, Texas and moved to Sudan, at the age of 1. He has B.S. degree from the University of Corpus Christi. He is married to the formal Opal Snitker of the Enochs Community. They have one daughter, Marsha.
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Letters To The Editor
To The Citizens of Muleshoe:
It has been my privilege for the past seven and a half years to serve you as a councilman or as your Mayor. I have served with some of the most dedicated men who had Muleshoe's interest at heart in all their decisions and I thank God for them. You should too.
I feel that seven years is enough and someone else should serve. I, therefore, will not be a candidate for the office of Mayor for the ensuing term.
My thanks to all of you. Muleshoe is the Best little town in the U.S.A. and if you don't believe it try serving it some time.
Sincerely,
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Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Jimmy Gillentine, Sue White and Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine, all from Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gillentine, from Hereford visited in the H.W. Garvin home, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Long attended a banquet with their son, Larry, at Cannon Air Base, last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W.L. Welch is a medical patient in a Littlefield hospital.

Rev. Hazel House from Andrews visited the H.W. Garvins in Cochran Memorial Hospital, last Monday.

Several families from the community attended the fat stock show in San Antonio, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Durham from Lubbock, spent the weekend with her parents, the George Tysons.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huff and family, Mrs. P.L. Fort, Bonnie Long and Mrs. Bill Key were in Lubbock Saturday to attend the wedding of Steven Huff. He married at the Presbyterian Church, Saturday evening.

Three-Way High School basketball teams played Whitherell Tuesday night. Three-Way won both games.

The Three-Way Junior High basketball teams played in the Whitherell tournament the past weekend, with the Three-Way girls winning consolation and the boys winning second place.

Mrs. Joe Sowder is in Plainview visiting her daughter, the Jack McCarty's.

Mrs. James Sinclair was a medical patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital the past week.

Three-Way High School basketball teams played Anton Tuesday night. The Three-Way girls won and the boys lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tyson and children from Levelland were supper guests in the George Tyson home, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Bud Huff, Mrs. Bill Key and Bonnie Long were in Lubbock Friday on business.

Mrs. Dutch Powell from Clovis visited Mrs. Beadie Powell, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Garvin visited their daughter and family, the Kenneth Fox family, in Clovis Saturday.

Eddie Foust from Plainview preached at the Three-Way Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Adolph Wittner was in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Three-Way Junior High basketball tournament was at Three-Way this past weekend. The boys won first. Three-Way LCC boys won first. Three-Way boys won second and Whitherell consolation. Whiteface girls won first, with Three-Way girls winning second.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter and Mr. and Mrs. Zed Robinson from Muleshoe were dinner guests in the D.S. Fowler home Sunday.

H.W. Garvin is a medical patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton.

Mrs. W.L. Welch is a medical patient in a Littlefield hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler were called to Dallas Sunday afternoon, to be with a daughter who is ill.

If we must have economy we can always have money on defense items and let the communists take over the country.

Food Production Increase Possible

COLLEGE STATION -- If the call goes out to the nation's farmers for increased food production, they will likely respond as they have in the past -- full speed ahead. But that will hinge on two key factors -- new land will have to be brought into production, and prices for agricultural products will have to increase so that farmers will have an economic incentive.

Of course, improved management practices applied to existing cropland along with good weather would provide for some increase in total agricultural output. "As far as available land for agricultural production is concerned, about 266 million acres of forests and rangelands could be converted," points out Dr. W.E. Black, an economist in

marketing for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Citing figures by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, he further notes that some 361 million acres were tilled for crops last year. "Of the forests and rangelands that could be converted to crop production, this expansion would likely start in three main areas of the country -- the

Northern and the Southern Plains (primarily in Texas and Oklahoma) and the Corn Belt," notes the Texas A&M University System specialist. "Despite the fact that additional land exists for food production, farmers must have some incentive to produce," contends Black. "This means that prices for agricultural products will have to increase from current levels and remain at

these levels over a period of years for farmers to invest heavily and make the necessary capital expenditures to make more land usable. "Increased prices for farm commodities will, on the other hand, mean increased food prices for consumers," adds the economist. "You can't have one without the other. "Consumers want a plentiful food supply at a fairly reasonable cost, but they will have to be prepared to pay more for food if farmers are called on to increase

production," says Black. "Furthermore, it will mean that some of our nation's forests and rangelands will have to give way to the plow." When and if food production must be increased in this country will depend on economic and political conditions throughout the world, adds the economist. Bread of deceit is sweet to a man, but afterwards his mouth shall be filled with gravel. -Proverbs 10:17.



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Cotton Confab Slated

SUNNYSIDE COMMUNITY -- Profitable cotton production is the theme of an evening meeting at the Community Center of Sunnyside Community, south of Dimmitt, March 4 beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Designed especially for producers in the northern region of the South Plains, the event will highlight cotton varieties, cultural practices, pest management and the future of cotton production.

Dr. Levon L. Ray, professor and assistant director of research for the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock, will speak on planting cotton varieties for quality and profit.

Dr. James R. Supak, Texas Agricultural Extension Service agronomist at Lubbock, will

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discuss cultural practices for quality cotton production; and Gene Latham, Hale County Extension entomologist, will present a topic on the importance of pest management in cotton.

Marvin Sartin, area Extension farm management economist, also of Lubbock, will discuss the future of cotton production in the immediate cotton growing area.

Bill C. Gunter, district Extension agent from Lubbock, is moderator for the meeting, and Ray Joe Riley, Castro County producer from Hart, will provide opening remarks.

"We believe these are outstanding speakers who can bring the best information available on cotton production to area producers," says Gunter.

"We encourage everyone in the northern growing region of the South Plains associated with cotton production to attend this meeting."

The conference is sponsored by the county Extension agents within the South Plains Development (SPD) program and the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) areas, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Texas A&M University. SPD and PEP are volunteer organizations made up of citizens interested in the economic and social growth of the area.

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