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Aitken, who fought the battle

in Washington for the farmers

from April 1 through July 1,

1975, when the case was tried,

said, "there is no way we can

burn anything other than natur-

al gas and have irrigation

crops." He pointed out that

Working through the Federal

After the decision was made to

allow the field hearings, Aitken

said a bombshell was dropped

when a motion was filed to

overrule the order of the trial

Aitken said the field hearings

were dead unless something

was done quick, so he went to

Mahon and solicited his help,

telling him there was no way he

Bailey County Judge Glen

Williams explained that the

department felt the need for

more office space about a year

ago and planned to make a move

then. However funds were not

available at that time and the

County was going to furnish

them with office space in one of

their buildings. Funds later

became available for the local

department to rent office space.

Thus the move to this location.

Prior to the move, the Food

judge to grant field hearings.

plishment.

Thursday, March 4, 1976



FARM FAMILY OF YEAR Mr. and Mrs. L.M. (Chunk) Smith of Lazbuddie were named Farm Family of the Year for that community at the Annual Springlake-Earth Chamber of Commerce Banquet

held Tuesday, March 2 at the school cafeteria. Pictured (I-r) Chunk Smith, his wife, Jeanell, daughter Debbie and son Keihm

'Chunk' Smith's, Lazbuddie Farm Family Of Year

Mr. and Mrs. L.M (Chunk) Smith of Lazbuddie were named the Farm Family of the Year for the Lazbuddie community during the Annual Springlake-Earth Chamber of Commerce banquet held Tuesday, March 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their two children, Debbie and Keihm were honored as being a good Christian family in their community. Farming is an all-out family venture for the Smiths. Both Mrs. (Jeanell) Smith and the children are good help

eighth grade. They have farmed all their lives. Chunk Smith was Macky McCarty was MC for raised south of Lazbuddie and the event. Dinner was served by both he and his wife were born the Junior High School National and raised in the Lazbuddie Honor Society. Dinner music community, as were their chilwas played by Kim Jones. dren. At the present time they Special music presented after farm land east of Lazbuddie and the meal was by Kelly Haydon and Kathy Wright. have lived in the area for 35

Bids For Highways a.m., March 24, 1976, and then

Sealed bids for constructing publicly opened and read. 173.316 miles of Thermoplastic Parcels included are: from the Edge Line Striping on U.S. Highways 84, 62, 62-82, 82 and New Mexico State Line to Bail

Guest speaker was James Blakely PH.D. of Whatron, Texas. He spoke of the enthusiasm of the people in this country, pointing out that this is a country of hybrid people, referring to the different nationalities that make up the population. Cont. on Page 3, Col 6

SPAG To

Hold Meet

Agri Gas Users Organize To Fight Gas Rate Hikes

Members of the Bailey County Gas Users Association met Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Bailey County Electric Cooperative conference room to hear John Aitken, their attorney from Hereford speak.

The meeting was called to Democratic Workshop

Draws Interest The Democratic Participation Workshop to be held Saturday

(March 6) in Lubbock, Texas is drawing interest from all over the South Plains. "I'm delighted with the response we've gotten and the interest shown by Democrats of

all descriptions," said Democratic Party Chairman Calvin Guest Joe Connally, 28th District Committeeman of Odessa, Ruth

Osborne, 31st District Committeewoman, and Betty Poulson, 28th District Committeewoman of Lorenzo are in charge of the program in this area. The workshop will be held at

Lubbock in South Park Inn. Registration begins at 9:15 a.m. The program begins at 10:00 a.m. and lasts until 4:30 p.m. Work will be on four specific subjects: voter registration; precinct organization; participation in conventions at the precinct, county, state and national levels, including the Presidential Preference primary; and working with volunteers and bring-Cont. on Page 3, Col. 5.

die who introduced Aitken, who spearheaded the battle in Washington to hold the farming industry in Priority 2 (using processed gas classification) rather than be placed in Priority 3, which would have them using standby gas.

there were a number of reasons The purpose of the meeting it is impossible to use anything was to get the farmers organother than natural gas. ized and try to fight the increasing rates charged for the use of Power Commission, motions natural gas. Millen stated, "I were filed to permit "field don't believe the rates being hearings", which would allow charged now are justified."

the same judge who heard the first case get his court reporter Officers and go out into the fiends and get testimony from the farmers. Aitken pointed out that this **Elected** At testimony is an essential in order to present an accurate picture of the situation. He **Phone Meet** credits U. S. Congressman George Mahon with this accom-

New officers were elected during the Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Annual Meeting held February 28, 1976 at the High School Auditorium in Muleshoe. New new Directors were also eiected to the Board. J.F. Furgeson was elected Board President; Jack Angeley, vice-president; and Ray O'Bri en, Secretary-treasurer. Elected to serve on the Board for District 2 was John Agee and District 4, Delbert Watson.

Running for the Directors positions were Agee and Gene Paul Jarman from District No. 2; and Watson and Jerry Damron from Cont. on Page 3, Col 2

Genealogical The local office of the Texas Department of Public Welfare Department of Public Welfare and the Food Stamp office has Seminar Set

The newly formed Deaf Smith County Genealogical Society is opical seminar

could win the case without the field hearings; no way to develop a record without the field hearings (testimony from the farmers).

The Commission granted the Cont. on Page 3, Col 1

Electric COOP **Holds** Meet

The Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association held its annual meeting February 28 in the High School Auditorium, Muleshoe. There were 195 members present with five out of town guests on hand, making a total of 227 persons persent for the meeting.

The Nominating Committee consisting of Ernest Ramm, George Wheeler, Frank Wuerflein, Roy Taylor and O.M. Lackey, met prior to the meeting and nominated two persons for each district in which terms were expiring. Nominated were from District No. 1, Arvis Grogan, and J.W. Herington and Cont. on Page 3. Col 1

FoodStampOffice Changes Location

just south of the Muleshoe Publishing Company on Second Street.

Judge Williams said he has been informed that WIC is also Cont. on Page 3, Col 6

moved to a new location. Their new quarters are located at 209 E. Avenue B, and the moved was made March 1.

during harvest. Jeanell takes food to the field and stays and helps with the harvest activities. She drives a truck, or whatever else is needed. Debbie is a senior at Lazbuddie

School and Keihm is in the

60, in Parmer, Bailey, Lamb, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby and Castro Counties, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, in Austin, until 9

County line; from Parmer County line to East 6th Street in Muleshoe; from East 6th Street in Muleshoe to Lamb County Line: from Bailey County line to Cont. on Page 3, Col 6



LOCAL MAN INJURED . . . Zebode Edmudson of Muleshoe and and employee at King's Feedlot was injured in a two-vehicle accident which occurred Saturday, February 28 around 5:30 p.m. at the intersection of Highway 1760 and the King Feedlot road. Officers said Edmudson, driver of the pickup ran a yield sign coming onto the highway into the path of a Dodge truck driven by Edwin L. Rierson of Portales. Edmudson was taken to West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe and later transferred to a Lubbock hospital.

The Dangerous Weed

What The Practicing Physician Should Know About Marijuana

Editor's note: This is the first in a series of four articles dealing with the harmful effects of Marijuana smoking. The article was sent to the Journal from "Private Practice", the journal socio-economic medicine, an official publication of the Congress of County Medical Socie-

"Marijuana is a perverse and dangerous drug," says Francis A. Davis, MD, "and the attempts to portray it as nearly harmless are irresponsible in the extreme. As a practicing physician, I have seen the tragic human wreckage left by heavy marijuana use.

Dr. Davis, publisher of "Private Practice", a monthly journal for physicians, and president of the Congress of County Medical Societies, deplored the recent Federal government statements about the drug: "We know that marijuana has very serious mental and physical effects on anyone using it regularly.

"Writing in the January issue of "Private Practice", Dr. Hardin B. Jones, professor of medical physics and physiology at the University of California at Berkeley, and Assistant Director of the Donner Laboratory, described these effects for practicing physicians. This top scientist pointed out that, 1) Marijuana's effects are cumulative, since it is stored in fat cells and

brain cell membranes; 2) It causes irreversible brain changes: 3) It quickly produces precancerous lesions in the lungs, which usually appear only after thirty years of heavy cigarette smoking; 4) It changes the personality -- for the worse, usually causing paranoia; 5) It lowers the male hormone level; 6) It lowers the body's immunological responses; 7) It causes

chromosome damage. It is truly called 'the dangerous weed.' Dr. Hardin B. Jones, professor of medical physics and physiology at the University of California, Berkeley, and assistant

director of the Donner Laboratory, explains what the practicing physician should know about marijuana:

The average marijuana user after that stage was reached the young man who smokes two (usually after about five cigarettes had been smoked, either all to three "joints" per week -- is adversely and persistently affecat once or spread out over ted by the "weed." But he does several weeks), intoxication not comprehend his situation. could be renewed by smoking Young women are affected in only a portion of a joint. Because the same way, but they are of my observations, I challenged about half as likely to use the the claims that marijuana has a drug and they usually consume "reverse tolerance", with the somewhat less when they do. implication that it was, there-Effects on these young people fore, safe. The notion of safety due to reverse tolerance has are, of course, less than with daily use of the drug, but young remained in the pro-marijuana people who smoke marijuana to literature in spite of the proof any degree are likely to be that the active components of brought to physicians by conmarijuana do indeed accumulate in the body and in the brain. cerned parents who are worried because of the change in their ent of the cannabis drugs, behavior. delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol

Evidence of the cumulative nature of the effects of marijuana is found throughout the literature of this subject. It was my own initial observation upon interviewing marijuana users. I

The Executive Committee of South Plains Association of Governments (SPAG) will meet at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 9, 1976 at the SPAG Conference Room, 1611 Avenue M, Lubbock and the Board of Directors of SPAG will meet at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 9, 1976 at the SPAG Conference Room for the following purposes:

To review minutes of the February 10 meeting; hear a financial report; go over the Project Review Docket; discussion of NARC Regional Workshop; Replacement of a vacancy on the SPAG Board of Directors; Cont. on Page 3, Col 3

Lincrest Farm Is Elected

Lincrest Farm, Route 2, Box 61, Muleshoe, Texas, 79347, has been elected to membership in the American Angus Association at St. Joseph, Missouri, announces Lloyd D. Miller, executive secretary.

There were 275 memberships issued to breeders of registered Aberdeen Angus in the United States during the past month.

found that it was necessary to

smoke marijuana cigarettes sev-

eral times to get the first intoxicative "high," and that

The fate of the active ingredi-

(THC), has been determined by

a number of studies in laborato-

ry animals and in humans by

labeling the administered THC

Cont. on Page 3, Col 4

Services Stepped Up

Easter Seal

Because of the steady growth in numbers of crippled children and adults in Texas, the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas has stepped up its rehabilitation services Jimmie Crawford, who is the

Easter Seal Representative for the County, said 10,768 handicapped Texans received Easter

tims of crippling diseases who

Tickets have gone on sale for the Muleshoe High School Ath-School Cafeteria.

Club, the event will honor all high school boy and girl athletes and coaches. Rex Dockery, an assistant

sity will be guest speaker. Tickets sell for \$3.75 each and may be purchased from Avis Grogan, Dave Sudduth, Gordon-Wilson Appliance, Whitt, Watts and Rempe, Baker Farm Supply, Williams Brothers Supply and the Chamber of Commerce office.

Rotarians View Film At Meet

Guests attending Rotary during their regular noon meeting Tuesday, March 2, were James Parker, Horace Tarver and Jo Jean Blackwell. Student of the month was Mike O'Grady. During the meeting, Mrs. Blackwell roasted John Blackwell, her husband. Howard Watkins presented the

program and showed a film on small businesses and how the IRS could help them succeed. It was voted to reinstate Horace Tarver as an active member after Tarver was thoroughly questioned by Harmon Elliott. Tarver recently returned to Muleshoe. Tarver left Muleshoe in 1974, moving to Lubbock.

Monday, March 22 at 10 a.m. in the Deaf Smith County Library, 211 East 4 Street in Hereford. Richard H. Shepherd, Genealogical Lecturer, Gencor, Inc. will be guest speaker. He was born and raised in Utah. He. pursued studies at the University of Utah and has served in the United States Navy. Shepherd is a former microfilmer for the Genealogical Society in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Shepherd is a member of the Stamp office, Department of Utah Genealogical Association Public Welfare office, Family and is in constant demand as a motivational speaker, averaging Cont. on Page 3, Col 1

Bullock Fears Loss Of Revenue

AUSTIN -- Comptroller Bob Bullock said Wednesday that if Congress doesn't extend the revenue sharing program, city halls and courthouses across Texas will have to close their

Bullock released a list showing the percentage tax increase each county and city would have to enact to replace revenue sharing funds they now receive. Bailey County would have to increase taxes 19.2 percent and the City of Muleshoe would have to increase taxes 21.1

"Highfalutin debate on the pros and cons of revenue sharing doesn't mean a thing to the taxpayer." the Comptroller said. "The cold truth is that in most cities and counties, he'll have to pay at least 20 percent

The death of the program

"But the real impact would be

have received nearly \$1 billion

during the five-year life of the revenue shaing program," he said. "It's time for state officials to worry about more than the state budget. We've got to start thinking about our county and city governments."

Bullock said a study by his office shows that inflation has gradually forced local officials to rely on revenue sharing as part of their operating budgets.

"A lot of people warned in the beginning that this would happen," Bullock said. "And they were right. But like it or not, a vote against revenue sharing at this point is most surely a vote to decrease local services or increase local taxes.'

TEXAS SCHOOL WEEK OBSERVED . . . Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hunt and son Curtis attended Open House at Muleshoe Junior High School Tuesday night to have a loot at Science Fair Projects and to allow parents the opportunity to meet and visit with the teachers.

more in local taxes if the program ends."

Lazbuddie Plans 50th Anniversary

There will be a meeting luesday night, March 9, at 7:30 p.m., in the Lazbuddie school cafeteria to discuss the plans and projects for Lazbuddie School's 50 anniversary reunion and bicentennial celebration. This is the last overall meeting planned before the designated

Planning and WIC offices were Cont. on page 3, Col. 5. all housed in a building located

cal treatment which saves vic-Cont. on Page 3. Col 8 Athletic Banquet

Tickets On Sale

letic Banquet, slated for March 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the High Sponsored by the Booster

coach from Texas Tech Univer-

Seal treatments during 1975. "Despite medical scientific advances," Crawford explained, "the rank of the crippled are growing. This is because of population growth, increased number of accidents and medi-

doors or drastically increase local taxes to keep on providing the same level of services.

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would also be a hardship on the state, Bullock added, noting that the Legislature would have to write a budget without the \$100 million a year it could otherwise expect. on the cities and counties that percent.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES:

Thomas Amos Miller of Muleshoe and Vada Moore Smith, Muleshoe.

Juan Miranda Mendoza, Muleshoe and Hortencia Garcia Valencia, Muleshoe. Prentice Ray Hart, Lubbock

and Charlotte Shaw Brackeen, J. Miller, et ux, all of Section 16, Lubbock

Nono Mario Hector Acosta. Madera, Old Mexico and Maria De La Luz Gonzales, New Braunfels, Texas. WARRANTEE DEEDS:

Robert Blackwood, et al to Soilo A. Fabela, et ux, all of lots 19 and 20, Block 35, Original Town of Muleshoe.

Ernest Kerr, et ux to C.S. McKany, two five acre-tracts of land out of the SE corner of Track one, Walker County School lands. Billy McCasland, et ux to Gary

Phillips Petroleum Company to

son Subdivision.

Block Y, W.D. and F.W. John-Western "66" Company, all of lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 7, W.J. Woodard, et ux, to Willis Warren's Addition 2, Town of Muleshoe.

James, et ux, all of the NE/4 of Section 44, Block Z, W.D. and Daniel H. Hart, et ux to Larry F.W. Johnson Subdivision. D. Ross, et ux, Labor 3, League Rudolf Wiedebush, et ux to 170, Hale County School Lands. John A. Hayes, et ux, 60 acres Howard I. Watson, et ux to out of the SW/4 of Section 22, C.A. Watson, et ux, 13.4 acres out of the N/100 acres of Section 81, Block Y, except a one acre tract - 9.77 acre tract out of SW part of Section 81, Block Y. Robert Blackwood, et al, to Ramon O. Mendoza, et ux, all of lots 19, 20, 21 and 22, Block 34, Original Town of Muleshoe.

Gary Miller, et ux, to Ralph C. Rounds, et al, all of Section 16 and the S/2 of Section 15, Block Y. W.D. and F.W. Johnson

Subdivision No. 2, Bailey County, Texas. Lloyd Earl Pollard, Sr., et ux to Lloyd Earl Pollard, Jr., E/2 of Tract 110, League 182, Floyd County School Lands. Estella Torres DeLeon, et vir to Reynaldo Costilla, et ux, a tract being the SW'ly 45' of Lot 11, and the NE'ly 30' of Lot 12,

Block 8, Lenau Subdivision to the City of Muleshoe.

Margaret Mahon, executrix of

D.D. Mahon estate to K.L. Donald, et ux, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 19, City of Goodland.

A.E. Lewis, et ux to George Bachicha, et ux, a 3.01 acre tract out of Labor No. 16, League 193, Foard County School Lands. Triticale Foods Corp., to Gordon Green, Substitute Trustee to Larry Gregory, 82.72 acres out of SE/4 of Section 33, Block X, W.D. and F.W. Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas.

Enochs News

By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Autry and Jo Ann, visited their daughter, Bill Key and Kevin visited Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McDaniel Dwaine Kay at Oklahoma Lane, and family at Levelland Sunday last Sunday afternoon. afternoon. They also visited ***** another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Visitors at the Baptist Church

in Lubbock Sunday to visit the

sick folks, Wayland Garvin and

A.P. Fred at the Methodist

Hospital. They also stopped at

the Littlefield Hospital and visi-

right hand since arriving home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seagler

drove to Wilson last Monday

and spent the night with their

son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Seagler and family. Their

granddaughter, Angie, celebra-

ted her fifth birthday Tuesday.

They returned home Tuesday

Mrs. Alma Altman drove to

Tulia Thursday and visited with

her daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

Kenneth Millsap and family

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Petree

and daughter of Clovis visited

his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

until Sunday afternoon.

Chester Petree, Sunday.

MATHEWS NOMINATED

Dr. F. David Mathews,

president of the University of Alabama, was nominated

by President Ford to become

secretary of the Department

of Health, Education and

ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Who was the victor in the

2. Daryle Lamonica is now

with what WFL team?

3. The Pocono 500 was cap-

4. Who won the Western Open

Who will be Muhammad

Ali's next probable con-

Ali-Bugner bout?

tured by whom?

Golf Tournament?

Answers To Sports Quiz

morning.

Welfare.

ted Pat Morris.

Robert Silhan, north of the wild Sunday night were a group of life Refuge. people from the Three-Way community. Also, Mrs. Alberta Mrs. Clyde Price was admitted Bryant of Littlefield and Mrs. to the Methodist Hospital Tues-Kenneth Petree of Clovis, New day and had minor surgery Mexico were visitors Sunday Wednesday. She was dismissed Thursday and has burned her

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Gilliam last Sunday night were their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Vester Gilliam and son, Christopher, of Morton. Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam were dinner guests in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Butler in Morton. Then they visited a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wayne Gilliam and Mrs. Doyle Butler then visited her parents, Tuesday

E.N. McCall underwent surgery at the St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock Wednesday. He is still a patient there. ****

Mrs. H.H. Snow of Muleshoe visited her sister, the J.W. Layton's, Thursday. Her mother, Irene Parker, of Hereford was visiting a daughter, Mrs. Edward Crume.

A group of friends from the area attended the funeral services of Mrs. Mildred Welch at the First United Methodist Church in Littlefield, Tuesday, February 24, at 2:00 p.m.

Mrs. J.D. Bayless was in Muleshoe Saturday and visited in the home of a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Coffman. ****

Mrs. Myrna Turney and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Turney and daughter, of Enochs; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turney of Morton; and Mrs.

Tom Newton and son, Barry, of Three-Way drove to Pep, New Mexico Sunday afternoon and

were supper guests in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs.

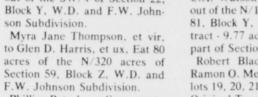
- Southern California Sun. 3. A. J. Foyt
 - 4. George Johnson.
 - 5. Joe Frazier.

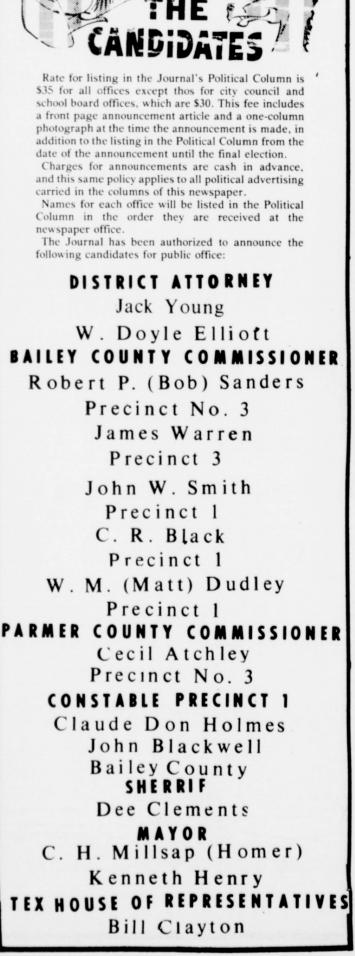
tender?

1. Muhammad Ali.

The Journals Political Column MEET ----







Agri... Cont. from Page 1

field hearings after Mahon's intervention Aitken stated. Aitken went on to say that 'unless a farmer is terribly affluent, we are nearly out of the irrigation business." He pointed out the gas rate went up about 30 cents last year and is expected to go up about 35 cents more this year.

"The demand is so great all over the country for this kind of gas," said Aitken, "that the only thing that saved the farmers is becuase they are producing food and fiber in such great quantities.'

Electric... Cont. from Page 1

District No. 2, Frank Wuerflein

and Joe Embry. Arvis Grogan from District No. 1 and Joe Embry from District No. 2 were elected. Election judges who counted ballots were: D.O. Burelsmith, Leldon Phillips, John West, Bill Millen and Lester Howard.

Other directors who complete the seven-member board are: District No. 3, Willard Tibbetts; District No. 4, W.B. Kittrell; District No. 5, Herbert Sowder; District No. 6, Bill Sowder; and District No. 7, Wendel Mason. A new Nominating Committee has been selected to meet prior to the 1977 Annual Meeting and make nominations for directors for District 2, 5 and 7 are: District No. 2, Jerry Damron and Carol Kelton; District No. 5, Leon Dupler and Don Lowe; and District No. 7, Jim Tanner and Ray O'Brien. Committeeman at large is Jerry Tay. Newly elected Board president is Herbert E. Sowder; Vice-President, Arvis Grogan and Secretary-treasurer, W.B. Kittrell

Refreshments were served during and after the meeting by the Bailey County 4-H.

Genealogical Cont. from Page 1

over a dozen seminars per week throughout the United States. An authority on genealogical

sources and techniques, Shepherd has personally visited most of the major record repositories in the country. One of his most important contributions to genealogical research has been his organization and notekeeping expertise.

Shepherd has information of great benefit to the beginner as well as to the professional. He is a recognized expert in the use of genealogical and historical records and specializes in the use of little known but extremely

valuable record sources. He is

"We are at the point now, with the Priority thing still pending.' said Aitken, "that there is no difference if we are put in Priority 3 for the use of standby gas, or where we are now, if the cost of gas gets so high we can't pay for it.

Aitken explained that the farmer has two options, passage of the Bob Kruger Amendment which would have the gas rates deregulated. This amendment failed two weeks ago in the House by two or three votes. Aitken said. He stated that it makes no sense to deregulate gas, "since all we would be doing, is turning the price loose. "We need to give the oil companies the incentive to drill more wells for oil and gas ... we need to encourage exploration,"

vears.

the problem.

rate increase.

the gas users was hired.

len is area-wide director

SPAG...

Cont. from Page 1

discussion of Manpower.

he said. The other alternative according to Aitken is for the Gas Users Association to work up as good a testimony showing factual cost production records. "The biggest job we have is education, we need to convince the legislators what part the farming industry plays in the economy of

Officer ... Cont. from Page 1

District No. 4. Election Judges who counted the ballots included Bill Lloyd, Paul Young, D. Tucker, G. Kellar, and Jerome Holloway. Other Directors who complete the seven member Board are: District No. 1, Elton Gulley; District No. 3, Jack Angeley; District No. 5, J.F. Furgeson; District No. 6, Richard E. Black; and District No. 7, Ray O'Brien. The Nominating Committee selected to meet prior to the Annual Meeting in 1977 and make nominations for directors for Districts 1 and 3 are: District No. 1. Leldon Phillips and Joe Simanacher: District No. 3. G. Keller and R.B. Seaton. Committeeman at large is Paul Young.

The proposed By-Law change was approved during the recent Annual Meeting. Refreshments were served during and after the meeting by the Bailey County 4-H.

Congress agrees to 65 weeks of jobless benefits. Caspar Weinberger resigns

as HEW Secretary. Ford proposes uranium

monopoly's end. Ford may request extended tax cut.

House fails to override Housing veto. submit Alcoholism-Drug Abuse President Ford optimistic Training Grant Applie

What... the country. We need to amend Article 60-50 which we tried to Cont. from Page 1 do in 1962 and try to get natural

with a radioactive isotope (eigas under the Railroad Commisther hydrogen-3 or carbon-14) sion or under the new Utility and tracing it in the body for Commission." He pointed out distribution, retention, transforthat the Gas Users Association mation to other chemical forms, succeeded in keeping the price and excretion. The retention of for natural gas in agricultural labeled THC measured in huuse at the same level for 11-12 mans is about forty percent at Members present for Tuesday three days, thirty percent at one week; by extrapolation, ten night's meeting asked several percent at forty-eight days, and questions of the attorney and one percent at 4.6 months. The made the decision to go out and high retention of THC is consolicite more members for the local organization, collecting the firmed by studies in which it was administered to laboratory \$5 membership dues to help rodents. The retention is comdefray the legal fees to combat parable in mice, rats, and humans, except that small ani-The Bailey County Gas Users Association was started in 1961, mals are more active per unit of size and time of retention is because the cost of natural gas correspondingly reduced. There was going up each year. Millen are also minor species differenpointed out that the farmers ces in the partial degradation of built the gas lines themselves THC prior to excretion as cannaand at the time they were built, binol residue. A large fraction of Pioneer officials told them there administered THC is converted would be plenty of gas. He in the body to 11-hydroxy-THC stated that when the lines were a substance that is several times built, the cost of gas started more psychoactive than THC. going up. The organization is Both active forms of THC tend' not so much a protest organizato persist in the body for long tion but one to try to find out what they could do to combat

periods of time. During the "high" period folthe rising fuel costs. They hired lowing the smoking of marijuaa rate engineer to go through na, the organ concentrations the books to determine the reason for the rising costs and follow that of the blood. There is he determined that the last raise a peak of concentration in the wasn't justified. They went on brain corresponding to that of the blood which lasts about four for about 10 years, with a good to six hours. Although the strong organization, without a concentration of THC in the Then according to Millen, the brain is much lower than in the other organs, the fact is not a oil and gas crisis hit, and there measure of its effectiveness. didn't seem like there was much The THC taken up by the brain the farmer could do. He pointed is concentrated largely in the out that there were still a few cell membranes, where the local avenues not yet explored that concentration is twice as high as might slow up the gas rate the THC content of the red hikes. This is the purpose for blood cells. which John Aitken, attorney for

The disappearance of THC from the blood over the several Approximately 20 persons were on hand for the meeting hours of the "high" is not due to its removal from the body; it Tuesda night. A meeting of the merely accumulates in fat tis-Board of Directors will be held sue, which has a high affinity for Friday, March 5, at 8 p.m. at the THC. Some of the THC is Farm Bureau Office for the purpose of electing new officers. partially degraded, but it re-Presently, Homer Kelton is mains a cannabinol residue. president of the Bailey County Cannabinol residues and THC organization and Gordo Murrah are excreted largely by the bile, is secretary-treasurer. Bill Milbut only at a very slow rate. When THC has been administered to laboratory animals on a uniformly repeated schedule, it accumulates in the fatty parts of cells at an essentially constant rate, since the rate of elimination is so slow - about ten Joint Resolution Between the percent per month. The implica-City of Lubbock and SPAG on tion of this finding for humans is Consortium; go over the tenathat progressive retention will tive By-Laws and Committee increase the body burden of appointments for the Economic THC for many months before Development Advisory Commitreaching equilibrium when the tee; a Resolution for Regional rate of excretion becomes equal Alcoholism Treatment and Preto the rate of intake of THC. vention Week; Authorization to Based on animal studies, the other day for a month is a retention of the same quantity of THC in brain cells as that which causes an acute "high" in the beginning marijuana user. The

Chunk' ...

'To get anything started there

has to be a beginning," Blakely

said, and he urged those in

attendance to not "chiesel your

way through life." He pointed

out that "you can leave some-

thing behind in your community

through the Chamber of Com-

Special recognition was given

to the Outstanding Boy and Girl

in high school. Kathy Winders

Farm to Market Road 37; from

FM 37 to Hockley County Line;

from Lamb County Line to

Lubbock County Line; from

Hockley County Line to Loop

289; from Loop 289 to Main

Street in Idalou; from Main

Street to Idalou to Crosby

County Line; from Lubbock

County Line to 4.0 miles east of

Ralls: from 4.0 miles east of

Ralls to 3.1 miles east of

Crosbyton; from 3.1 miles east

of Crosbyton to Dickens County

Line; from New Mexico State

Line to Bovina: from Bovina to

1.65 miles west of Friona west

city limits; from 1.65 miles west

of Friona west city limits to

Castro County Line and from

Parmer County Line to Deaf

Plans and specifications in-

cluding minimum wage rates as

provided by law are available at

the office of Rhea E. Bradley,

resident engineer in Littlefield.

Texas and State Department of

Highways and Public Transpor-

planning to move in the near

future and it is also possible the

Family Planning office will relo-

If this should happen, the

Judge said the office on Second

Street will then be remodeled

and rented to the State Health

Nurse, who is presently using.

office space in the Masonic

At the present time, both the

Family Planning and WIC pro-

grams are operating on a half

day basis, utilizing the same

office space. Family Planning

carries out their program in the

Smith County Line.

tation, Austin.

cate.

Building.

Food...

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Bids...

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chronic marijuana smoker increases his brain's burden above this chronic level when he smokes by producing a transitory peak concentration in the blood and brain; but he is never without significant quantities of THC in the brain at a level determined by the brain's equilibrium with the body fat. In the chronic marijuana user, the high brain levels cannot be reduced without the many months of

abstinence necessary to clear THC from the body fat. (Sunday, March 7 edition of the Bailey County Journal will explain what the accumulation of THC in the body fat means when it becomes involved with lipoproteins and the lipid layers of the cell membranes.)

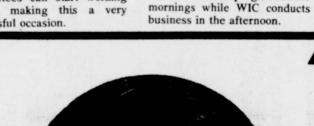
Democratic...

ing new people into the Democratic Party. All of these activities are vital to involving people in the political process and building an effective Party. 'We've seen the problems caused when a small turn-out of voters makes the major decisions that affect all of us," a coordinator said. "It is most important that we have an informed electorate capable of making its will known through elections. This Workshop is one way to give Democrats the political tools to do a good job." The workshop which is free and open to any Democrat who would like to participate is being held in conjunction with the State Affirmative Action Pro-

gram. There will be a charge for lunch. For further information contact your County Chairman or Betty Poulson in Lorenzo at 806-649-2584. Make your luncheon arrangements with Burl Hubbard. Lubbock at 795-5382.

Lazbuddie... Cont. from Page 1 groups split up to make their

preparations. There are still many names and addresses of ex-students which haven't been received. These are urgently needed by the March 9 meeting where the committees can start working toward making this a very successful occasion.



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and Billy O'Hair were honored. Mr. and Mrs. Messer Marcus were recognized as a special couple in the community. The Outstanding Farm Family of three communities were named and were Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Smith of Lazbuddie; Odis Ray King of Springlake; and Richard Bills of Earth.

Mrs. Alvin E. (LaWana) O'Hair was named Outstanding Woman of the Year and Harold Britten was named Outstanding Man of the Year.

NEWS VIEWS

Henry Kissinger, Secretary of State: "I know President Ford

considers the national secu-

rity of the U.S. beyong partisan politics." Frank Church, Chairman, Senate Intelligence Committee, on releasing alleged CIA assassination plots: "This would do the maximum injury to the country."

Robert Dole, Senator (R-Kan), on food stamp changes: "The report simply does not go far enough. It is long on discussion . . . but short on legislative recommendations.'

Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare:

athletics is the single most important thing in the United States."

Bruce Ennis, Attorney for the Mental Health Project of the American Civil Liberties Union:



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Easter...

Cont. from Page 1 might not have lived in past years.

Citing the annual report of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. affiliated treatment centers in Texas provide treatment and rehabilitation, speech and hearing and educational programs, and many other services required by the physically disabled to live normal lives.

The largest group served includes those with major deformities of bones and joints, severe speech defects, cerebral palsy, arthritis, muscular dystrophy and multiple sclerosis and stroke. The Easter Seal Campaign, which provides funds for continuation of these services, begins March 1, and continues through April 18, Easter Sunday.

ON NUMBERED ACCOUNTS GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

-- Ending numbered Swiss bank accounts, the fabled refuge for illicit fortunes . and tax evaders, could be part of a Swiss campaign to drive out foreign depositors and drive down the over-

priced franc. Muleshoe Journal Published by Muleshoe Publisheing Co., Inc. Every Sunday at 31 304 W. Second, Box 449 "I had not realized . . . that

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about economy.

brain cells is such that the re-

concomitant accumulation in

of smoking marijuana every

plant if I farmed in this area." im Higdon

AGRONOMY SERVICE DIRECTOR

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Gatlin 3. What is the value of the

BIBLE VERSE

"A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger."

- Where is the quotation 1. found in the Bible?
- 2. Who is the author?

CoupleHonoredWith dings and children; Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Clark from Plain-view and Mr. and Mrs. Frankie FiftiethAnniversary Many friends contributed to a perfect day for the honored couple.

Mrs. Bill Martin registered the

close friend of the couple pro-

The gift table was covered in

Grandchildren attending were

Special guests were Miss

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Gatlin guests. Mrs. Zed Robinson, a were honored with a reception on their 50 wedding anniversary, Sunday, February 29 at 2:00 vided the floral arrangement p.m., in the Muleshoe State used on the registering table. Bank Community Room. The occasion was hosted by their white double-knit and trimmed daughters and families, Mr. and with a golden chain. Mrs. D.L. Vernon of Zapata, and Mr. and Mrs. James Moore Mr. and Mrs. Verley Vernon of Amarillo.

and children, Tonia and Todd of A three-tiered wedding cake Hereford; Mrs. Rickey Vernon topped with a bride and groom and sons, Brian and Jared of standing in front of a golden Zapata; and Wendell Vernon of "50", centered the lace covered Hereford. Attending from Amaserving table, and was served rillo were Mrs. Bill Martin and by Mrs. Rickey Vernon. A gold Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Moore. and crystal candlebra featuring Out-of-town guests from Frigolden tapered candles also ona were two brothers of Mrs. adorned the table. Mrs. Verley Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Vernon served banana punch Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce from a crystal punch service. Parr and granddaughter, Lyn-Nuts and mints were also served anne Foster. Also from Friona and golden tableware was used. were Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Ed-The table was trimmed with golden bells on golden streamers with greenery, babys breath A baby shower honoring Mrs. and golden flowers.

Tommy Little and Jarrod Little was given Sunday, February 22, Mrs. Gatlin crocheted the in the home of Mrs. Clifford white cloth which was laid over Black. gold on the groom's table, enhanced by two large golden Vickie Salmon, sister of Mrs. candles, with the letters "50" Little, and Mrs. Jack Little, her on them. Traditional chocolate mother-in-law. cake was served by Lois Mitzel, of Hereford and coffee, by Mrs.

The table was decorated with a flower arrangement in shades of Jimmy Moore, a granddaughblue and green. Apricot sherBain, of Edmonson.

SWEET AND SOUR RIBS 2 pounds spareribs (cut in 2-inch

strips) 1 large onion, sliced 2 strips bacon, diced 1/2 cup fresh orange juice 2 green peppers, sliced 1/2 cup brown sugar (firmly

packed) 1/4 cup fresh lemon juice 2 tablespoons soy sauce 3 tablespoons cornstarch 2 tablespoons water 2 oranges cut in bite-size pieces Brown spareribs, onion and bacon together. Add orange juice, cover tightly; simmer 40

minutes. Add peppers, orange pieces, brown sugar, lemon juice, soy sauce, cornstarch and water. Cook covered over medium heat until sauce is thick and well-browned, about 20 minutes. May be served with rice.

Baby Shower Honors Jarrod Little bet punch, mints, and cookies were served to the guests attending. The hostess gift was a high chair. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Clifford Black, Mrs.

Steve Black, Mrs. Kirby Burch, Mrs. Dick Chitwood, Mrs. Corky Green, Mrs. Royce Harris, Mrs. Mike Miller and Mrs. Benny Bruns.

Buy Fruit, Nut Trees With Care

COLLEGE STATION -- To eliminate as many problems as possible when planting fruit and nut trees around the home, be sure to select plants that are disease-free, suggests the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Carefully examine the root system of trees at the time of purchase and avoid any trees which show signs of galls or deterioration of the roots. Some of the things to look for are crown gall, namatodes and crown decay.

Crown gall is a bacterial disease occuring on many nursery trees. This disease is distinguished by large rough galls that may be one-fourth to three inches in diameter.

Root knot nematodes cause small galls on the root system which are generally more numerous and smaller than those formed by crown gall.

Examine the crown of the plant, located at the soil line, closely for any dead areas. These may later result in a decay that will completely girdle the stem and result in death. Also check a tree's root system to make sure it has not dried out. Many trees, particularly pecans, that dry out after digging, will be greatly reduced in vigor.

So, when purchasing fruit and nut trees, make your selection with care. It will be well worth

believe.



Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hoover Mr., Mrs Hoover Celebrates Golden Anniversary

The children and their families were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Hoover on their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday, February 29, 1976, in their home

The former Roxie Gail Cantrell and Chalres Dee Hoover were married on March 1, 1926, in Lubbock. They have resided in the Muleshoe area for 37 years, farming north of town for 26 years and three years at Sum-

The three-tiered cake was topped with four bells, gold leaves decking each tier. Pineapple punch and coffee were served.

appointments.

The serving table was covered

with a white lace over gold

cloth, accented with a center

piece of Joniqude and carna-

tions, along with silver candle

holders, gold candles and silver

and Mrs. Jack Chastair of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Donald, Mrs. L.G. Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Yandell, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kunkel and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Myres, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Lucy Cantrell and Raymond, of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Hoover, of Phoenix, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hooever, of Pin Top, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sparkman, of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Don Hallett, of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Billy George Kelley of Olton; and



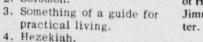


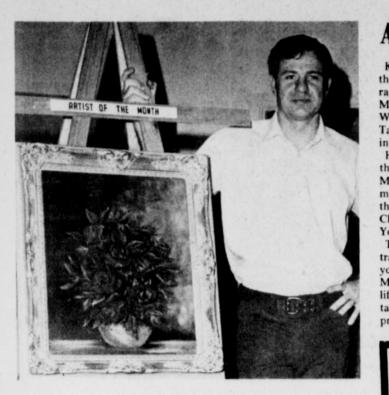
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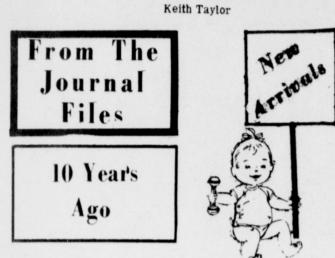
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Solomon.







Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wood, Terrell Johnson, the Harvey Bass', the Haney and Paul Poynor's and Jeff Peeler attended a dinner in Clovis Saturday, evening. *****

Donald Shanks, home on leave from Maryland, has been visiting in the J.C. Shanks home. *****

Muleshoe Masonic Lodge No. 1237 AF&AM will entertain all Masons and their families at family night Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall here with a chicken fry. According to Alton Epting, WM, films will be shown following the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hanks returned home Monday from a three-day fishing trip to Lake Lyndon B. Johnson. Mrs. Hanks reported they caught 180 croppie and black bass, had a wonderful trip, but were very exhausted when they got home.

> 20 Years Ago

Artist Of The Month Features Taylor

Keith Taylor is the artist for school. He got a background for depth and perception through his industrial education classes the month of March. He was raised in Friona and received his Master of Science degree from in college. Taylor likes painting West Texas State University. and experimenting with various Taylor has taught industrial arts subject matter. His favorite in Muleshoe for seven years. medium is oil. His hobbies include anything

He and his wife, Treva, have three children, Kristi, age six; he can do with his hands. He does gardening, has tropical fish, and builds hand made Misty, four; and Kyle, 18 months. They are members of the First United Methodist clocks. They are a special inter-Church and are the Senior High est to him. He and his wife buit their own home and he built a Youth sponsors.

Taylor began his formal art lot of their furniture. training in oil painting three In May of each year, people years ago. He is a student of will find him as a busy Junior Mrs. Elizabeth Black. His whole life centers around his artistic talents. Taylor did banquets and props for plays while in high

Progress would be faster if people could go forward on excuses

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sponsor, working on the Junior-Senior banquet with everyone else. Taylor gets a pleasure out of his painting and looks forward to spending more time with it.

Really

Wife--You swore at me last night in your sleep.

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A Preference

Waiter: Yes sir. Do you

prefer the applesauce or the

slab of political pie.

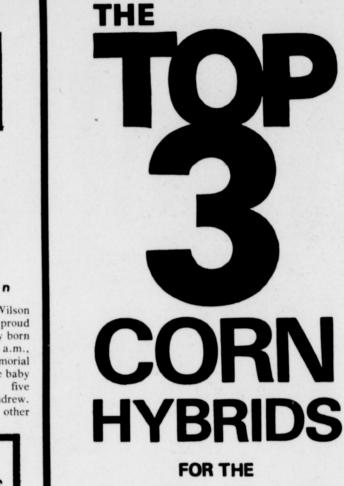
plum filling?

Dampening! Joker: Waiter, bring me a Ardent Suitor--Your eyes fascinate me. They're beau-

tiful. I can see dew in them. Girl--Take it easy, Romeo. That isn't do--that's don't.



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Andrew Wilson Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wilson

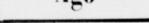
of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born February 29, 1976, at 9:45 a.m., in the West Plains Memorial Hospital in Muleshoe. The baby weighed seven pounds, five ounces and was named Andrew. The couple have two other children.

West Plains Hospital **Hospital Briefs**

ADMISSIONS February 27 - Aurora Mata, Olga Mendoza, Sibyl Johnson and Terry Burton. February 28 - Mrs. Loyd Beaver, Mrs. Raymond Mear, Mrs. W.M. Vinson and Mrs.

Joe Whiteside. February 29 - Tressie Webb, Renee Bartley, Stephen Smith, Pearlie Hoshins, and Goldie Dirichsm.

March 1 - Joe Ellis, Luis Manasco and Polly Birdsong.



Mr. and Mrs. Homer Long, Agnes, Butch and Mart, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Barnett. ****

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thomson visited with his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan David Thomson, in Hereford last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J.M. King and son, Doyle were in Amarillo, Sunday, visiting his father, Lee King.

30 Years Ago

Mrs. Morris Douglass and Mrs. Dudley Malone were in Lubbock Tuesday. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fox are visiting in Dallas and Fort Worth this week. *****

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wyer were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday. ****

Mrs. Witherspoon has returned from a rather extended visit with her children in Oklahoma. *****

Mrs. J.B. Ross and Mrs. R.R. Bell of Plainview spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Forbes.

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March 2 - Jack Baker. DISMISSALS February 27 - Terry Gunter, John Watson, Isabel Cardona

and son, Calvin Johnson, Mrs. Don Dillard and Connie John-February 28 - Auroro Mata. Mrs. J.T. Montgomery, Willie

Hawkins, M.L. Carpenter, Mrs. Wayne Ware, Mrs. Jessie Brock and Mrs. WILLIAM Hail. February 29 - Cecil Defoor, Mrs. Loyd Beaver, Eliza Marti-

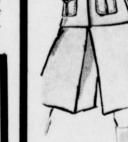
nez and Rosa Sneed. March 1 - Stephen Smith, Mrs. Howard Carlyle, Olga Mendoza and Mrs. George Johnson.

March 2 - Renee Bartley, Euel G. Howard, Joe Ellis and Mrs. Joe Whiteside

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AUSTIN - Local tax bills may go up steeply for the same level of services if Congress refuses to extend the federal revenue sharing program, Comptroller Bob Bullock warns.

"The cold truth is that in most cities and counties, (the taxpayer) will have to pay at least 20 per cent more in local taxes if the program ends," Bullock said.

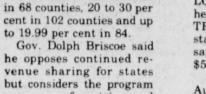
"Death of the program would also cost the state \$100 million a year," the comptroller noted.

Bullock emphasized these points: - Real impact would be

on cities and counties which have received nearly \$1 billion from revenue sharing during the fiveyear life of the program.

- Inflation has forced local officials gradually to rely on revenue sharing as part of their operating budgets. "A vote against revenue

sharing at this point is most surely a vote to decrease local services or increase local taxes," Bullock



study by the

comptroller's staff con-

General federal revenue

sharing accounts for 30 per

cent or more of tax revenue

necessary for cities and counties.

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cluded:

Water Fight Rages

In the face of a threatened lawsuit by the attorney general, Texas Water Rights Commission approved a controversial sale of water by Lower Colorado River Authority to cool generators of the South Texas Nuclear Project

TWRC ratified a contract between LCRA and STNP for up to 102,000 acre feet

of Colorado River water a year at \$10 an acre foot (as much as \$56 million) over a 55-year period.

Atty. Gen. John Hill said the water does not belong to LCRA but to the state, and he will seek to enjoin the TRWC action in court. A state permit for sale of the same water would cost only \$500. San Antonio, Houston,

Austin and Corpus Christi electric utilities are partners in the STNP which plans a nuclear-powered generating plant near Bay City. Project heads fear failure to go along with the water sale would bring on a prolonged legal battle with LCRA which would cost more in lost electricity purchases, alternate fuels and contruction inflation than the \$56 million contract.

Pay Row Continuing

Texas school teachers served notice they will be

pushing for legislation next year giving them salaries above the \$12,524 national average.

A recent survey by the National Educational Association calculated the average Texas classroom teacher's teacher's pay at \$11,373—\$1,151 behind the national average and 24th among the states. The legislature last year raised starting pay from \$6,600 to \$8,000 for bachelor degree teachers and from \$7,200 to \$8,600 for master degree teachers.

Courts Speak

The State Supreme Court agreed to review a test case on whether a church camp in Hood County can be taxed. In another new ruling,

the high court declined to consider a Harris County man's challenge of the doctrine that, in most circumstances, governments are not responsible for paying damages on injuries caused by employee negligence.

A former Kerrville school teacher who lost his job because he wouldn't shave his beard six years ago won a \$6,000 back pay award in an appeal to the Supreme Court.

The high court held Amarillo could not tax the residence of a church music minister. Supreme Court judges

agreed with the Houston Court of Civil Appeals that a stockholders suit against Robert L. Moody alleging fraud in an insurance companies merger must be tried.

The Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a Wichita County murder conviction because the defendant was not given 15 peremptory jury challenges.

A Wilbarger County man sentenced for delivering amphetamines won release

in an appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals on finding the trial judge dismissed a jury which had been "deadlocked" only two

ment sentence because the

trial court refused to sever

a multi-count indictment.

Third Court of Civil Ap-

peals upheld a provision

that Texas State Education

Association members must

affiliate with the National

AG Opinions

commissioners courts must

be open to the public when

public business is discussed

there, Atty. Gen. Hill held.

Hill concluded:

In other recent opinions,

The federal privacy act

does not apply in general to

the Texas National Guard

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the partnership. Workmen's compensation coverage is fully applicable to persons in the state military forces, not withstanding any overlapping coverage.

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Coordinating Board's policy

statement on academic

A college may provide that terminated professors will receive either substantial notice or severance pay. Short Snorts

Dr. Kenneth Ashworth of San Antonio is new Texas commissioner of higher education, succeeding Dr. Bevington Reed.

A far-reaching reorganization plan has been announced for Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission, with field operations under four regional offices answering directly to the ABC administrator.



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power plant.

The Sign OfCottonWins **Consumer's Favor**

NEW YORK -- Cotton producers are making a mark for themselves and their product. The familiar cotton seal, created by Cotton Incorporated as the emblem of U.S. cotton producers, is rapidly becoming identified in the mind of the American consumer as a sign of comfort and quality.

Recent tests show that the updated image for the fiber is helping to sell the public on cotton.

One of the tests has induced the Union Underwear Co. to use the cotton seal on its packages of "Fruit of the Loom" 100

percent cotton underwear. The test showed that consumers are more likely to buy a package of underwear with the seal on it than the same package without the seal.

'That's a sure sign that cotton producers are making a favorable impression with the buying public," said Donald S. Kleckner, Cotton Incorporated vice president for marketing services. "The consumer is coming to identify the cotton seal with the comfort and quality of cotton." Kleckner estimated the seal

will go on about 80 million packages of underwear annually. "That amount of underwear represents 100,000 bales of cotton, or one percent of the total annual U.S. cotton production," he said.

The Union Underwear Co. will join about 40 other garment manufacturers who use the cotand packages, Kleckner said.

manufacturers who use the cotton seal on hang tags, labels, Consumers surveyed identified the cotton seal with such qualities as "comfortable to wear ...

made of highest quality material ... absorbs moisture well ... will wear well ... best value for money." "Identification of the cotton

seal with those qualities will easily translate into more sales for cotton," Kleckner said. Two other tests showed that cotton producers are getting their message across, from the consumer right up to the corporate offices where mill men decide what fiber to use in their fabrics.

said. In 20 major cities, where Cotton Incorporated concentrated much of its advertising. recognition nearly tripled.

The third study measured the awareness of key corporate executives of the work of Cotton Incorporated. Cotton Incorporated, which represents U.S. cotton growers as their fiber company, uses the seal as the dominant element in its corporate logotype and in all company communications.

That study, by the Consumer Response Corporation, concluded that mill executives already place Cotton Incorporated in the major leagues of textile market-

"Your prospects know your name, your banner, and your purpose," the polling company said

"There is no question that the introductory phase of Cotton Incorporated's advertising has been a success and that it has provided a platform that will make the launching of future promotional and marketing ef-

COLLEGE STATION -- Farmers and ranchers still have time to make adjustments that could cut down their 1975 tax bills, says Dr. Wayne Hayenga, econ-

omist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "By taking full advantage of income averaging, depreciation and retirement plan policies, 1975 taxes may be reduced considerably," says the economist. If your income has increased sharply over the past five years,

you may be eligible for income averaging. Take the sum of your 1971 through 1974 taxable incomes, then take 30 percent of that amount. Subtract that figure from the taxable income in 1975. If the difference is more than \$3,000, you are eligible for income averaging.

tion on machinery, farm equip-ment, breeding stock and buildings. The depreciation method you select should depend on your 1975 income. If it was high, you may want to take a "fast" depreciation rather than a straight line method.

IncomeAdjustments Can Cut Tax Bills

"The shorter the useful life you assign to an asset, the more depreciation you can take," points out the Texas A&M University System economist. "But to get full advantage of investment credit, the asset needs to have a useful life of at least seven years."

A taxpayer can take up to 20 percent extra first-year depreciation on machinery and depreciable livestock. However, the maximum amount is \$2,000 for separate returns and \$4,000 for joint returns.

turn," points out Hayenga. "You can put up to 15 percent of your earned income into a Keogh retirement plan, or a maximum of \$7,500. If you set up a retirement plan before the end of 1975 but didn't put in the full amount possible, you can still add to the plan until the tax filing deadline and take the

and Oklahoma Lane.

deduction.' The economist advises all producers to look into these three areas -- income averaging, depreciation and retirement plans when completing their 1975 tax returns and in planning their 1976 taxes and business opera-

Missionaries At Area Churches

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Eighteen Southern Baptist Churches of the Llanos Altos Baptist Association are currently conducting a World Missions Conference and will continue to do so until March 7. If you're satisfied with Starting Thursday, missionar-

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Weed SymposiumReviews Herbicides And Treatment

BROWNFIELD -- How to deal with weed problems in cotton and sorghum was the central issue in a weed symposium for sandyland farmers, Monday, March 1, in Brownfield.

Native weeds have cost area farmers several million dollars annually in vield losses. Although preplant, pre-emergence and post-emergence herbicides and methods of treatments have been developed to aid in weed control, few farmers have been able to escape light to heavy losses each year.

Dr. James Supak, area agronomist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Lubbock, told the gathering there were several new preplant herbicides being sold for cotton in 1976. In addition to Treflan, Cobex and Tolban, which were available in 1975, Basalin, Amex 820 and Prowl are being marketed this year, he reported.

Treflan and Tolban are the most persistant chemicals in this group, he said. They have the advantage of providing season long control but the disadvantage of risking damage to rotational crops such as wheat or early planted sorghum. Amex. Basalin and Prowl are medium residual chemicals that tend to breakdown by the end of the growing season. Cobex has the shortest residual which may be a real advantage in some rotational programs.

Supak said because of its short soil life, applications of Cobex should be delayed until March or April to insure better season long control.

"Pigweeds and annual grass weeds are readily controlled with preplant herbicides, but lanceleaf sage, cocklebur, devils claw, oakleaf thornapple and morning glory 'escape' injury from these chemicals," he said. He mentioned other pre-emergence herbicides for cotton including Lasso, Karmex and Caparol.

He told the farmers, industry officials and agricultural representatives that post-emergence herbicides play a big part in a well planned weed control program in cotton.

Karmex and Probe do a good job of controlling small broadleaf weeds." he said. "MSMA and DSMA are effective against annual grass weeds and Johnsongrass.

satisfactory control Supak said there are enough herbicides to control most weed problems that occur in cotton.

Growers just have to make the proper selection. Dr. A.F. Wiese, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station weed scientist from Bushland, described three years of research that led to methods of controlling watergrass in sorghum on

the northern High Plains. "Our best practice is applying three pounds per acre of Milogard preplant and incorporating it with a rolling cultivator a week or two before planting," the researcher said. "This system fails if the top of the bed is removed during planting. The

COLLEGE STATION -- Texas

"Among the 13 southern states

tabulated. Texas came in fourth

in total DHI milk production for

1975," points out Dr. Michael

A. Tomaszewski, dairy special-

ist with the Texas Agricultural

The ledge showed Texas milk

production at 12,905 pounds per

cow compared to the average for

the southern region of 12,490

pounds. Texas dairy cows also

averaged 464 pounds of butter-

fat, just below the regional

"Texas dairymen who are on

some type of testing program

are to be commended for this

accomplishment," says Tomas-

zewski. "Considering the high

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result is a weedy row and a clean middle. He said Milogard and Milo-

gard mixed with either Lorox or Ramrod applied pre-emergence gave good watergrass control if rain occurred shortly after plant-Wiese said post-emergence ap-

plication of AAtrex in an oil-water emulsion carrier is the best control for watergrass that may retain if preplant or pre-emergence treatments fail. Following this treatment, he added, a rolling cultivator can be used to incorporate the herbicide and kill the last watergrass in the field.

"Spending a little extra money for enough herbicide is profita-

Texas Among Leading Southern Dairy States

Everyone who dies is one of the leading dairying leaves everything. states in the South, according to recent Dairy Herd Improvement **Tresssie Webb**

Is **Buried**

Funeral services for Tressie Webb, 66, were held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the Marshall and Marshall Funeral Home Chapel with Leroy Thompson, of Van, Texas, officiating.

Burial was in the Brandon Cemetery in Brandon. The body was at Singleton-Ellis Funeral

Home until noon Tuesday. Miss Webb, a native of Malone, had lived in Muleshoe since 1964 and had been a resident of Muleshoe Nursing Home since 1970. She died at 10:20 a.m. Monday in West Plains Medical Center, in Muleshoe. She was born June 18, 1909, and attended the Church



ble," Wiese emphasized. "In one of our studies, sorghum yields were held down to

1600 pounds per acre by watergrass where two cultivations Lebow Infant **Rites Tuesday**

> Michael George Lebow, Jr. was stillborn Sunday at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Ama-

2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Llano Cemetery by N.S. Griggs and plants. Sons Funeral Directors. The Rev. R.B. Cassiday, of the Trinity Temple Church offici-

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael George Lebow, of Amarillo; the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hawley of Amarillo, and Jessie Lebow of Amarillo, Mrs. Ted Hodges of Fritch and greatgrandparents, Mrs. Nona Davis of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Pyeatt of Baton Rouge,

good herbicide treatment was added to the cultivations." Wiese pointed out that the herbicide situation for sorghum in sandyland was not as good as for fine textured soil. 'There are no preplant herbi-

were used, but increased to

4800 pounds per acre where a

cides for sorghum, and Igran is the only pre-emergence herbicide labeled for sandy soil. 'Banvel, 2, 4-D, and Karmex post-emergence herbicides can be used on sandy soil," he said.

'However, it is hazardous to use, 2, 4-D near cotton, and Karmex must be directed at the base of 12-inch sorghum "Problem weeds such as nutsedge, silverleaf nightshade, (whiteweed) and Johnsongrass

are our worst perennial weed problems," Dr. John Abernthy, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station weed scientist from Lubbock, said. "But field bind-Lakeweed are not far behind."

communities.

He said subsurface layering of Treflan and Tolban may be the answer to controlling whiteweeds. In research studies at Lubbock, twice the recommended rates of these herbicides applied to the same areas for two years did not injure cotton, yet gave excellent season long control of whiteweed.

Roundup applied at three pounds per acre in the fall has given excellent silverleaf nightshade control, he said. Johnsongrass control with Roundup has been obtained in cotton with an experimental recirculating srav-

Abernathy announced that knife injection of eptam is another technique that shows promise for controlling nutgrass in cotton. Kenneth Purtell, farmer from

near Brownfield, told of his experiences controlling weeds on sandy soil. 'The most trouble I ever got

into lately was not using a weed, Texas blueweed and herbicide," Purtell said. He said morning glory, lance-His normal practice for cotton, leaf sage, cocklebur, devils claw he said, was disk incorporation and oakleaf thornapple are diffiof Treflan on flat ground, bedcult to control in cotton growing ding up, and planting by split-

"This practice worked just fine, but when I started planting cotton on the bed, injury started," he said. "Cotton roots must have had too much exposure to the herbicide." He reported that he has had good yields from planting with a lister and banding Sancap over the

> "The herbicide situation for sorghum on sandy soil is not good," he said.

"There has been injury from every pre-emergence herbicide if it rained at the wrong time.' He admitted there are problems with herbicides, but that it would be practically impossible to farm without them.

Wane Chenault, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station weed researcher from Bushland, described several different types of nozzles used for spray applications.

Two new spray nozzles, the Raindrop Nozzles and Uniform Droplet Nozzle, produce fewer fine drops that tend to drift, he told the group. Research at Lubbock showed that more spray material hit the ground with these spray nozzles than with conventional flat fan noz-

zles, he said He added that research with Nalco-trol, a spray thickener, showed that a small amount of this chemical mixed in a spray solution greatly reduced drift. Chenault also revealed a simple method for calibrating sprayers, before the symposium participants. It consists of carefully measuring and determining the number of seconds it takes a sprayer to travel 100 feet. Later with the sprayer setting still and the pressure set, spray is caught from nozzles used to cover 40 inches. The number of ounces caught in the number of seconds required to travel 100 feet is equal to

gallons applies per acre. The meeting was designed especially for growers in sandy land areas of Dawson, Gaines, Lynn, Terry, Yoakum, Cochran and Hockley Counties.

Co-sponsoring the event were the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the South Plains Development Program (SPD) and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. SPD is a voluntary organization of citizens interested in the social and economic improvement of the South Plains area.

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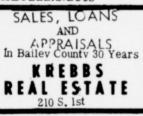
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