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Vegetable Plant Near Completion

School Board Sets Tax Rate At \$1.04

During the regular monthly meeting of the Muleshoe ISD Board of Trustees Monday night, the school tax rate was



Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Allison this week are their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allison and sons of Houston.

Wednesday visitors in the Allison home also included their daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Sam Cox and sons of Amarillo. ****

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayer and daughter, Sheila, of Kelton, Ore. were recent visitors in their home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Stancell. While here they visited other relatives and friends before going to Snyder to see Mrs. Mayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mayer's p...
Doug Horsley.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Hazel Cunningham during the past week have been her son and family, 'Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cunningham and Misty, of Bloomfield, N.M.

Visiting in Muleshoe during the past weekend were Mrs. Meva Gene Hallman, Mrs. Martha Ann Henderson, and Tammy and Kathy, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Hallman is an aunt of Mrs. Marcia Henry, Mrs. Billie Downing and Mrs. Nelda Hunt. Mrs. Henderson is a cousin, who commented, "Muleshoe has grown and I remember visiting here 20 years ago."

Directors of Plainview Production Credit Association join PCA officials throughout Texas in Amarillo today for the Production Credit Associations' Directors Conference.

set at \$1.04 on 100 percent valuation. This is broken down to \$.90 for maintenance service and \$.14 for debt service. Total estimated valuation for the

school taxing is \$104,873,480. Murray Bennett a tax representative for Pioneer Corporation presented views to the school board that board members consider a tax equalization program. Following a meeting with Jim Young, of the local tax board of equalization, the school board decided to ask McCreary & Huey, tax consultants for the school district to meet with the board in the near future and advise on tax equalization. They also renewed a two year contract with the Austin attorneys for

collection of delinquent taxes. Resignations approved included Mrs. Ellen Grover, librarian at Mary DeShazo Elementary, for personal reasons and Mrs. Lynn Allen, first grade at Richland Hills to move to Olton.

New teachers employed included Mrs. Janie Gutierrez Garza, a graduate of Muleshoe High School as third grade bi-lingual teacher at Mary De-Shazo. She holds a BA degree from West Texas State University and a master's degree from

School, Amarillo and holds a BA degree from West Texas State University. Her husband, Gary, is an assistant coach with the Muleshoe Schools

Mrs. Treva Taylor was approved for Title I Migrant Reading, Junior High School. Mrs. Taylor is a graduate of Morton High School and earned her B.S. degree at West Texas State University.

Approved was moving Mrs. Nita Burreson, Title I teacher at Mary DeShazo Elementary to

Librarian at the same school. Jim Shafer was approved as delegate and Don Harmon as alternate to represent the local school board at the delegate assembly, Texas Association of School Boards Convention at San Antonio, September 25-27. Lengthy discussion was held

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Director participants include H.L. Porter Jr., Petersburg; Billy W. Carthel and A.W. Anthony Jr., both of Friona and on the Student Dress Code, the Ray Robertson of Dimmitt. Salary Increases,

Budget Discussed Although a comment was made

by Bailey County Commissioner Loyd Stephens that "I don't know of any county that pays better fringe benefits to it's employees than Bailey County," commissioners during the regular monthly meeting of the Bailey County Commissioners Court discussed a salary increase for county employees Monday afternoon. Commissioners discussed cur-

rent salary and an increase which had been included in the current budget but never paid. During the discussion, it was brought out that of more than 20 counties checked, Bailey County paid lower salaries than any of the 26 counties checked for salaries.

Rainfall Fails To Touch Record Set July, 1962

According to news releases, the heavy rain in Lubbock and Lynn Counties was 'record' for the month of July. Not so in Muleshoe, says U.S. Weatherman Jeff Peeler.

He said the 8.73 in July 1962, is the record during the some 50 years since records have been kept. This is nearly four times as much as the 2.36 received locally during July, 1976.

Peeler also said that some six other years saw more moisture recorded during July than fell on Muleshoe this past July

the meeting that road hands for the local county are paid \$699 per month, plus county-paid insurance and marched-funds retirement. This is more than the \$666 paid the elected officials of the county, such as Bailey County Clerk Hazel Gilbreath. It is also more than the \$565 paid deputy sheriffs in this county. However, the elected officials and deputies also have county paid insurance and retirement funds matched by the

Salary increase discussed was a 15 percent across the board increase which would increase road hands to approximately \$803 without benefits and increase elected officials to \$765 and deputy sheriffs to \$649, plus

fringe benefits. Also discussed was the upcoming budget, with work to begin on the budget during the next meeting.

Total valuation of the county was established at \$45,000,000 according to figures by County Tax Assessor Jean Lovelady and the current tax rate is .97, broken down to .65 county; .15 special road; .12 state and .05

Meeting with commissioners were Johnny Lowery of J & J Insurance and Gary Brown of Crown Insurance to present a bid and proposal for health and life insurance for county employees. Other bids will be checked before a decision is



ANOTHER FIRST FOR THE MULESHOE AREA . . . In the far left, Muleshoe-based DPS Officer Louis Cardinal ducks under whirling blades to reach the cockpit of the Potter County Sheriff's Office helicopter Sunday afternoon. In the pilot's seat is Capt. Con Smith

and refueling the chopper is Irvin Patrick, both of the Amarillo Sheriff's office. The chopper was brought in to assist in a manhunt Sunday afternoon. Shortly after refueling, the third of three possible armed suspects was captured near Muleshoe.

taught three years at Presidio. Also employed is Mrs. Lily Goodin, English teacher, Muleshoe High School. She is a graduate of Palo Duro High School. Amerilla and balds a Palo Duro High School America Ameri Ends; Trio Captured

It had been a fairly busy, but routine night at the local Law Enforcement Center until 4:43 a.m. on Sunday, August 8. The one local city police officer, Forrist Williams, had been busy with routine calls and checking buildings.

However, that was changed when dispatcher Melba Cunningham received a telephone call from Myron Pool who informed the dispatcher he had just received a disturbing call. His farm employee, Joe Rodriguez, had asked his wife to report a burglary to Pool. Pool said Rodriguez had informed him three men had gone to the farm and had broken into several places, including a gas tank,

diesel tank and the workshop. Pool accompanied Deputy Pete Black to the farm where they were further informed by Rodriguez and employee, Joe Salanas, that the men had held guns on them and threatened to kill them as they demanded gas for their pickup.

After checking the broken locks, Black and Pool were driving in the area when they saw a pickup that fit the

described by Rodriguez and Salanas. The pickup would not stop for red lights nor siren. Black said he stopped the county patrol car to get a shotgun out of the trunk of the car and when he started up again, he found the pickup about two miles away. The pickup had hit a telephone pole, and overturned. It was abandoned and the next communication came from Black at 5:36 a.m.

asked for the highway patrol. Through apparently some mixup in communications, the dispatcher failed to inform the THP Trooper, Louis Cardinal, that the pickup was wrecked during police pursuit nor that the men from the vehicle were allegedly armed. Cardinal told her he would check the vehicle after daylight. It is a matter of routine to check abandoned wrecked vehicles during daylight hours so they can attempt to find out what happened, explained the

It has also been a matter of

Black called the dispatcher and

routine for the state officers to come out regardless of the hour of day or night to assist city and county officers when violence or

description of the pickup as Out-Of-Control Car Crashes 4 Vehicles

One person, Dolores Saldana. 23, of Muleshoe, was taken by ambulance to West Plains Medical Center Sunday night for emergency treatment following a spectacular five-vehicle crash

Birdwell Ranch Tour Scheduled Through CofC

Today, August 12, the annual Agri-Business Farm Tour is scheduled to begin at 12:30 p.m. The annual tour is spiored by the Agricultural Committee of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce, and will get underway from the Chamber of Commerce

be made of Birdwell Farms in western Bailey County, according to Harmon Elliott, chariman of the agriculture committee. Elliott added that the tour will begin at Birdwell Ranch headquarters and will cover a number of operations on the Farm

A three to four hour tour will

at the Corner of Highways 70-84 and 214 at 8:55 p.m.

She was the driver of the second vehicle in the accident which occurred when an eastbound vehicle driven by Maria Elena Perez, 22, of Muleshoe was traveling eastbound on highway 70-84 and went out of control. According to the official police report on the accident, the Perez vehicle was traveling at a high rate of speed and veered to miss another east bound vehicle which was not directly involved in the accident. The Perez car hit the Saldana vehicle, slide out of control and hit a car driven by 18-year-old Angela Costilla, also of Mule-

In the meantime, the Saldana vehicle, which had already been struck by the Perez vehicle, went out of control and hit two parked vehicles on the Muleshoe State Bank parking lot owned by Edward Howard and Jack F. Smith.

According to the report, Maria Perez was issued citations for failure to control speed and no Con't on Page 3, Col. 3

potential violence has occurred. Cardinal and his working partner, Jim Williams, have assisted both the city and county in many instances, both within the city limits and in the county, he

added, when they have been informed of what is happening. At 8:50 THP Cardinal and Williams apprehended the first suspect in the armed robbery Cont. on Page 3, Col. 1

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\$5 donation would be going to a most worthy cause. The Muleshoe Jaycees are accepting the \$5 donations for the trip which is to be presented the lucky person on September 6.

Why are all the Muleshoe Jaycees selling the tickets and asking for the donations? Here are a few of the way proceeds will be used in their general project plans:

They sponsor the Miss Muleshoe Pageant; the Flag Project; the Holiday Rest Stops; Outstanding Farmer; Outstanding Citizens; they help sponsor Girlstown USA; they sponsor Youth Football and Basketball and are active anytime there is a community project.

The Muleshoe Jaycees say they are proud to be young

Physical Set For Football This Thursday

Muleshoe Athletic Director Don Cumpton said that all boys in the seventh and eighth grade who plan to play football will be required to take physicals this

He asks that all players be at the Muleshoe High School gym at 8 p.m. tonight (Thursday) for the required physical.

To Employed List "We produce quality vegeta-

Additional 250-300

bles and ship out only quality merchandise," said Robert Ruiz Sr., who along with his sons, are building a new vegetable packing shed just west of Muleshoe. In response to a question about deciding to buid the very large facility west of Muleshoe, Ruiz said, "We feel like we have done a good job for the farmer. We think they appreciate us being here because we have done them well. With our new building, we can better serve the farmer and better serve our customers. Also, we have tripled our operation here in the last year and a half to two years." He added, "I see that we are in

a good growing area, and we see a great future for the farmers, for us, and for the community of Muleshoe.'

When Ruiz first came to Muleshoe five years ago with his packing operation, he started out here in a building located on Highway 84 in the east part of town. His initial workers included 40 to 50 in the packing shed, along with an additional 100-150 workers in the fied.

Now, with his new operation, he will employ 80-100 packing shed workers and approximately 250 people in the field harvesting the vegetables.

His Muleshoe operation will only be a branch operation of his main plant in Edinburg, which was started several years ago. The Muleshoe plant will be in operation approximately three months each year, while the plant at Edinburg operates approximately seven and a half

Ruiz explained that two weeks after the Bailey County harvest is finished, the Edinburg plant will open and take care of Valley crops. In Edinburg, as in Muleshoe, Ruiz will be handling peppers, cucumbers, cabbage along with cantaloupe in Edinburg.

Produce packed by his operation is shipped all over the United States, but mostly to the east coast. Assisting Ruiz, who checks with the farmers who are producing vegetables for the plant, are Robert Jr. and Richard Ruiz. They are salesmen for the operation, and spend much of their time on the telephone contacting prospective buyers for the produce. In the packaging part of the operation is Ramiro Perez, who is the husband of Ruiz' daughter, Linda. Sixteen-year-old Eddie Ruiz is just starting out in his family's vegetable operation and works when school is out for the summer. Another daughter,

Dalia, resides with her husband, Roy Herber, in Austin. They are the only family members not a part of the vegetable operation.

Richard and his wife, Laura, and Robert and his wife, Dujuana, will have homes both in Muleshoe and Edinburg, where

the two plants are located. Ruiz said he first started in the vegetable business in 1953, when he came to West Texas. He started buying vegetables as an independent trucker and started meeting the various vegetable producers in the area. Self-employed since the age of 15, he was one of the first men in West Texas to go exclusively into the vegetable business. After becoming well acquainted with the vegetable growers, he first started out selling to produce sheds, and from there, steadily increased his operation.

In Bailey County, Lloyd Williams, who started out with 10 acres of peppers to be packaged and shipped out by "Robert's Best", has now increased his pepper acreage to 100 acres this year. He is one of the many, many growers who are increasing their crops to meet the

ever-growing vegetable market. Area representative for Robert Ruiz, Inc. is W.H. Lee, longtime Bailey County resident, and knowledgeable in vegetable production in the area.

Ruiz brings in most of his harvest hands, and explains that workers have to be available immediately when the vegetables reach their peak and are ready for harvest. He also brings key personnel to the plant, and commented, "Our key people in the packing shed are very important to us. We have found that it is most important to have people who are dependable to take care of you. We stand behind our produce, and our reliable workers see that our merchandise is just what we tell our buyers they are, top quality.'

One thing hampering the operation is the lack of housing in the area. Ruiz said he has had to buy barracks-type housing in Farwell in order to have a place for his workers to live, and the housing is not adequate for the number of employees who come in each year to work. The Ruiz' maintain two homes for themselves. Since their main plant is in Edinburg, they have a home there, with a second home in Muleshoe for their local opera-

Ruiz spends quite a bit of time in the area, as he works right Cont. on Page 3, Col. 4



OPENING NEW BUSINESS . . . Opening a new business shortly in Muleshoe are from left, Richard Ruiz, Robert Ruiz Jr. and Robert Ruiz Sr. They are the stockholders in a major vegetable packing operation with headquarters in Edinburg. They will be packing peppers, cucumbers and cabbage in the local



THE GREATEST LINE EVER WRITTEN: John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him

everlasting life. For one to say that this single passage of Scripture is the greatest line every written is

certainly a very broad claim. But I believe I can safety make such a claim. I am not unmindful of the many immortal documents that have been written and handed down to us. I am thinking of the 'Declaration of Independence', 'The Emancipation Proclamation Plan', 'The Signing of the Armistice in World War I', and in 'World War II'. And possible many other great documents and tests yet I believe I can claim this honor for my text -- it is the greatest single line ever written.

IT IS THE GREATEST LINE EVER WRITTEN BECAUSE OF WHAT IT TELLS US ABOUT ALMIGHTY GOD.

There are those who tell us that we get our knowledge of God from nature. And to a great degree they are right. Psalm 19:1 says: "...the heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament showeth forth his handiwork." But nature tells us nothing about how much God loves us. Some say that we get our knowledge from conscience. John 8:9 tells about a woman who was taken in the very act of adultry - "...and they which heard it, being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one and left the woman standing in the midst." But whatever else our conscience might do for us - it does not tell us as does this line how much God really loves us. And then someone will say: "I know, we get our best knowledge from the Bible itself." Now this comes a little closer to the real truth and revelation of God's love. The

Bible is our only source of God's

message to us. Certainly the Holy Spirit helps to guide us as we read from the Bible. The knowledge of God is set forth in many ways both in parable and precept - but nowhere is it reduced to such simple terms as it is in this single verse of

Then how does this single passage of Scripture surpass all other passages in the Word of God? First of all, it presents the overflowing love of God - This verse says He gave his all. Second, it presents the vicarious

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suffering love of God. We suffer, but our suffering is not to be compared to his suffering love for us.

Third, it presents the substitutionary love of God. He became flesh and as such he became my substitute - he took my place on the cross of Calvary - he died in my place, a place that I deserved. In the fourth place, it presents the saving love of God, like no other single passage of

THIS IS THE GREATEST LINE EVER WRITTEN BE-CAUSE OF WHAT IT TELLS US ABOUT OURSELVES:

What is it that this passage tells us about ourselves that other passages do not tell us? First of all, it tells us that we are the objects of the love of God. The Bible tells us that God never loved another thing that He made like he loved man, his highest creation. When he made the world, he admired it and the Bible tells us that he said it is good. But when he made man. the Bible says that he loved him. Second, this verse says that we are immortal - therefore God offered to man Eternal Life: Hebrews 9:27 says: "...and as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this judgement:"

Doesn't tell us when, nor how. I have wondered many times about the handiwork of God. Not one single thing that he made is immortal except man. And even the works of man shall perish. The sun and the moon and the stars shall one day burn themselves out - but the soul of man was born to live forever. In the third place, this passage says that man is lost in sin. Men are perishing in spite of God's love yes - men are perishing in spite of the fact that God made us immortal.

THIS IS THE GREATEST LINE EVER WRITTEN BE-CAUSE IT TELLS US ABOUT ETERNAL SALVATION:

Salvation is of God every whitt God conceived it - God condoned it - And it was accomplished through the death of his only begotten son. This salvation is offered to all men without respect to race, color, faults, former record, handicaps, and conditions. It is given on one condition: It is given on one premise: Faith - Believe it -Accept it. Thank God for it. And last of all - it is eternal. It shall never end. John 3:15 says: ...whosoever believeth should not perish." John 3:36 says: ". the fruit of life eternal is found in a life with Christ." and Luke 23:43 says: (The words of Jesus to the thief on the cross) -..today shalt thou be with me in paradise." Jesus said: "I and my Father are one - I'm in my

Father's hand - none can pluck them out of my Father's hand." CHAIRMAN QUITS

NEW YORK -- James J. Needham has resigned as chairman of the New York Stock Exchange. He denied having been forced to leave the key leadership position.

Woman survives jump off Golden Gate Bridge.

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Recent Rains Cause Damage To Sorghum

Recent periods of wet weather have caused extensive damage to maturing sorghum in parts of Texas. South Texas and the Coastal Bend have been especially hard hit and some damage has even shown up in Central Texas.

"Excessive rain on grain sorghum during its maturation period can cause loss of test weight and decreased yields," says Dr. John Bremer, agronomist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "The closer the grain is to harvest when the rain occurs, the greater the

damage." Bremer says that when rain hits grain sorghum at the wrong time, it sets off a series of events that form a vicious cycle.

"The constant wetting and drying of the grain causes the surfaces of the grain kernels to be roughened, which reduces the surface volume of the kernel," he explains. "Since test weight is measured as weight per volume, the weight of the grain is lowered."

Rain also causes mold to grow on the grain, which produces a speed-up in the rate of respiration (taking in oxygen) in the grain. The higher respiration rate results in partial digestion of the starch in the endosperm (outer covering of seed) and further weight loss. This partial digestion of starch produces soluble sugars which favor mold growth, which in turn, results in an increase in the respiration and digestion of the starch, points out the Texas A&M University System specialist.

'Another phenomenon the rain produces on sorghum is head sprouting. This results in still more weight loss and can cause the grain to shatter before or during harvest, causing a direct loss in yield," notes Bremer.

At present there are no weather resistant sorghum hybrids available, but varieties with hard endosperms and undercoated seeds have been found to better withstand unfavorable weather conditions, says the

In addition, there are no known approved economical chemical treatments to alleviate the weathering problem.

So, the farmer is still at the mercy of weather conditions, which make farming on big

Regional Man Gets Award For Soybeans

Berwin Tilson of Plainview, has been awarded an honorary life membership in the American Soybean Association (ASA). Tilson, who received the award Monday night during ASA's 56th annual convention here, was cited for his "strong interest in the future profitability of. soybeans over the past de-

Retiring this year as chairman of ASA's board of directors, Tilson previously served as ASA president for two years and chaired the World Soy Protein Conference in Germany in 1973. He has also served three terms as president of the Texas Sovbean Association and has acted as executive secretary of the Texas Soybean Producers

Board. Tilson was named Texas Farmer of the Year for 1974 by Progressive Farmer magazine and Farmer of the Year in 1968 by the Extension Agents Association of Texas.

Tilson and his wife, Cleo, farm close to 1,200 acres near Plain-

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ROBERT RUIZ INC. . . . Almost ready to start operations is the new Robert Ruiz Inc. building located approximately a mile and a half northwest on Highway 84 from Muleshoe. The family operation

Chase...

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after he had used a telephone in the home of an area resident to call for someone to pick him up. He was picked up instead by the local officers. City officers Williams and Wayne Holmes brought the suspect to the jail. Around mid-morning, another

call was received at the Law Enforcement Center that the second suspect had hitchhiked to town and was eating breakfast at a local restaurant. Officers Holmes and Williams brough him in and he joined his friend in the jail.

Also as noon approached without apprehension of the third suspect, THP Officer Cardinal requested the DPS helicopter from Lubbock. As the chopper from Lubbock was not operating properly Lubbock asked Amarillo for assistance and the Potter Co. Sheriff's Office helicopter

was dispatched to Muleshoe arriving at 1:49 p.m. The chopper was piloted by Capt. Don Smith of the Potter County Sheriff's Department. He was accompanied by Deputy Irvin Patrick, crew chief. After filling with gas at the airport in Muleshoe, officer Louis Cardinal climbed on board with the officers and the chopper lifted into the air for surveillance. At 2:11 p.m., just after the chopper hit the area to be searched, the third suspect was found on a county road. THP Officer Jim Williams, accompanied by Ken Angeley, were told where to go to pick up the third suspect in the armed robbery which had

After running a check on the that was wrecked and abandon-

occurred several hours earlier.

vehicle registration, the pickup ed was found to be registered to a man in Nazareth. The parents of the man told officers the owner was on harvest and the vehicle should be at the owner's

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WRECKED PICKUP . . . Early Sunday morning, this pickup was wrecked and abandoned during a police chase west of Muleshoe. During the day, three men were apprehended to face charges stemming from several early morning incidents.

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should be underway in the near future as workmen are nearly completed with installation of necessary machinery inside the new

farm. The pickup was registered to Russell Schacher. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schacher came to Muleshoe and identified the wrecked vehicle Sunday afternoon.

Larry Wayne Henderson, 26, of Dimmitt; Donald Frank Ethington, 19, also of Dimmitt and Harold Bails, 33, of Nazareth, were all charged with burglary. Bails and Ethington were released from jail Monday on \$3,000 bond each and Henderson was released on a \$3,000 bond Tuesday morning.

Local officers are continuing the investigation of the early Sunday morning incident.

Tax...

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recent survey, and the Federal Title IX, H.E.W. requirements. The subject was tabled for further action when information is received from Civil Rights Division, Washington, D.C.

Administrative procedures in junior high and high school were also discussed with no action taken.

Reports heard include the progress of maintenance projects at the local schools, the recently returned stolen merchandise from the football fieldhouse, the current financial report and current tax collection report.

Crashes...

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driver's license. Patrolmen Jimmy Mills was forced to call out extra assistance for controlling the traffic and crowd that gathered at the accident scene and had some difficulty in getting wreckers and the ambulance through the congested traffic.

On Monday this week, two minor accidents were logged. One was in front of Cashway and the other at Gibson's.

Plant...

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with the vegetable grower and helps work out production problems. He uses his knowledge to help the producer make top yields and adds that by working right with the farmer with their production problems, has added to the production and makes better yields.

The family was unanimous in praising local residents for making them welcome in the area and said they were impressed by the friendliness of the local people and the response of the people in Bailey County in working with them.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SEMINAR FOR

AGRIBUSINESS A Financial Management Seminar for Agribusiness Firms will be held at Texas A&M University September 21-24. Sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the seminar will feature discussions on financial statements, merchandising credit, analyzing business opportunities, time management, capital budgeting, forms of business and planning for growth. In the past the seminar has attracted accountants, bankers, farmers and ranchers, machinery dealers, realtors, farm managers, farm equipment salesmen, and farm supply salesmen. Registration information is available from Dr. Wavne Havenga in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Texas

A&M University Survival Fight

If your budget has survived paying your taxes, it's time to make the vacation test.

-Christian Science Monitor

Simple things and simple people are often the great among us.



idea of statutory dedication

of more money to highways.

Common Cause said the

whole idea was "irresponsi-

Saving Recommended

Insurance Board motorists

could save \$55 million if

required to have deducti-

bles on their collision and

comprehensive coverage

The proposal would still

mean rates will go up -

but only 5.9 per cent. Com-

panies have asked a 27.9

The staff-recommended

change would send rates up

Actuary Charles Ed-

wards of Dallas recom-

mended \$50 deductibles on

comprehensive coverage

and \$200 deductible colli-

sion coverage. He said pay-

ing the first \$50 or \$200

from a driver's own pocket

would encourage safe driv-

Rate changes are not ex-

pected to go into effect until

Yarbrough Hit

nominee Don Yarbrough of

Houston has been slapped

with 30 allegations by a

State Bar grievance com-

A dozen or more of the

charges stem from a law-

suit against Yarbrough

brought by former business

associates. At the trial,

Yarbrough was found to

have engaged in civil fraud

in law practice involving a

Yarbrough has been

given the opportunity to de-

fend himself against the

grievances filed with a

Wayne Paris, assistant

general counsel for the

Houston Bar committee.

The Speaker

by Bill Clayton

I think education is worth

every dime we spend. I also

think we should check every

avenue to see that we're

getting a dollar's worth for

The idea I presented to

the administrators of our

private schools was . that

every Texas student, irre-

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receive a voucher good for

costs in any accredited pub-

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against educational

According to the plan, every Texas student gradu-

every dollar invested.

state support.

Reports

1975 bank transaction.

State Supreme Court

October 1.

mittee

per cent overall increase.

\$200 million a year.

insurance.

An actuary told the State

AUSTIN - Gov. Dolph Briscoe has recommended an \$825 million rescue program for the 71,000-mile Texas highway system.

He proposed re-routing road-user taxes and federal aid to make up for declining revenues and the "ravages of inflation" on roadbuilding.

By 1980, he said all available revenue now earmarked for highways may be required for maintenance alone, with nothing left over for new construction or upgrading obsolete roads and bridges.

Over the next 20 years, less than \$2 billion in state and federal funds will be available to finance a backlog of \$11 billion of construction and right-of-way purchases.

Brsicoe offered these recommendations, with endorsement of House Speaker Bill Clayton:

-Dedicating three-fourths of auto sales taxes - \$203 million in fiscal 1978 - and \$45 million a year in car tire, tube, auto parts and assessories sales taxes to highways.

-Switching \$50 million a year in road user taxes now going to support the state highway patrol to the highway fund. The Department of Public Safety would, under the proposal, get needed replacement money from general revenue.

-Setting aside \$100 million a year in federal revenue-sharing funds during the next biennium for safety and improvement work, including widening of facilities and repair or replacement of unsafe

The program was assured of opposition. Comptroller Bob Bullock opposed the

AUSTIN---When I met re-

cently with the Independent

Colleges and Universities of

Texas I asked them to think

about an idea which could

have an effect on the way

we fund higher education in

It is an idea based on the

philosophy that the state

should help every Texas

youngster secure an educa-

tion through the college lev-

We're attempting to

school all young Texans to-

day and the state is spending

fifty cents of every state

dollar to do it.

Texas.

State Bar of Texas, said if grievances against Yarbrough are found justified punishment could range from a public reprimand to

GOP's Ready

It's the Republicans' turn for the spotlight, and Texas' 100-member GOP delegation (and 100 alternates) will be heading for Kansas City and their national presidential convention August 16.

All delegates and alternates are solidly bound to former California Gov. Ronald Reagan for presi-

The delegation is divided in its enthusiasm for U.S. Sen. Richard S. Schweiker of Pennsylvania Reagan's running mate but apparently prepared to stand behind the nominee's choice.

Speculation that former Gov. John Connally is high on the list of President Ford's prospects for the vice presidential nomination appeals to many Texans, but Connally emphasizes he has no commitments. The Texan faces strong op-

position. Gov. Briscoe acknowledged that Connally, if nominated, would be a "factor" in the Texas campaign, but he predicted the Democratic ticket of Jimmy Carter and U. S. Sen. Walter Mondale of Minnesota would carry the state regardless of who the GOP

Tourist Spending Down Tourists liked Texas more but spent less during early 1976.

nominees are.

Spending by visitors was down 18 per cent from the same period a year ago, according to a tabulation of more than 10,000 questionnaires

Increased frugality of the visitors was compensated in part by the fact they stayed an average of 9.9 days longer than the early 1975 crop of tourists.

Tourist industry watchers will be keeping a sharp eve on the summer-quarter reports (which cover the

could be applied against cost

What this still nebulous

idea would mean is that the

state would provide basic

tuition for every Texas stu-

Not included in this

vouchered program would be

about 48,000 out-of-state

students who attend Texas

public universities nor about

15,000 out-of-staters who

A system such as this

might spark a competitive-

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give Texas students broad educational choices and save

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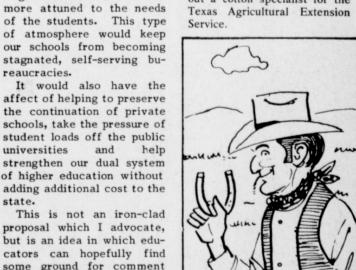
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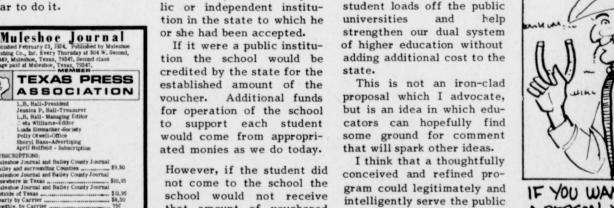
**** SEED CERTIFICATION In the case of independent CHANGE universities, the voucher

Planting seed in Texas for the 1977 season will be certified for genetic identity only, so farmers must take a close look at the labels accompanying the seed. The new certification label as sures that the seed is the variety stated on the label. The big change is the fact that it does not relate to any seed quality factors such as purity, inert matter, other crop seed, weed seed, noxious weed seed and germination. The Texas seed law, however, still requires that this information be truthfully stated on the analysis label accompanying the seed, points out a cotton specialist for the



IF YOU WANTA CHANGE A PERSON-YOU MIGHT TRY PRACTICIN' ON YERSELF FIRST.

Politicians invariably



reaucracies.

Thurs.-Fri.-Sat. Aug. 5, 6, 7



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MISS TERRY BRYANT

Bridal Shower Fetes Miss Terry Bryant

honoree and her mother. Mrs.

Don Bryant. Mrs. Darrell Mat-

thews, sister of the honoree,

registered the guests. The

bride-elect was presented a

corsage of white roses and

feather carnation trimmed with

bright orange ribbon, carrying

Hostess gift was an antique

silver demitasse server and

Hostesses were Mrs. Dewitt

Precure, Mrs. Eugene Hawkins,

Mrs. Johnny Nickles, Mrs. Jack

Young, Mrs. Royce Turner,

Mrs. C.C. Bryant, Mrs. Ray

Hardy, Mrs. Carl Bamert, Mrs.

Claude Riley, Mrs. Herb Grif-

fiths, Mrs. Jess Winn, Mrs. Bill

St.Clair, Mrs. Tommy Haley

completion of the festivities.

MENS WESTERN

SHIRTS SL 13

and Mrs. John Lowery

out her chosen colors.

Miss Terry Lynn Bryant of Muleshoe, bride-elect of Bob Addison of Fort Sumner, N.M., was honored with a bridal shower Friday, August 16 in the Muleshoe State Bank Communi-Greeting the guests were the

West Plains **Medical Center** Briefs

ADMISSIONS

August 6 - Mrs. C.B. Howard, Edi Black, Johnny Maddox, Jose Garcia, and Billy Williams. August 7 - Mrs. Pat Childers, Lucy Young, Edith Clark, Cuc Doan, and Betty Bruns. August 8 - Frankie Williams, Kenneth McManis, and Dolores

August 9 - Jewel Bruton. August 10 - Eva Bell. DISMISSALS

August 6 - Bonnie Harlin, Irwin Ott, and Mrs. Jerald Carnes.

August 7 - Johnny Maddox, Edi Black, Billy Williams and Al

August 8 - Mrs. Florentino Mendoza and Jose Garcia. August 9 - Betty Bruns, Eva Black and Mrs. C.E. Briscoe. August 10 - Mrs. Leroy Fisher, Dolores Saldana, and Lucy Young.

Praise the child, and you make love to the mother. -William Cobbett.

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Local Artist Exhibits In Albuquerque Show

More than 100 artists and craftsmen from throughout the country exhibited in the National Arts and Crafts benefit, August 5 - 8 at Albuquerque's State Fairgrounds. This was a juried show. Marian Guinn of Muleshoe exhibited her paint-

Sponsored by the National Council for Exceptional Children, the benefit art exhibit include a special keynote show of Indian Artists. They were: Grace Medicine Flower, Lonewolf, Al Momoday, Helen Hardin, Andy Perk, R.C. Gorman,

The Muleshoe Area Public

Library announces today the

receipt of four books, a gift of

the Amon Carter Museum of

Western Art and the Texas

Commission on the Arts &

Humanities (TCAH). The four-

volume set of books -- contain-

ing three with Bicentennial ti-

tles and one relating directly to

Texas artistic heritage -- will be distributed to 375 public and

regional libraries throughout

"We hope," stated Maurice

Coats, executive director of

TCAH, "that the books will be

circulated among the students

and young people who visit the

"These books," he continued,

"take the tinsel and glitter out

of the now very commercialized

Bicentennial theme, and illumi-

nate the significance of our

cultural and historical heri-

Included in the museum pack-

age are: The Image of America

in Carricature and Cartoon, The

Face of Liberty, The Stripes and

Stars, and The Artist was a

The Face of Liberty contains

biographies of portrait painters

and their sitters. The book also

describes the American Revolu-

the state.

libraries.

Young Man.

COMF ISLAND HOPPING WITH ESA . . . Mrs. Terry Parham, one

of the many hostesses, will great you at the door or August 21 at

7:30 p.m. in the Catholic Center for the annual ESA luau. As you go

island hopping, you will find many activities to make any

mainlander wish the evening could continue long after the 1:00 a.m.

Area Library Receives

Books From Museum

Bert Seabourn and Camilio Ta-

A special benefit preview was held Thursday, August 5 at the Studio Gallery in Albquerque. This was a private showing of the art works by invitation only. Approximately 3,000 attended. Marian Guinn exhibited paint-

ing in watercolor. She prefers to work with this medium of watercolor and her technique is basically the "wet into wet" method, with dry brush in the final stages. Mrs. Guinn's paintings have been exhibited and juried profession-

tion as a conjunction of histori-

The Stripes and Stars is the

evolution of the American flag.

Mitchell Wilder, director of the

Amon Carter Museum, writes in

cal and creative influences.

due to the flag."

Western Art.

ally throughout the Southwest according to her numerous awards, one of the latest being Best of Show at Mesa, Arizona. She has had several one man shows to her credit and some of

her paintings can be found in many private collections throughout the United States. She has been painting for 10 years. Other mediums she enjoys are acrylics, oils and mixed

She owns and operates Trails West Gallery, 2306 West American Boulevard in conjunction with her studio.

Mrs. Guinn was born in New York and spent her childhood in Massachusetts. She resides with her husband Pete, Sr. in Muleshoe. They have two children, Pete, Jr. of Muleshoe and Mrs. Doyle Evans of Amarillo.

First Baptist Sets Crusade

Rick Scarborough, Southern Baptist evangelist from Nacogdoches, will be leading the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe in a "Come Alive" Crusade beginning Sunday, August 15. The music for the crusade will be under direction of Kennith Carter, minister of music for the Muleshoe First Baptist Church. Services will continue each evening through Wednesday, August 18.

Sunday, August 15, has been

the acknowledgement of this designated as a "Great Day" book: "Anyone could, and did, design a flag of his own choosing. The story of this metamorphosis of design is a fascinating revelation in the light of today's adherence to codes and practices involving use of and respect All four books are published by the Amon Carter Museum of

RICK SCARBOROUGH

Handy Kitchen

Key To Efficiency

COLLEGE STATION -- Con-

centrate on convenience and

accessibility in placing kitchen

appliances for "fastest action",

Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, a fami-

ly resource management spe-

She is with the Texas Agricul-

tural Extension Service, The

Texas A&M University System.

small appliances are used --

some might see more frequent

use if they were easier to get out

cleaning, reorganizing or remo-

deling, try to find as convenient

kitchen aid. Ideally, small appli-

ances should be stored where or

near where they are used --

especially those frequently in

operation, such as toaster, cof-

feemaker or can opener. The

next best storage area is an

easily accessible shelf or cabi-

Wall hooks or pegboard can be

one solution to keep some small

appliances handy, without using

counter space. Among those

that can be hung on the wall are

hand mixers, electric knives and

\$3.99

net," she advised.

warming trays.

spot as possible for each

When doing a major kitchen

"Consider how often various

cialist, says.

and put away.

To Much Cabbage Make Sauerkraut **COLLEGE STATION -- Making**

sauerkraut may be the answer for home gardeners with more cabbage than the family can eat

Sauerkraut is an economical source of Vitamin C and adds a zesty taste to family meals, Mrs. Sally Coble, a foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Select firm, sound heads of cabbage. About one pound of cabbage fills one pint of kraut. Remove the outside green and dirty leaves. Wash well. If worms are present, soak in four tablespoons salt per gallon of water for 30 minutes. Quarter the head and shred the cabbage

Put five pounds cabbage and two ounces (three and one-half blespoons) of salt into a large pan and mix with the hands. Pack gently into the crock with a potato masher. Repeat until crock is nearly full. Cover with a cloth, plate and weight. During the curing process, kraut requires daily attention. Remove scum as it forms and wash and scald the cloth often to keep it free from scum and mold. Fermentation will be complete in 10-12 days, she said.

As soon as kraut is thoroughly cured, pack into sterilized jars, adding enough of the kraut juice, or a weak brine made by dissolving two tablespoons salt to a quart of water, to fill jars to within one-half inch of top. Put on cap, screw band firmly tight. Process in boiling water bath 15

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for the church. A record Sunday School attendance is expected said pastor, Rev. J.E. Meeks. Following the morning worship wervice, Rev. Meeks said a luncheon will be served in the fellowship hall for those who attend the services.

'The World's Sloppiest Sloppy Joe Party' will be hosted by the church for children in grades 2-5 on Monday, August 16, at 7 p.m. Free tickets are available for all Muleshoe area children at Corral Restaurant, Dairy Queen, Gibson's, Perry's and Anthony's.

Sunday services during the crusade will be regular hours of 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. and the week night services are scheduled for 8 p.m.

Rev. J.E. Meeks said the First Baptist Church and it's pastor will welcome all residents of Muleshoe and the area to attend the services.

Couple To Receive Degree In Education

Mr. and Mrs. Bucky Taylor will receive their master degrees on August 14 at North Texas State in Denton.

Taylor receives his master of Education in Physical Education. He will be athletic trainer at Mesquite High School, Mesquite. Taylor graduated from Muleshoe High School in 1970. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor of Muleshoe. Mrs. Taylor will receive her Master of Education in Early Childhood Education. She will teach third grade at Mesquite.

solitude.

Respect the child. Be not too much his parent.

Trespass not on his -R.W. Emerson.



LOCAL GIRL HIGH SCORER . . . High scoring individuals in livestock judging at the Texas Junior Hereford Association field day hosted by West Texas State University, Canyon, included (left to right) Joy Weinheimer, Stonewall, Belinda Wheeler, Muleshoe, Russell Walker, Caldwell, Charles Miffleton, San Saba, and Bonnie Helwig, Miles. Although third high overall, Russell Walker was the highest scoring TJHA member and received a heifer sired by SHW Mischief D4 from J.P. Calliham, Panhandle.

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MISS PAM VINSON

Miss Vinson Honored With Shower Linen

Miss Pam Vinson, bride-elect of Britt Bulgerin of San Antonio, was given a linen shower in the Jack Young home, Saturday

from 7-9 p.m. The honoree was assisted in receiving the guests by her grandmother, Mrs. W.D. Dement and Amanda Bulgerin, the prospective groom's sister-in-

Miss Vicky Griffin registered the guests and Miss Robbie Nesbitt served the guests.

Cheese balls, stuffed celery, fruit pizza and lime slush punch were served from silver and crystal appointments.

The centerpiece was a hanging basket of "Creeping Charlie with a miniature bride and groom in the center. The plant was presented the honoree as the hostess gift.

Hostesses for the occasion were Miss Vicky Griffin, Miss Robbie Nesbitt, Miss Cindy Harvey and Miss Prisca Young



MRS. BUCKY TAYLOR

BUCKY TAYLOR

(Photograph by American Hereford Association.)

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Martina Valdez Highest Reader In Library Bicentennial Summer Reading Program

Highest Readers in the '76 Summer Reading Program were honored at the library Wednesday morning. Receiving recog-

Enochs News

By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. Don Vanlandingham and children of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. E.N. McCall returned home Thursday after taking a trip to Santa Fe, Taos, Eagle Nest and Red River, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ellison of Lubbock visited in the home of the J.W. Laytons Thursday.

Mrs. Winnie Byars spent two days at Houston visiting a cousin, Mrs. Ella Hooper, and other relatives. She arrived in Lubbock by plane last Saturday and stayed until Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Parr and family.

Mrs. J.D. Bayless was in Littlefield Tuesday and visited Mrs. Alberta Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seagler spent Tuesday night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Alton McCallister at Idalou.

Jeff Nall of Lubbock, a former resident of our community is very ill in the Methodist Hospi-

Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Nichols and sons, Richard and Mike spent their 10 day vacation in Colorado and New Mexico camping out. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols, Donnie and Paula and Orilia Davila, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton and Robert and Sterling Mix of Crosbyton spent a week at Red River, N.M. Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Cox and Yvette also spent five days at Red River. The youngsters enjoyed going up into the mountains on their motorcycles and the adults rode the jeep up into the mountains and to the old gold mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Snitker visited Mrs. Alberta Bryant Friday morning and attended the funeral of John Hubbard. There were a group of friends of the Hubbards attended John's funeral Friday morning.

dren and Mrs. West of Wilson were dinner guests in the home of the Ray Seagler's Friday.

Charles Seagler and chil-

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Long of Possum Kingdom spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coffman of Morton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless Thursday afternoon and picked peas and beans to can. Another guest Sunday was Roy Bayless of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Earl Sheilds of Lila Lake came for the John Hubbard funeral and to visit her mother, Mrs. Lorella Jones and to pick up her daughter, Patrice, who has been visiting her for some

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Fred Sunday afternoon, were their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Frey of Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton of Enochs, and a grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newton of Three

Buckie Fred was dismissed from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Thursday after surgery on his leg.

The Baptist women met at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, for their general meeting. Mrs. Chester Petree led in the opening prayer. Mrs. J.W. Layton was in charge of the program, "Alaska's Native People". Others taking parts in the program were Mrs. L.E. Nichols, Mrs. J.E. Layton, and Mrs. Chester Petree. Mrs. Johnny Cox gave the call to prayer and Mrs. Charlie Shaw gave the benediction. Those present were Mrs. L.E. Nichols, Mrs. Johnny Cox, Mrs. J.E. Layton, Mrs. J.D. Bayless, Mrs. J.W. Layton, Mrs. Charlie Shaw, and Mrs. Chester Petree.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry are at home after a visit with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy West at Subett, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jarros and sons of Las Vegas, N.M. visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw Wednesday until Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry, Mrs. Myrna Turney and Mrs. Barbara Autry and children were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lytal and Amy at Morton. This was Mrs. Edd Autry's birthday.

were: second and third grades. Zanna Huckaby, first place, 90 books; Lee Bartley, second place, 86 books; and Manuela Valdez, honorable mention, 75

books. The fourth and fifth grades had a three way tie for first place. They were Deana Tedrod, Ramon Valdez and Sherri Bessire, tied for first with 75 books; Kristi Spies took second place with 55 and Chandra Engelking received honorable mention with 40 books.

Sixth grade and up were Martina Valdez first place, 95 books, over-all winner; Sammy Gonzales, second place, books and Abbye Kensey honorable mention with

books. Books with a historical theme were presented all first place winners, by Librarian Anne Camp and Recognition certificates were given to all. This year a beautiful U.S. flag was presented to the three highest overall in the reading club program. These flags were given by Fry and Cox to encourage young people to read, and to be patriotic. Receiving flags were: Martina Valdez, Zanna Huckaby

and Lee Bartley. Boys and girls attending watched two films in the basement of the library, and were served refreshments to close out the program.

The librarian wishes to thank staff members Cammie Waggoner, Linda Lopez, and Shirley Burris, also for their help - the friends of the library and Fry

Drying Foods Good Home Technique

preservation by drying is reviving due to the cost of other preservation methods and a previous shortage of jar lids, Mrs. Robin Taylor, County Ex-

tension Agent, says. Basically, drying preserves food by removing sufficient moisture to prevent decay, since moisture is necessary for bacterial growth.

Drying causes some nutritional charges. Although bulk and energy are not affected, there is some mineral and vitamin loss. Foods that can be dried include most fruits and vegetables and some meats and fish, she said. In hot climates, foods can be sun-dried sufficiently for preservation in a few days. In any climate, however, satisfactory drying conditions can be created at a moderate cost by using artificial heat and circulating air over the food, she explained.

To dry in a kitchen oven, items needed are drying trays, an oven thermometer and a small fan. Or, a portable food dehydrator may be used. Most foods are dried at about

Some special equipment is needed for home drying of food.

140 degrees F. in an oven or portable dehydrator. For sun drying, trays and

cheesecloth are needed. For sun drying, temperatures of over 98 degrees F. and relatively low humidity are needed.

Since drying does not improve the quality of foods, only top quality foods should be used. Vegetables in prime condition should be selected and prepared for drying on the day they are harvested. Only fully-ripe fruits should be used. If fruit is not suitable for eating fresh, it is not suitable for drying, the agent reminded.

All foods need some preparation or pretreatment before

Vegetables may be blanched with hot water or steam. This inactivates enzymes in the food that otherwise would cause deterioration of color and flavor during drying and storage. Blanching causes some loss of

nutrients through leaching. To keep leaching at a minimum, blanch only as long as required. However, underblanching will not inactivate enzymes, and the dried food will be of inferior quality. Prepare only the amount of food that can be dried

at one time. Although fruits may be blanched before drying, sulfuring is preferred. Sufuring effectively maintains the quality and nutrients of the food during drying and storage. However, oven drying is not preferred for sulphured fruits because of the objectionable odor of the sulphur fumes. Sulphuring should be done outdoors away from close contact with plants, trees

and shrubs, she cautioned. Fruits and vegetables are dried, packaged and stored in a similar manner. Fruits and vegetable pieces are distributed on trays in single layers. The total amount of food being dried at one time with artificial heat should not exceed that recom-

Do not use galvanized screen on drying trays. There is an acid reaction that darkens food and may cause a dangerous reaction. Also do not use fiberglas, vinyl or copper screening. Wood slats are excellent. They may be covered with cheesecloth.

More than one kind of fruit or vegetable can be dried at the same time. But strong-smelling vegetables should be dried separately.

Drying times vary according to the types of food, size of pieces and load on the tray. While tables giving approximate drying times can serve as a guide to judge proper dryness, experience is usually the best teacher. Some foods should be dried to the brittle stage, while others should be pliable or leathery,

Dried foods should be pack-

aged as soon as they are cool in dry, scalded, insect and rodentproof containers. Dehydrated foods are free from insect infestation when removed from the dehydrator or oven.

However, despite precautions, sun-dried foods may be contaminated and should be packaged and placed in the home freezer for 48 hours to kill any possible insects or their eggs. Containers of dried foods

should be stored in a dry, cool and dark place. All dried foods deteriorate to

some extent during storage, which can range from six months to a year depending on the kind of fruit. To keep nutritional losses to a minimum. vegetables and fruits should be used in a reasonable length of time, especially carrots, onions and cabbage, she said.

Flu Immunization ProgramContinuing

For the past several months, public health officials have been planning for, and talking about, the influenza immunization program that will be carried out this fall. However, there's another kind of immunization that shouldn't be forgotten, according to the Texas Department of

Health Resources. Dr. Jerome Greenberg, Deputy Director of Preventable Disease Services, TDHR, pointed out that "Every child, whether in school or not, needs immunization against polio, diphtheria. tetanus, whooping cough, measles, and rubella.

All children who attend school must have the full series of immunizations against these six diseases before school begins. The Texas School Immunization Law forbids the schools to enroll a child who has not completed the immunizations.

The immunizations are available from your family physician. In addition, most local and regional public health agencies have well-established clinics conducted on a regular basis.

Children should begin to receive their immunizations at the age of two months, in most cases. A series of separate vaccinations is necessary for

BIBLE VERSE

"Seek the Lord and his strength, seek his face continually."

- 1. Who was the author? 2. Upon what occasion? 3. What form of writing
- 4. Where may this verse be found?

was it?

- Answers To Bible Verse 1. David.
- 2. When the Israelites placed the ark of the covenant in the city of David. 3. A Psalm.
- 4. I Chronicles 16:11.

each of the six childhood communicable diseases. If for any reason a child doesn't begin the series as early as two months, however, they can be started at

Dr. Greenberg says that the schools are doing a good job of enforcing the state immunization law. "We are very proud of the school immunization levels achieved in Texas," he says, "and I think it's time to recognize the good work done by school administrators and the Texas Education Agency in assisting us. There are very few school districts that do not do well.'

Across the state, school authorities report that 95 to 97 percent of their pupils have been fully immunized. Because of these levels of protection, the rates of potentially serious childhood communicable diseases have dropped dramatically in recent years. For example, polio, once an annual scourge in many parts of Texas, now is extremely rare: no more than one or two cases each year, and in some years none at all. Health officials warn that par-

ents should not wait too long to start their children's immunizations, since clinics become increasingly crowded as the opening of the school year approaches. The impending flu immunization campaign also will disrupt the usual clinic schedules. Children will not be able to obtain the usual immunizations at the same time they receive their flu shot, Dr. Greenberg says. "There are a couple of vaccines that are not recommended for administration at the same time as the flu (vaccine)," he says. Furthermore, "The flu immunization effort is going to be so large that there simply will not be an opportunity at these big clinics to cope with a variety of other vaccines at the same time. So children, to get the flu vaccine, will need to go to a different clinic at a different time."



HIGH READERS AWARDED CERTIFICATES . . . Books with historical themes were present to top readers in each grade group. Second and third grade winners were Zanna Huckaby (not pictured); fourth and fifth grades had a three way tie, Deana

Tedford, far left, Ramon Valdez, fourth left and Sherrie Bessire (not pictured); and sixth grade winner was Martina Valdez, far right. Recognition certificates were given all readers who completed the summer reading program.

Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wittner

were in Lubbock Wednesday on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and children from Clovis, N.M. visit-

ed her parents, the H.W. Garvins Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson spent the weekend at Lake

Brownwood attending the Tyson Several men from the community were in Lubbock Tuesday to

give blood for H.W. Garvin. Marvin Long from Amarillo spent the weekend visiting his

parents in the community. Mr. and Mrs. Caton Tyson and girls attended the Tyson family reunion at Lake Brownwood

***** Mrs. Buddy Cook and son from Dallas, also Kim and Glen Fowler from Levelland, are visiting the D.S. Fowlers this

over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. T.D. Davis spent the past week at Amstead Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reeves and



FLAGS PRESENTED READERS OF MOST BOOKS . . . This year a U.S. flag was presented to each of the three highest overall readers in the reading club program. These flags were given by Fry and Cox, Inc. to encourage young people to read, and to be patriotic. Receiving flags for reading during the summer were Martina Valdez, 95 books; Lee Bartley, 86 books; and Zanna Huckaby, 90 books.

children are spending this week visiting the Dutch Harrisons and fishing at Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fowler and son from Dallas spent Sunday with his parents the D.S. Fow-

Lady's Privilege Little girl at her first wedding-"Mummy, did the lady change her mind?" "What do you mean?"

asked the mother. "Well, she went up the aisle with one man and came down with another."

Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Tolliver from Haskell are visiting her brother, the T.D. Davis family.

Several from the community attended the funeral of John Hubbard at Littlefield, Thursday morning.

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George Mahon Blasts Mistake In Government this booklet.

spoke in the House of Representatives last week on mistakes in government, and condemned "bureaucratic harassment" and "government bungling."

Mr. Speaker, the Federal government increasingly has become the object of contempt in the eyes of the American people. I speak of the executive branch, the judicial branch, and the legislative.

Mistakes have been made in all three branches and there are numerous examples of wrong doing. This is not unique. We have had such examples since the founding of our government but it seems to me we have reached an acute stage of discontent over the performance of our government

speaking of illegal acts, as serious as they are, but of harassment by government perand indefensible actions of government employees charged with the administration of the laws. I am thinking at the moment of the interpretation and administration of the law by personnel in the Executive

Congress must legislate in a general way in many fields, and it is not possible for Congress to enact legislation setting forth every rule and regulation. This must be done by the Executive Branch -- the branch charged with the administration of our laws. And it is here that so much criticism arises.

Too often one sees examples of foolish and ridiculous rules and regulations which are invented by impractical government personnel. When a foolish outrage In these remarks I am not is publicized, the culprit is often an obscure bureaucrat in the Executive Branch. His name is not on the ballot at election time sonnel of the citizen and foolish and he can sit back and laugh, if

he will, at the discomfort which is caused for the Administration or the Congress. Some way must be found to call a halt to the present intolerable situ-

In a recent visit to the District which I have the honor to represent, I was confronted with two such examples of outrageous and intolerable activities on the part of OSHA, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration

SAFETY WITH BEEF CATTLE The first concerned a booklet entitled "Safety with Beef Cattle" which OSHA issued. The second concerned proposed OSHA regulations about field sanitary facilities on farms and ranches. Both, in my opinion, are examples of Government personnel taking a law, and by the manner in which they implement it, making fools of it and themselves, and in the process discrediting the entire govern-

The "Safety with Beef Cattle" booklet contains such startling statements as "When floors are wet and slippery with manure, you could have a bad fall", "Bare feet or sneakers aren't safe around cattle", "Be careful when you are handling animals". "You can get too tired

when working with cattle", and

Be careful that you do not fall

into manure pits.' Most of the people in my area who work with beef cattle that have seen or heard of this booklet think it is utterly absurd and that someone who did not know such things as I listed above should not be around a cow in the first place. They don't like to see their tax money

trash. In fact, in my opinion, the most untutored child or farm worker who could not read or write knows far more about cows than

used in the publication of such

was exhibited by the writer of

those OSHA officials directly involved in the preparation of the beef cattle booklet are as follows:

Earl D. Heath, Director of the Office of Training and Educa-David Martin, Office of Train-

ing and Education: Daniel Murphy, Contracting Officer for the Department of

Purdue officials are as follows: John B. Liljedahl, Purdue Research Foundation: Wayne L. Singleton, Purdue Extension Animal Scientist;

Kenneth M. Weinland, Purdue Extension Veterinarian; Gay F. White, Purdue Information Specialist.

Clearly the beef cattle booklet is ridiculous and a waste of the taxpayers' money. And without doubt it has increased citizens' contempt of their government. But fortunately, it has caused no physical harm and has not interfered with the actual production of beef cattle. SANITATION STANDARDS

ishness and ineptness known to

Mr. Speaker, after looking at

the proposed standards, it be-

comes obvious that they are

totally unworkable and in fact

During our discussion on this

matter, Dr. Corn, director of

ed standards were never meant ON FARMS AND RANCHES to be a final product, but only a The field sanitation standards vehicle to which people could

however are a different matter. react and make proposals. They have caused great conster-That is slight consolation. The nation and agitation among real issue is why a Federal farmers and ranchers throughagency would issue standards in out the nation. the first place that were not The standards as published intended to be implemented and would require toilet and handwould obviously have to be

washing facilities to be available changed. within a five-minute walk of the Such actions cause untold conworkers. Some might contend cern and consternation among that such standards on a ten people affected by them, in this acre farm or ranch would be case the nation's farmers and appropriate, but on a large ranchers. operation, such requirements In my opinion, this is an would be absolutely ludicrous.

outrageous situation and one And if they were implemented that the Department of Labor as proposed, they would probshould not tolerate. ably become one of the greatest Increasingly, we are confrontmonuments to bureaucratic fool-

OSHA, stated that these propos-

ed with situations of this nature. Congress passes a law that outlines in relatively broad detail what is to be done. It is then up to the Executive Branch to implement the law. And it is here that the problems arise. While many Congressional laws are far from perfect, they generally are not patently ridiculous

and absurd as are many of the rules and regulations that are promulgated by various person-

nel in the executive branch. And of course these people do not have to answer to the public for outrages they perpetrate in the name of administering the

By their actions they bring contempt on the government. If there is to be a free democratic society the people must support and believe in their government. Without this trust, gov-

ernment breaks down. I repeat again, a major effort

must be made to halt foolishness and waste in the Federal Government. We must find a way to instill in the Federal worker that he is a servant of the people and that he holds a public trust.

Mr. Speaker, many great American thinkers have noted that our system of government is probably not the most efficient way to run a nation, but that it is probably the fairest and most just.



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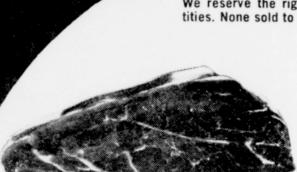
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31t-6tp

The board of trustees of the Three Way Independent School district will hold a budget hearing Thursday, August 12 at

sharply.

Sun Oil Co. announces gas price hike.

Humphrey will not enter

Imported Fire Ants Continue To Spread

Mirex, a chemical used to control the imported fire ant, continues to undergo careful evaluation by the Environmental Protection Agency. Allied Chemical Corporation discontinued production of the chemical in February, and Mirex is now being produced by the State of Mississippi and is available through the Texas Department of Agriculture. Jackman says farmers and ranchers can obtain the chemical free of charge by requesting it through their County Commissioners Court. Since supplies are limited, distribution will be on a first come, first served

Former Resident Buried Recently In California

Funeral services for Donald W. Buhrman of Manhattan Beach, Calif. were held August 4, 1976 at 10:00 in Englewood Cemetery Mortuary, Manchester Chapel. Officiating was Rev. James E. Smythe.

Burial was in the Englewood Cemetery, Englewood, Calif. Donald Buhrman died July 31, 1976. He was a native Texan. He was born in Bailey County on July 20, 1909 and married Bessie Pack in 1931. Tw sons were born here - Jimmie - still of the home, and Donnie, who resides in Medford, Oregon with his family. He also had a daughter, Judy Augstin, who lives in Redondo Beach, Calif. and had four grandchildren.

Other relatives include his mother, Mrs. E.H. Buhrman, three brothers, Russell, Dale and Kline Buhrman of Muleshoe; two sisters, Edwina Eubanks of DeKalb and Gladys Maddox of Muleshoe.

Imported fire ants are now common in virtually all of the eastern half of Texas and are continuing their trek westward. "Although records on the dis-

tribution of fire ants are somewhat behind actual field observations, it seems the fire ant has infested counties extending from Cooke County in North Texas all the way down to Kleberg County at the southern end of the state," points out John Jackman, an entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "Fire ant infestation also extends as far west as Kerr and Bandera counties in the Texas Hill Coun-

Jackman says that 74 of the counties that have a fire ant problem are under partial or complete federal quarantine or are labeled suppression areas. This means that soil and earthmoving equipment must be checked when being transported from a quarantined county to one not under quarantine. This is an attempt to prevent trans-

porting the fire ant. Fire ants have been classed as eradicated as Williamson, Mc-Lennan, Erath and Henderson counties, says the Texas A&M University System entomolo-

ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

1. Name the winner of the shortened Indianapolis

- Paul Westphal plays pro basketball for what team? Who won the World 600
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- 3. David Pearson. 4. Roger Maltbie.

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"Accessibility of the pharmacist," he said, "is one advantage of the small, more expen-

sive independent.' "I don't think it (unrestricted advertising) would help me," he said, but added, "I don't think there's any doubt it would hurt the smaller drugstores." "Most drugstores operate on a very thin margin, contrary to

vice you can afford to sell."

the customer needs him.

'front-end type of drugstores,'

popular belief," Hollingsworth said. "Most operate on a net profit of three to four percent." But, Bardwell D. Odum, a Dallas attorney representing Gibson pharmacies, told The A-J pharmacists charging high prices simply don't want their

prices advertised. "Extra services," he said, 'has nothing to do with it. "I think that's a camouflage. In other words, that's what

they're using to justify their prices.' Lubbock's Lee Bedford, owner of Bedford's Prescription Pharmacy, said he's "concerned. I won't say it worries me." But, he said his business would be less affected by open competition than younger drugstores.

"We were the first store (in Lubbock) to have just an exclusive pharmacy," he said. 'We've been in business since 1937... Open advertising of drugs, he said, could "hurt the boy that's

coming out of school. I think it would really discourage him." Bedford said there were no chain stores in Lubbock when he came here, and claims the chains advertise drugs at the 'very bottom price," not to make money, but to draw people into their stores.

wny would a person patronize a more expensive pharmacist? Bedford said customers choose a given pharmacy for "personal reasons," convenience and good service.

Sam Damron, Muleshoe pharmacist and Texas State Board of Pharmacy (TSBP) member, said, "non-professional conveniences" (such as consultation, 24-hour emergency service and charge accounts) are factors in determining the price of a drug. Damron was one of the four TSBP members voting to appeal the state's case against the Dallas-area chain, Page Super

Drug. In that case, the TSBP sought, but was denied, an injunction that would have restrained Page

Ethics Of Drug Price Ads Doubted By Pharmacies from advertising prescription

drugs.

supermarket.'

cian," he said.

Valium.

Hollingsworth said.

Professional-ethical conflicts

with drug ads are cited as

another reason drugs ads should

be restricted. Bedford said,

"Pharmacy is suppose to be a

profession. If they start cutting

prices, then it will be like a

Hollingsworth objects to the

basis that advertising encourag-

es the use of dangerous drugs.

"It seems unethical to push a

drug we can't even dispense

without the order rom a physi-

though it's price - could encour-

age the use of it (a drug),'

The Avalanche-Journal con-

tacted about 31 pharmacies by

telephone to determine if there

were appreciable differences in

the cost of a given drug.

Without identifying himself as a

reporter, except in one instance,

the surveyor asked for the price

of 100 tablets of five-milligram

Valium, a brand-name tranqui-

lizer produced solely by Roche

Industries, was chosen for the

price check because it is one of

the most commonly prescribed

Of the 23 druggists giving their

prices, customer cost ranged

from a low of \$7.97 to a \$14.50

high. The average price of the

drug was \$12.15 with eight of

the quotes falling in the \$11.50

to \$12 range and five in the

Three of the pharmacists con-

tacted refused to give prices

wer the telephone. Another

\$12.50 to \$13 category.

'Any type of promotion - even

lanche-Journal.) Editor's note: Professional ethics versus the hard facts of economics is examined in this second installment of a threepart series dealing with the question of wether pharmacies should be allowed to advertise prescription drug prices.

BY JIM BUSBY

Staff Writer Six tetracyclin tablets for the price of one? Buy one bottle of

Valium and get one free? Well, not likely. But remifications allowing, temporarily at least, prescription drug advertising may drive some pharmacists to the tranquilizer - and others to the bank.

may be stuck between the rock of professional ethics and an economic hard spot. What, indeed, will happen if the Texas courts allow essential-

And, some of those druggists

ly unrestricted prescription drug price advertising? An Avalanche-Journal telephone survey of about 31 Lubbock pharmacies showed a \$6.53 difference in prices quoted for 100 tablets of five milligram Valium, a tranquilizer and one of the nation's bestselling

drugs. Lonnie Hollingsworth, owner of L & H Pharmacies in Lubbock, said the price issue boils down to a consumer decision

between cost and service. Hollingsworth was 1975-76 president of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association (TPA), an organization including about 50 percent of the state's practicing pharmacists.

The TPA supported the preaid he wouldn't give the price sent Texas pharmacy law prohiunless the caller had a prescripbiting the published advertising tion for the drug. One pharmacist, discovering of prescription rugs but requiring the posting - in each that the caller was a reporter, drugstore - of pharmacy servicangrily refused to reveal his es offered along with the maxiprice over the telephone, saying mum prices of 100 of the most prices were posted and that frequently prescribed drugs. drug prices are more complicated than a price survey would 'The cheaper you sell. lingsworth said, "the less ser-

indicate. He, too, referred to services as another factor in Hollingsworth, who describes drug pricing. his two Lubbock pharmacies as One state official later explained that some pharmacists are said the big-store pharmacist is hesitant to give prices over the 'not going to be there' when telephone for fear the person seeking the price may be mis-

reading the prescription. A quick check to determine what pharmacists pay for Valium revealed a wholesale cost of approximately \$9 per 100, five-

milligram tablets. That was the cost quoted by two pharmacists who said they

buy from a distributor. More precisely, one pharmacist said he would pay a wholesale distributor \$9.11. The other quoted a price of \$9.32 but said the cost is \$9.06 per hundred when purchased in 500-tablet lots. Most pharmacists, he said, would purchase the drug in the

larger quantities. Another pharmacist, giving a \$7.50 per hundred cost, said he pays less by buying directly

from Roche Industries. Robert Corn, senior retail operations vice president for Page, called Page's courthouse win a 'big, big victory for the consumer," but said he doesn't expect chain store prices to drop as a result of advertising "be-

cause they're already low.' "It should lower them - and primarily in independently owned pharmacies," he said. "Generally speaking, in chain drugstores, the prices are much, much lower, and I wouldn't

MHO KNOM23

1. Who invented the motion-picture camera? 2. What is another name for a small cowpony? 3. Who wrote "Alice's Ad-

ventures in Wonderland"? 4. Name the highest moun-

tain in Africa. 5. Which is the longest river in Europe? 6. Who wrote the song

"Sweet and Low"? 7. What metal does zinc resemble? 8. Name the capital of

Alaska. 9. Who invented the lightning rod? 10. What does a lexicogra-

pher do? Answers To Who Knows

- 1. Thomas A. Edison. 2. A bronco or cayuse. Lewis Carroll.
- Mount Kilimanjaro. The Volga. Alfred Lord Tennyson.
- Lead, but it's harder. Juneau Benjamin Franklin. 10.He is a compiler of

dictionaries.

Regarding the Page court case, Corn said, "We just simply took the position the consumer has a right to know the price of these prescription drugs before they're purchased. Representatives of some of Lubbock's chain pharmacies were asked if they plan to advertise prescription

A Walgreen spokesman in Deerfield, Ill., referred the Avalanche-Journal to a press release that states, in part, that Walgreen has "no immediate plans" to advertise in the media. The release cites a "Walgreen Consumer Guide" listing "over 1500 pharmaceuticals in up to eight strengths and

quantities. 'We fear," the release adds, "that advertising of limited prescription lists could prove more promotional than educational. We would hope, for the

benefit of the consumer, that the nation's pharmacies, rather than publicizing fragmented lists, will follow our lead in providing consumers with more

substantial prescription price information. A Dallas spokesman for Skaggs-Albertsons said he had "no comment on the whole subject' of prescription drug

advertising. Andy Howsley, supervisor of Piggly Wiggly pharmacies here, said the Lubbock pharmacies

probably won't advertise. "I just don't believe it's ethical," he said.

Howsley said the big chain pharmacies offer low-priced drugs to attract customers into the stores. "The big chains do it just to attract attention," he

"Like I say, I am a chain, but I don't feel it (health services) should be bantered around.

Screwworm Regulations Affect Texas Producers

All livestock shipped out of Texas must now meet federal inspection and certification requirements, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) announced Tuesday, August 3. These intensified regulations

are the result of action by USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) designating the entire state of Texas as an area of recurring screwworm infestations. Prior to this announcement, only the 39 southern counties of the state were so

designated. APHIS officials said change will mean that all livestock, including cattle, sheep, swine, goats, horses, mules and burros shipped from Texas must be inspected by state or federal animal health officials or accredited veterinarians and be certified free of screwworms before shipment. Animals found to be infested with the parasite will be treated, and the entire shipment of livestock will be sprayed or dipped with a USDA-approved

insecticide. In addition, all animals shipped from Texas into southeastern states are required to be dipped or sprayed even if found to be screwworm-free. These special requirements have been initiated in order to prevent the spread of screwworms into the Southeast, an area which has been free of the parasite for over

15 years. Previously, cattle shipped in interstate channels from Texas counties not designated as areas of recurring screwworm infestations were not required to be inspected and treated for the parasite before shipment. Many of these cattle had wounds or disease conditions which could harbor screwworms. When moved without restriction, these cattle could be the means by which screwworms were spread to uninfested states.

Texas has been placed under

stricter federal regulation as the

result of an increase in the

number of laboratory confirmed

screwworm cases in the state in recent months. These cases threaten to facilitate the spread of this parasite of all warmblooded animals. So far this year, over one-half of the 254 counties in Texas have reported screwworm cases. Even a great number of

cases are expected during the

traditionally heaviest months,

August through November. The already serious number of screwworm cases reported this year has been due to have rainfall in the state, producing ideal environmental conditions for the increase in screwworms. Owners of livestock should contantly check their animals for screwworm infestations and submit specimen larvae (worms) in the prepaid, self-addressed mailing kits available from County Extension Agents offices, suggests Dr. Robert Miller, of USDA's Mission, Tex.,

screwworm laboratory. Screwworms are the larvae, or worms, of the screwworm fly. Female flies lay their eggs on the edge of an open wound on any warmblooded animal. The eggs hatch, and the tiny larvae burrow into the wound to feed on the living flesh. Odors produced by the feeding larvae attract other female screwworm flies, which reinfest the wound with their eggs. Untreated infestations often result in the

death of the animal. The USDA's Screwworm Eradication Program, operated by APHIS, is designed to eradicate the wild screwworm fly populatin by releasing millions of sexually sterile screwworm flies every week to mate with the fertile wild flies. Matings between fertile and sterile Ries produce eggs that do not hatch. thus breaking the screwworm

life-cycle.

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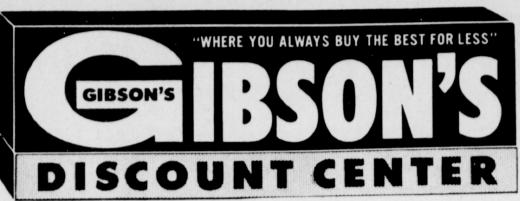
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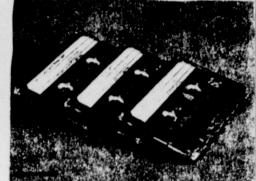
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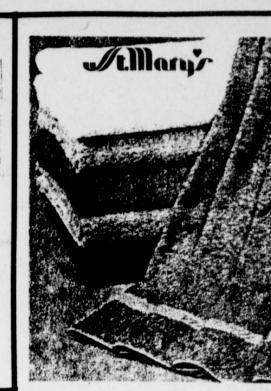
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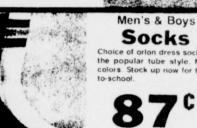
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Trackster Shoe Dept.



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