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May 9	81	54	
May 10	85	54	0.41
May 11	72	50	

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\$100,000 Paving Bond Vote Scheduled Saturday

around Muleshoe

The proposed beef research seminar has been rescheduled for Monday, May 16, at 8 p.m. in the Bailey County courtroom at the courthouse.

Spencer Tanksley, Bailey County agent, said the program is to be of vital interest to all beef producers in this area.

weekend, several members of the speech department from Muleshoe High School participated.

Brad Baker was second in the state in persuasive speaking and the team of Tom Pepper and Royce Don Clay was first in debate.

In the final round of the debate, Tom and Royce Don were 3-0 with three judges. They were unanimous on all three ballots of the judging.

Muleshoe Postmaster Tom Lobaugh returned last Saturday from three weeks in Memphis, Tenn. He attended a Multiple Action Series of Postmaster Training Sessions.

He reported a very busy time, and that he learned a lot during the training sessions.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernis Camp spent Mother's Day with Susan Camp Kizer in Amarillo. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Randy Cornelison and daughter, Amy of Borger and Billy Diggs.

Cassie Precure and Linda Jane Gossett are among the 438 candidates for graduation this spring at Eastern New Mexico University, Portales.

Baccalaureate and commencement begin at 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 12, in the Physical Education complex area.

Cassie Precure will receive a bachelor of science degree in psychology and Linda Gossett will receive a master of education degree in elementary education.

Paula Griffith Paul, a graduate of Three Way High School, now of Albuquerque, received good notices on her first novel, "Inn of the Clowns" published by Avalon Books.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith, former Three Way residents, her second book, "The Wail of La Llorona" will be published by Avalon Books in June.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Maude Kersey were her son and family of Ft. Lyons, Colo.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Kersey and son spent the weekend with Mrs. Kersey.

Weekend Violence Mars Mother's Day

A shooting, major accident, and a fire failed to dampen the spirits of Mother's Day '77.

In the first incident, local officers received a call from West Plains Medical Center that a shooting victim had been brought in for treatment. The officers found Carlos C. Costillo of Texico, N.M. had been shot through the right hip. The bullet had gone through his hip and exited through his wallet in his right hip pocket.

While the officers were beginning investigation of that incident, three young local men reported a major accident on East Highway 70 in front of Evans Oil Co.

Responding officers called for an ambulance first, then a wrecker to remove an overturned sports car from Rex Barnett, 16. Despite efforts of officers and onlookers, they were unable to remove the car from Barnett

until a wrecker arrived to lift the vehicle from the lower part of his body.

A report that he was accompanied by another individual prompted officers and onlookers to search ditches and fields for another victim, but no victim was found.

Some two and a half hours after Barnett was taken to the hospital, 18-year old Pat Sisneros showed up at the hospital. He was uninjured. Barnett was released from the hospital Monday. He had contusions and lacerations.

Barnett was charged with juvenile driving while intoxicated, no driver's license and failure to control speed. Sisneros was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor and leaving the scene of an accident.

In the Costillo shooting, Frank Toscano was charged with carrying a handgun on or about his person.

Late Sunday afternoon, members of the Bailey County Volunteer Fire Department were summoned to a vacant home owned by Cleve Williams. Fire Chief H.E. Reeder said the fire, which destroyed the garage and a portion of the home is under investigation by the fire marshal. The fire was of undetermined origin, and was not the first fire to be at the unoccupied home.

Also during the past several days, one person was jailed for having no driver's license; two with being illegal aliens; one for drunk and disturbance; one for

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Lubbock Duo Win Tourney Last Sunday

Steve Long and Randy Hines of Lubbock won the Muleshoe Country Club Partnership golf tournament Sunday following a sudden-death playoff.

Long birdied the second extra hole, the 450-yard, par-4 second by hitting a pitching wedge approach shot within two feet of the hole. Long and Hines tied with Bucky Sheffield and Chad Williams at 128 and they fired a second straight 64 in the 36-hole tournament.

The six flights went this way: CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT 128-Steve Long-Randy Hines, Bucky Sheffield-Chad Williams; 130-David Kelson-Jack Keith.

FIRST FLIGHT 136-Ed Barnes-Larry Chapman; 137-Tom Davis-Dick Johnson; 139-Bob Kincaid-Elmer Wilson.

SECOND FLIGHT 138-Jim Berry-Jack Kirkland; 139-John Lowrey-Tom Helmy; 141-Stan Wilson-J.W. Coppedge.

THIRD FLIGHT 143-Rayburn Ott-Terry Ott; 144-Darrell Oliver-Claude Riley; 148-J.V. Miller-Jim Hale.

FOURTH FLIGHT 141-Harold Cauren-Clyde Holt; 144-Larry Calvert-Bobby Burge.

FIFTH FLIGHT 151-Connie Gupton-David Marr; 152-Jerry Gleason-Richard Englekling.

Armed Robbers Take Cash At Local Store

Muleshoe may have small time ways to go with its small city image, but three armed robbers late Tuesday night found officers from small town are efficient.

At 12:26 a.m. Wednesday, Margaret Lewis, Clerk at Allsup 7-11 Store called the Bailey County Law Enforcement Center to report that the store had just been robbed at knifepoint.

First Baptist Will Observe Baby Day

First Baptist Church will observe Baby Day on Sunday, May 15. It is a day when nursery age children and their parents will be recognized in the morning worship service.

Pictures of each child enrolled in the church's Sunday School Nursery Program will be taken on Baby Day. Parents are requested to have their children present at 9:45 a.m. in order that they may be photographed.

Enrollment of children in the Sunday School Nursery Program can be made by calling the office of First Baptist Church during the week or by contacting the Nursery Coordinator on Sunday morning.

Children from birth through three years of age are enrolled in the Sunday School Nursery Program of First Baptist Church. Presently there are thirty-two enrolled in the program. Mrs. Clinton Kennedy is Nursery Coordinator and nursery personnel include Mrs. Hazel Riddle and Mrs. Ila Page. Sunday School workers in the nursery program are Mrs. Keith Turner, Mrs. Dorothy Green and Mrs. B.H. Black.

First Baptist Church has constructed a new nursery facility. The new facility consists of a reception room, four nursery rooms, a kitchenette, three rest rooms and storage space. A nursery room has been designed for each age group in the nursery, the bed babies, the one-year-old children, the two-year-old children and the three-year-old children. Each room has its own color scheme with color coordinated carpet, dra-

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REMOVING WRECK VICTIM...Ambulance operators Frank Ellis and Jerry Mick and DPS Patrolman Louis Cardinal remove Rex Barnett from his wrecked vehicle early Sunday morning following a one car accident at the east city limits. Barnett received minor lacerations, contusions and bruises in the accident which pinned him under the vehicle for several minutes. The wrecker in the foreground raised the vehicle off Barnett so he could be removed from the car.

Voter Approval Will Begin Construction

This Saturday, May 14, Muleshoe voters will have the right to go to the polls and exercise their voting privilege on another major step for this city. The city of Muleshoe plans a paving project, to pave many of the unpaved streets in the city, and are asking voters to approve a \$100,000 bond project to offset the city's portion of the paving cost.

For the past several months, Muleshoe City Manager Dave Marr and members of the Muleshoe City Council have been meeting with interested citizens who have requested paving. Following formal requests by residents of several parts of Muleshoe, a \$296,239 paving program has been put together.

However, as the City of Muleshoe will be responsible for 10 percent of the paving cost, plus paying their own portion of paving for property adjacent to city-owned property, a bond election for the \$100,000 has been scheduled.

Streets will be paved through the assessment program, which is the same way streets have been paved in this city in the past. It is also the same program used in other cities.

Muleshoe officials explained that it would be impossible for the city to undertake the entire cost of the paving program, so individual property owners will be assessed the cost of paving for their own property. This will include 90 percent of the cost of paving on front footage and 80 percent of the cost on a side street. The difference in paving cost for front footage and side footage will be to alleviate some of the heavy cost to the property owner.

With approval of the \$100,000 bond vote, paving of the streets will begin in a short time. City officials have explained that tax increase will be minimal with approval of the bond issue. For instance, a typical tax increase would be approximately \$9 per year on a \$30,000 home, and proportionately less for homes whose market value is less than \$30,000.

City Manager Marr explained that the owner assessment program is the most fair way to pave city streets. "Persons on unpaved streets in Muleshoe are paying now for streets paved in assessment programs for other residents of the city," he explained, "and now seems to

be the time to be considering paving some of the other streets."

Included in the project are several streets in the Country Club Addition, including East Hickory, where the pavement ends now just before the Little League ball park; East Ithaca, from Highway 84 to East Kola; East Kola Street, from Chicago east where that street's paving ends; East Gum and East Fir; along with a portion of East Houston Street, all in the Country Club Addition; also Sherman, West Ash, West Birch and Reno Streets in the Harvey Addition; one block of West Avenue I in two different locations; two blocks of West H Street; and two blocks on East Sixth Street.

The paving will cost an estimated \$13.65 per linear foot for paving and curb and gutter, or approximately \$1,000 for a 60 foot front footage lot. And, the paving assessment cost to the property owner can be paid in advance, as soon as the paving is approved, paid on completion of the project, or four years can be allotted for payment of the paving cost.

City officials also explained that no partial blocks will be Cont. on Page 3, Col. 2

Rain Increases Crop Prospect In This Area

Smiling farmers are predicting a 'bumper' crop year all through this area as continuing rain has added to the total moisture picture and enhances crop prospects.

All through the southern portion of the county, rains up to two inches were reported Monday, adding to approximately one-half inch over the weekend, and very little hail.

Monday afternoon, Muleshoe received one inch of rain, and a few halstones that left no appreciable damage.

In the Lazbuddie area, some one-half to three-fourths inch was received on Monday, keeping farmers out of the fields, although they were happy about the increased moisture picture.

According to National Weather Service, the unsettled weather was due to continue with late afternoon and evening thunderstorms, and accumulations up to one inch of rain.

School Protests Free Mandatory Program

Members of the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees took a strong stand Monday against mandatory free and reduced price breakfasts for public school students.

In a letter to Bill Clayton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, members said:

"We are concerned and absolutely against making it mandatory to serve free and/or reduced price breakfasts to public school students."

"We would have to run our bus routes 30 to 45 minutes earlier. We are picking up students most of the school year now in darkness. The school day is too long now for five and six year old children, who have to get on the bus at 7:00 a.m. and get off between 4:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m."

"We do not believe that it is the responsibility of the school to assume the responsibility of the parents to feed their children. The present free lunch program has turned out to be a cancerous free-loading situation."

"Any man who is physically able and willing to work, can make a living for his family in Bailey county."

"We hope that you will do everything you can to defeat this bill."

The letter was in reference to CSHB-136 proposed by Johnson in which the free breakfast program would be mandatory for public schools in Texas.

Trustees discussed the proposed legislation among many other items, during the regular monthly meeting of the board of trustees Monday night.

Two resignations were accepted, including Mrs. Paul (Judy) Hindeland, junior high teacher.

Royals Drop Errors, Win Bovina Game

The Muleshoe Royals did not disappoint their fans Sunday against the Bovina Rebels. Being 'up' for the game, they eliminated some of the errors which had marred the previous weekend and took an early 14-7 lead. The Royals were never behind as they took a six to nothing lead with minimum errors.

Haynes Jackson knocked a home run with one man on base to add to the score. The Rebels tried a comeback and the score was finally eight to five for the Royals, with the Royals having everything 'going their way'. They scored six more runs and the Rebels scored only twice to end the scoring.

Two runs each were by Ray Garcia, Danny Ramirez, Loy Dominguez and Haynes Jackson. Making one run each were Ray Bara, Gerald Bara, Danny Rodriguez, Fred Bara, Hector Bara and Henry Toscano.

The coaches and managers said they appreciated support of the good fans who are attending the games and hope for a bigger crowd Sunday when the Royals meet Edmondson at 2 p.m. in Babe Ruth Park in Muleshoe.

who resigned to move with her family to Georgetown, and Mrs. Lee Dunbar, secretary at Richard Hills Primary School.

All current financial reports were heard, along with the current tax report. It was reported that 97.79 percent of current taxes have been collected at this time. They also considered a report on delinquent taxes.

Williams, Faver, Sudduth and Co. were approved to audit all school funds for the 1976-77 school year.

Following a discussion of income tax, the board adjourned. Cont. on Page 3, Col 1

Baby 'Boom' Hits Hospital During Week

An unusual explosion has West Plains Medical Center bulging at the seams with eight new babies in the nursery, and a private room which has been hastily converted to a temporary nursery.

The eight babies were born Monday, Tuesday and Tuesday night two more babies were expected momentarily.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Noble started the explosion with a new son, born at 5:31 p.m. Sunday. Nathan Wayne Noble was the couple's second son and was weighed in at seven pounds, 13 ounces.

He was followed by a new daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pena of Portales. Angel Dawn Pena was born at 8:05 p.m. Monday and she weighed six pounds 10 and one half ounces. She was also a second child.

Twins showed up at 10:15 p.m. Monday, when a boy was born, followed by a girl at 10:27. They are the first children of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodriguez and they each weighed five pounds.

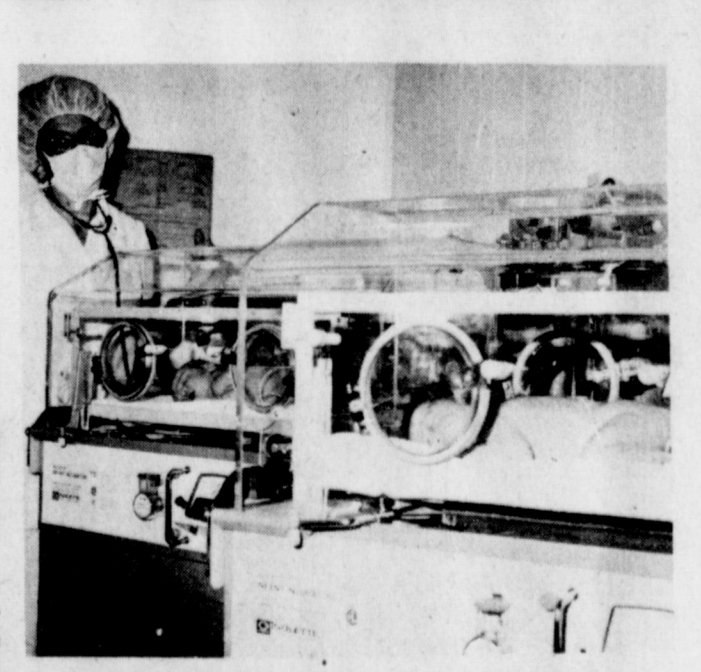
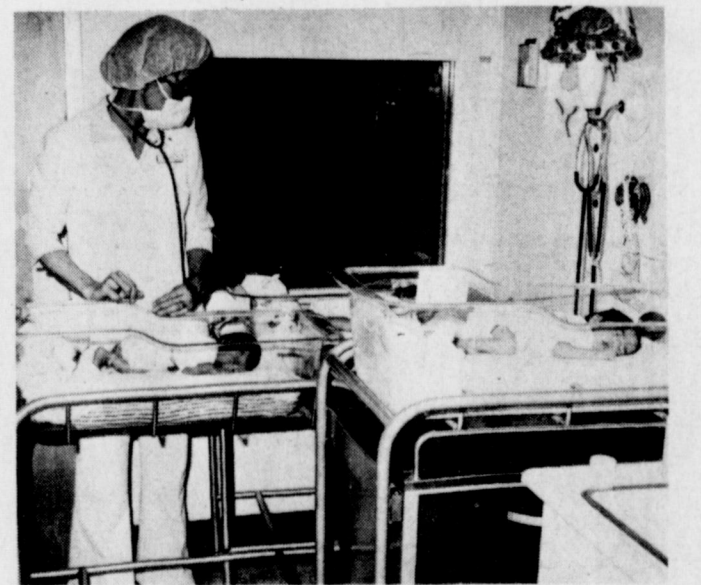
The first boy in the Wilcy Moore family was born at 8:46 a.m. Tuesday when Mrs. Ronnie Barrett gave birth to Jason Lewis. He weighed eight pounds 11 ounces and will go home to his two sisters.

Just before the twins were born Tuesday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Marcial Gloria became parents of a daughter at 8:32 a.m. The unnamed miss weighed seven pounds, seven ounces.

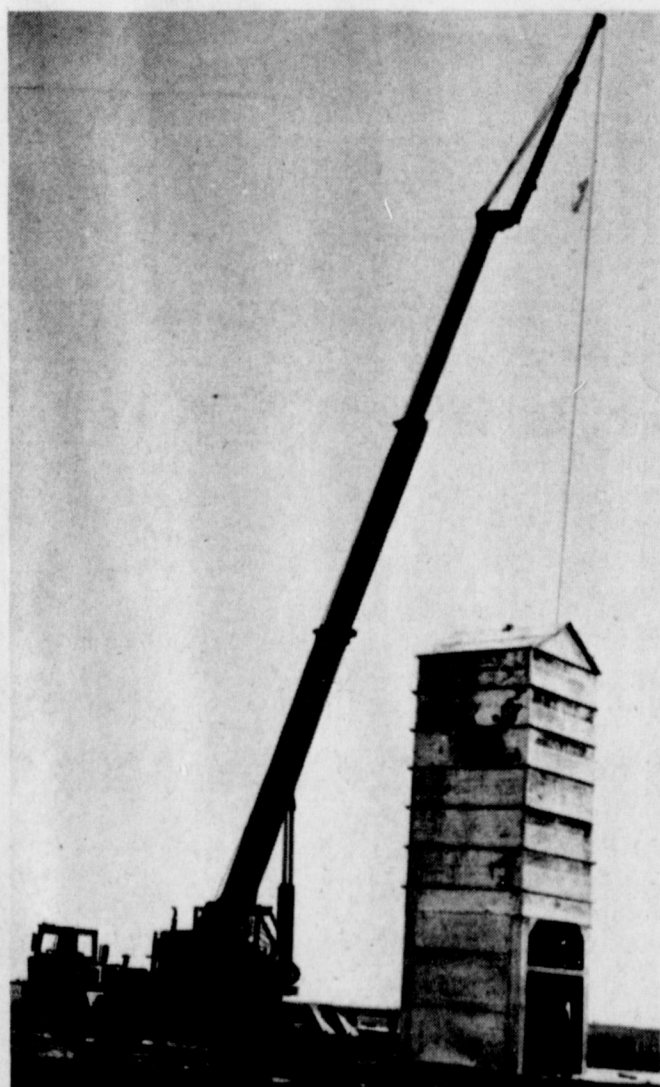
Tuesday afternoon at 2:18, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Nieto produced Tommy at seven pounds, thirteen and a half ounces. He was the couple's third child.

At 4:28 p.m. Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sinnacher became parents of their first child, a girl, who weighed five pounds, five ounces.

A nurse at the hospital commented ruefully, "Nine months ago, we must have had some cold weather."



BUSY NURSERY...Mrs. Mattie Hicks, director of Nursing at West Plains Medical Center shows off some of the numerous babies being born at the local hospital this week. The shot above shows the Rodriguez twins in the foreground and the Pena baby in the background. The other picture shows the Barrett son in the rear islette and the Gloria baby in the islette in the foreground.



CRANE RAISES FEED MILL...Trumble Steel Co. of Lubbock was northeast of Muleshoe late last week raising the feed mill on the new SPF hog operation which is being built near Muleshoe for Bob Wagner of Lubbock. Here, the huge crane is shown setting a portion of the mill, which, when completed, was approximately 60 feet high.

Courthouse News

MARRIAGES

Charles David Ortega, Portales, to Bernice Sena, Sena, N.M.
 Franklin Billy Clark to Charity Joy Waxman, both of Elk Grove, Calif.

Ray Ernest Cozart to Clare June Cozart, both of Lubbock.
 Jimmy Lloyd Green to Ruby Angeline Espinoza, both of Littlefield.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Janie V. Perez to Geronoma Perez, all of NW 1/4 of Lots 1 and 2, Block 19, Original Town of Muleshoe.

M.L. Mosely and wife, Wanda Mosely to R.R. Kindle, all of Lots 12 and 15, Original Town of Maple, Bailey County.

Robert Blackwood and wife, Cozette to Joe L. Smallwood, all of Lots 4 and 5, 13.24, Country Club Addition; all of W 60' of Lot 1, Block 21, Original Town of Muleshoe; all of Lot 7, Block 3, Highland Addition; all of Lots 10 and 11, Block 13, Highland Addition; all of Lots 9, 10 and 12, McPherson Addition; all of Lot 10, Block 6, Lakeside Addition; Tract 2: 4' wide SE 1/4 70' of Lot 8, Block 6, Warren Addition; Lot 7, Wilhite Subdivision of Block 1, Lakeside Addition; Lot 18, Block 35, Original Town of Muleshoe; Tract 1: Lot 1, McPherson Addition; Tract 2: Lot 1, Ladd's Subdivision of Block 6, Hillcrest Addition No. 2, Tract 3: NW 1/4 66' of Lots 13, 14 and 15, Block 40; part of SW 1/4 of Section 33, Block X, W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision.

Arthur Shafer, Lewis Shafer, J.W. Shafer, E.J. Shafer, Imogene (Shafer) Harris, Margaret Ruth (Shafer) (Garson) Boston, Minnie (Shafer) Luman to Lewis Wayne Shafer and wife, Wanda Shafer, all of Labors 4 and 7, League 193, Foard County School Land, Bailey County.

C.L. Saylor, Spa Charles L. Saylor and wife, Billie June Saylor to Stanley S. Austin and wife, Karen K. Austin E 80A of N 320A of Section 59, Block Z, W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County.

Zeb's Investment Co., a Texas Corporation to Fred Tharp Jr., 0.886 acre out of Tract 8 of Warren's Acreage Subdivision, Section 33 and 40, Block Y.

W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision; 1.023A out of Tract 8 of Warren Acreage Subdivision Sections 33 and 40, Block Y, W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision.

Fred Tharp Jr. and wife, Janice Tharp to Fred Tharp Jr., as his sole and separate property and estate.

Kevin Thompson and wife, Jolene Thompson to Richard Turner and wife, Dorothy Turner W 1/2 22' of Lot 8 and E 1/2 38' of Lot 9, Block 7, Highland Addition, City of Muleshoe.

Viola Layne to Guadalupe Reyna and wife, Elodia Reyna Lot 7, Block 1, Murrah Addition, Town of Muleshoe.

OIL AND GAS LEASES
 Gerald M. Moore and wife, Opal S. Moore to Earl Whisnand, all of E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Labor 11, Leagues 107 and 108, Fisher County School Land, March 12.

Dewey E. Johnson and wife, Lena Johnson to Earl Whisnand, all of SW 1/4, Labor 12, League 108, Fisher County School Land, March 12.

J.W. Layton and wife, Mary Etta Layton to Earl Whisnand, all of N 1/2 of Section 2, League 107, Fisher County School Lands; E 120A of N 1/2, Section 11, Leagues 107 and 108, Fisher County School Land; E 1/2 of Section 12, League 108, Fisher County School Land, March 28.

Elberta H. Bryant to Earl Whisnand, all of NW 1/4 of Section 4, League 106, Fisher County School Land, March 27.

Ethel O. Parsley to Earl Whisnand, all of SW 1/4 of Section 11, Leagues 107 and 108, Fisher County School Land.

Not That Kind
 "My poor brother," said the inmate of a rest home, "is suffering from fallen arches."
 "What a shame!" soothed the visitor from the public welfare committee. "Flat feet, eh?"
 "Not at all," corrected the inmate. "A bridge fell on him."

View From The Plain

by J.D. Peer
 I & E Field Officer

76' DROUGHT AFFECTS CHICKENS

Nesting conditions were less than ideal last year and recent counts on Texas' prairie chicken "booming" grounds confirm this fact.

Extreme dry conditions during the nesting season and on into the summer in 1976 has resulted in a 34 percent reduction in the 1977 nesting stock of prairie chicken in the Panhandle and a 16 percent reduction in the Permian Basin prairie chicken area.

Study areas in the middle of the prairie chicken habitat have been monitored for years to evaluate the results of drought, rain, hunting pressure and habitat destruction.

The natural range of the Lesser prairie chicken once covered

most of the Texas Panhandle and South Plains but, only a few sections of native grasslands in 12 counties of this area now support the chicken.

Plowing up the native grassland for agriculture and indiscriminate spraying of brush have all had their effects on the chicken. The habitat now occupied by the lesser prairie chicken is at the minimum required for a healthy population and further reductions will endanger the overall population.

Breeding season is ushered in by the period of courtship, which is notable for the unusual and spectacular antics of the courting males. The males gather on selected display grounds, known variously as "dancing," "booming," "strutting," or "cackling," grounds, and there carry on their peculiar courtship displays.

Display grounds vary in size depending upon habitat and the density of population. Some cover several acres and accommodate 10 to 30 birds. As few as

five birds may be sufficient to start the dancing and booming activities, but ordinarily the number is larger.

Open and reasonably flat but high ground is often chosen for the booming sites. Unless seriously disturbed by fire or persistent agricultural activity, the same grounds are occupied year after year.

During these periods of courtship which begin early in the morning, the males indulge in a series of dancing and running antics interspersed with boom-

ing and cackling calls, which appear to serve as both a challenge to other males and an exhibition for admiring females. The sight of a hen on the booming grounds will cause all the males to go into their antics hoping to attract the hen to his stand.

Nests are built on the ground and consist of a shallow depression lined with plant materials and feathers from the parent bird. Most of these nests are located close to clumps of grass or brush for protection and concealment.

Once the eggs are laid and hatched, the hen and young move to the summer feeding grounds which might be in the same area of the nest. This brood relationship continues until fall when families join others and form the large flocks seen in the Panhandle and South Plains. The hunting season is held when a few of the birds are coming into the grain fields or are beginning to flock together. The season for 1977 has been set for October 15 and 16.

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Lee McCamish Final Rites Held Monday

Services for Lee McCamish, 72, a longtime Cochran County resident and father of two Muleshoe men, were held at 5 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church at Bledsoe with Rev. Henry Rhynes, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Morton Cemetery under direction of Singleton Funeral Home of Morton. McCamish died about 8:05 p.m. Saturday in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton.

A native of LaFlore, Okla., he moved to Cochran County in 1941. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Ruby; a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Bilbrey of Bledsoe; three sons, Clark and Frank, both of Muleshoe and Herb of Plainview; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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Robbers...

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At 2:30 a.m., the Bovina, Farwell, Texico and Friona officers decided to go to Clovis to drink coffee. As they left the Clovis restaurant at 3:30 a.m., they saw the suspected pickup, which had been left at the farm house headed down the highway into Clovis. In pursuit, the officers stopped the pickup just past Main Street in Clovis, and notified Muleshoe officers before calling Clovis Police who took the two occupants into custody.

In the pickup, the Texas officers found \$102 in cash between the seats and a small bag of marijuana under the floor mat. The two suspects in Clovis were jailed in Clovis awaiting extradition proceedings to bring them back to Texas, and one young man is jailed in Muleshoe.

Apprehended and charged in the armed robbery were Jose Lopez Lopez, Richard Rodriguez and Jacinto Daniel, all of Muleshoe. Officers were expected to return Lopez and Daniel from the Clovis City Police jail in the near future.

School...

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Insurance on the buildings, equipment and transportation, an increase of six percent was approved in an attempt to keep up with inflation. Insurance coverage will also be put up for bids, which will be opened during a special meeting on Monday, June 6.

According to the present inventory, school board members were told that the Muleshoe Independent School District has 22,372 state textbooks, with a total value of \$99,899.58.

Workmen's compensation; Unemployment Compensation and school insurance were also discussed during the meeting, along with pending school legislation.

Enrollment reports and library circulation reports were considered, with the average daily membership in the schools in Muleshoe being reported at 490.80.

Information on a proposed warehouse for the school district was tabled for further study before construction is approved.

Also read to board members was a letter from Jerry B. Robinson, owner of the Ramada Inn at Canon City, Colo. The letter said:

"I am writing to thank you for your band having a meal with us during the Canon City Apple Blossom Festival. I would also like to take this opportunity to point out how well behaved and disciplined your band members were while they were in our motel, they certainly are a good representative of your school and hometown.

"If we can serve you again sometime, we would be most happy to do so."

Muleshoe City officers indicated that armed robbery charges, and theft of the pickup would be filed against the suspects Wednesday morning.

In the meantime, Margaret Lewis, 11 p.m.-7 a.m. clerk at Allsup told officers, "If the good Lord just lets me make it until seven in the morning, I'm not ever coming back here." She was shaken, but physically unharmed in the late armed robbery.

Baby Day...

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pes, wallpaper and equipment. First Baptist Church Pastor J.E. Meeks said the church has adopted nursery policies for the use of the new nursery. Among the policies is that each nursery worker have a health certificate. All of the policies regarding the nursery are for the purpose of protecting the health of the child and for the child's spiritual development, explained the pastor. Copies of the Church's nursery policies are available to interested parents.

He also said that all parents of Nursery age children are welcome to attend the special Baby Day Services.

Violence...

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driving while intoxicated and one for drunk.

Offense reports included a reported burglary from the band hall at Muleshoe High School. Reported missing were several band instruments and \$40 in a moneybag.

Nestor Yruegas of Needmore reported that his home had been entered and two rings and a graduation cap were missing.

Mark Leak reported as missing a 10-speed bicycle and Frank Parker reported a case of oil missing from his pickup.

Paving...

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paved. If every owner in a block does not sign up for the paving, the street (or block) will not be paved. Also, if the bond vote is not approved, the project will not be conducted, as city officials explained, "Paving is the greatest asset a city may have. But, if the property owners fail to approve the paving, the city cannot be responsible for the entire cost of the project."

Polls will open at 7 a.m. on Saturday, May 14, at the Muleshoe City Hall and will close at 7 p.m. Regardless how you vote, exercise your right to vote in the paving bond issue.

Donald Kennedy, FDA Commissioner:

"Our intention is to eliminate the risk of cancer from unnecessary uses of saccharin."

Emergency Loans Available

Emergency loan funds are available from the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) county office in Muleshoe, J. Lynn

Futch, FmHA State director announced Monday. Futch Authorized the loans following a request from the

Drought Emergency Coordinating Committee.

The request for emergency assistance from the Farmers Home Administration came as a result of losses sustained by local farmers hit by the recent drought. The disaster did not affect a large number of farms, but those who were stricken have suffered severe losses, explained Futch.

Farmers can apply for assistance at the FmHA county office at Muleshoe until September 30, 1977. To be eligible for a loan, an applicant must have suffered losses from the disaster and be unable to get credit from other sources.

Loans covering actual losses are made at an interest rate of five percent and are scheduled for repayment as rapidly as feasible consistent with the applicant's reasonable ability. Loans beyond actual losses can be repaid in various periods, depending on the purpose of the loan. The interest rate for short-term loans for farm operating purposes is eight percent, said Futch.

"Emergency loan funds may be used to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, live-stock or to meet interest and depreciation payments on current real estate and chattel debts. A farmer can use the money for essential operating and living costs," Futch added.

Emergency loans can be used to help the farmer restore damaged farm operations and additional loans based upon the emergency designation can be used to make major adjustments in the farming operation for greater efficiency and productivity.

Water District Votes Big Tax Reduction

A 40 percent reduction in taxes was voted by the Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District, No. 1, in their May meeting Tuesday in Lubbock.

The District has operated on a five-cents per \$100-valuation of ad-valorem tax from District residents since 1953. The District has been in existence since 1951, and taxes have never been reduced before in the District's history.

Beginning with the 1977 tax year, the tax rate for District residents will be three cents per \$100-valuation of their ad-valorem taxes.

Board President Webb Gober said, "We think we can operate for a time under this tax rate without curtailing our services."

District Manager Frank Rayner noted that over the years the District's irrigators have grown accustomed to adherence to the District's well spacing and waste abatement rules and that voluntary acquiescence to such rules has made possible a considerable savings in legal fees. He also noted that the District has continued some cost-savings management practices which were initiated in 1969, to reduce the District's outstanding indebtedness at that time. The dedicated funds for building and furnishing the District's new office has continued to grow, however, after all such capital improvements have been paid for, and he added that such funds are, at least temporarily, in excess of the District's present operating needs.

Rayner further noted that the staff salary adjustments and personnel benefits which have been provided by the District since 1969 have not encumbered the District, thereby making this tax cut possible.

All of the District's tax income is derived from the five-cent tax assessed and collected by the individual tax assessor-collectors for each of the 15 counties in the District. The District has no control over the assessment or collection of any of its tax income.

Although the tax rate has not been increased in the District's history, its income has increased annually, with the growth of the area and the higher valuation placed on property within the District by the county tax assessors.

Rayner also noted that additional income to the District is

derived from nominal fees for some specific District services beneficial to only certain segments of the District's residents; such as the District-maintained water-depletion income tax allowance program serving irrigation landowners within the District. He pointed out that this program is now maintained entirely by fees paid by such tax allowance claimants.

Other members of the District's Board of Directors include James Mitchell of Wolforth, vice-president; Selmer Schoenrock of Levelland, secretary-treasurer; Mal Jarboe of Floydada, member; and Ray Gerk of Hereford, member.

Construction Meeting Slated

Rhea E. Bradley, resident engineer and supervisor of a proposed new highway construction project in Bailey and Castro Counties, has scheduled a pre-construction meeting.

He said the meeting is to promote safety to the traveling public and construction personnel and to discuss the project plans, specification and the contractor's plan and schedule of operations.

In Bailey County, the new construction will be a new FM construction, FM 3269 from US Highway 70, three miles east of Muleshoe to South US 84.

The meeting will be at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, May 25 in the basement of the Castro County courthouse at Dimmitt.

All interested citizens will be welcome to attend the meeting, according to the engineer for the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Every now and then we see a program on TV that makes viewing interesting, if you know what we mean.

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SUNDAY FIRE...Firemen Alton Carpenter, foreground and Alan Berry are shown at a fire which left much damage to the Cleve Williams home in north Muleshoe. The fire, of undetermined origin, is under investigation by the fire marshal's office. The portion shown is the garage of the unoccupied home.

Seales New Leader Heart Group

High blood pressure is like a time bomb. It can be silent until it explodes into a crippling or fatal stroke, heart disease or kidney failure. Find out if you are carrying a bomb - have your blood pressure checked, advises Carla Shearer, health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Mrs. Don Seales has been elected 1977-78 president of the Bailey County Division of the American Heart Association. Other officers elected during the annual heart association meeting on May 6 were Joe Harbin, vice president and Mrs. Jerri Wiedebush, secretary-treasurer.

A happy, contented marital relationship allows both husband and wife to grow together and to grow as individuals. That is what liberation is all about, says Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

in the community, home, in school, in industry and the office, is the only way to make the programs of controlling heart disease effective and save thousands of lives each year from heart and circulatory problems," Mrs. Seales added.

Standing committee chairmen for the same term include Mrs. Owen Jones, public education; Ben Yeager, campaign committee; Mrs. D.O. Burelsmith, special events; Mrs. Dean Spraberry, memorials; J.W. Coppedge and M.D. Gunstream, business; Mrs. John Watson, program committee; Owen Jones, clubs and organizations; Mrs. John Watson, schools; Mrs. Rudolph Moraw and Mrs. George Mitchell, neighborhoods; John Black-

well and Jerry Mick, CPR; Dr. Gary Albertson, heart information; Mrs. Robin Taylor, nutrition and Paul Wilbanks and Don Seales, speaker bureau.

Bailey County Division's Highest award, the Distinguished Service Award, was presented Bailey County Electric Cooperative and awards of merit were presented to Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. Owen Jones, Mrs. D.O. Burelsmith, KMUL and Muleshoe Journal. Outgoing officers received awards including Tommy Black and Mrs. Derrell Embry.

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LADY OF THE YEAR...Named as Beta Sigma Phi's Lady of the Year at a luncheon Saturday, May 7, was Mrs. Dorine Harbin. Presenting the award to Mrs. Harbin was Mrs. Ken Box.

West Plains Medical Center Briefs

ADMISSIONS

May 5: Joy Lynne Glover, Rosario Lara, Ethel Carroll, Rosa M. Williams, Lynne Box and Ethel E. Smith.
 May 6: Suzanne Murphy
 May 7: Ona Tiffie
 May 8: Rex Barnett, Iva Noble, and June Saylor.
 May 9: Grace Scarbrough, Oscar Reed, Eloise Gray, Marie Lamb and Noelia Rodriguez.

Effective Vacation Plans

Effective vacation plans can increase enjoyment—and cut spending, says Claudia Kerbel, consumer information specialist.

Ms. Kerbel is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

She recommends "six easy steps" for vacations that succeed:

- * Decide on vacation goals—such as adventure, travel, cultural enrichment, exercise or relaxation.
- * For vacations with friends or the entire family, consider each person's favorite activity, also.
- * Know spending limits—and save ahead or plan the budget carefully for a "vacation on credit." A plan will help combat the overspending temptations.
- * Consider off-season vacations to save money. Many summer resorts have low rates

DISMISSALS

May 6: Pattie McNeil and baby girl, Opal Talley and Rosario Lara (transferred to Lubbock Methodist).
 May 7: Herman Gohlke, Lynne Box, Joy Lynn Glover and baby girl, Grace T. Winn and Bertie A. Alexander.
 May 8: Suzanne Murphy and baby boy.
 May 9: Kathryn Hancock.

GARAGESALE

The Muleshoe Young Homemakers will hold a Garage Sale Saturday, May 14, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The sale will be at the home of Pete Robinson.

Junior-Senior Prom Saturday May 14

The Junior-Senior Prom will be held in the Catholic Center on Saturday, May 14, immediately following the Junior-Senior Banquet and will be from approximately 10:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. All committee chairpersons and their husbands are hosts for the Prom. Mrs. Ernest Ramm, a senior parent, says "All parents of the Juniors and Seniors are invited to drop by the Prom for a few minutes to view the decorations". She adds, "A fee of \$12.50 is asked for each Junior and each Senior, however, if a family contains both a Junior and Senior only one fee is required. A fee of \$5.00 is asked for a date who is not a Junior or Senior." The money may be turned into Mrs. Odell Rasco, Finance Committee chairman, at Cobb's, Mrs. Jesse Bryant at

Dr. Pummill's office, or Mrs. Carl Bamert or Mrs. Ramm. Mrs. Ramm urges all mothers to come to the Catholic Center on Friday and Saturday to complete the decorations for the Prom. Work will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Friday morning. Occia of Littlefield will make the pictures at the Prom. Two poses of each couple will be made. There will be two 5x7's and four billfolds made at a cost of \$6.00 to be paid at the time of the Prom. The Redding Brothers, a versatile band, will entertain.

When a man says money can do anything, that settles it; he hasn't any.

-E.W. Howe.



Keetha Lynette Glover

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Glover of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby girl born May 5, at 10:23 p.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed seven pounds and six ounces and was named Keetha Lynette Glover. The couple have one other daughter, Jonna Glover. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M.G. Killough and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glover, all of Muleshoe. Great grandmother is Mrs. Josie Davis of Wichita Falls.

Kellie Dianne McNeil

Mr. and Mrs. Danny McNeil of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby girl born May 5, at 7:00 a.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed five pounds and two ounces and was named Kellie Dianne McNeil. The couple have two sons, Bobby Dan and Ryan. Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Betty McNeil and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glover, all of Muleshoe. Great grandmother is Mrs. Josie Davis of Wichita Falls.

Adam Michael Murphy

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dale Murphy of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born May 7, at 6:05 a.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed eight pounds and seven ounces and was named Adam Michael Murphy. He is the couple's first child. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Wilson of Bovina, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, Bovina, are paternal grandparents. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elvon Murphy and Elmer Patton, all of Ballinger.

Nathan Wayne Noble

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Noble of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born May 8, at 5:31 p.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed seven pounds and thirteen ounces and was named Nathan Wayne Noble. He has one other brother, Steven Keith Noble. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clawson of Bula, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ben Noble of Blackwell. Great grandmother is Mrs. Bertie Clawson of Littlefield.



SILVER CIRCLE...Receiving her pin and certificate from her daughter, Mrs. Charles Bratcher, left, was Mrs. Eric Smith. She has been a member of Beta Sigma Phi for 25 years and received this recognition Tuesday, May 3, at the Beta Sigma Phi Rituals.

West Camp Places Third In Regional Judging

Residents of West Camp have been informed that they placed third in Regional Community Improvement Program Judging. Third place entitles the West Camp community to \$100. First place went to Wildorado in Oldham County. Prescott in Knox County placed second and Imperial in Pecos County was given fourth place. The West Camp community

will have a "lucky party" to celebrate their third place winning, Saturday, May 14, in the community center. Cake and homemade ice cream will be served. Host couple's will be Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simmarcher and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris.

Overall fuel economy better in '77 cars.



NEW MEMBERS...Initiated into Xi Omicron Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Tuesday, May 3, were from left, Mrs. Tommy Black, Mrs. Danny Noble, Mrs. Monty Dollar and Mrs. Mike Miller.



NEW OFFICERS...Elected and initiated as new officers Tuesday, May 3, were from left, Mrs. Ken Box, treasurer; Mrs. Gary Shipman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Kearney Scoggin, extension officer; and Mrs. Eric Smith, president. Not pictured are Mrs. Spencer Tanksley, vice president; and Mrs. Bob Finney, recording secretary.

Mrs. Eric Smith Initiated Into Silver Circle

Xi Omicron Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, May 3, at the home of Mrs. Eric Smith for Rituals. Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. Tom Jinks and Mrs. Spencer Tanksley were hostesses. Six new members were initiated into Xi Omicron Xi. Those receiving their Exemplar Degrees were Mrs. Danny Noble, Mrs. Monty Dollar, Mrs. Tommy Black, Mrs. Mike Miller, Mrs. Ted Barnhill and Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs. Mrs. Charles Pummil installed new officers. They are Mrs. Eric Smith, president; Mrs. Spencer Tanksley, vice president; Mrs. Bob Finney, recording secretary; Mrs. Gary Shipman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Ken Box, treasurer; and Mrs. Kearney Scoggin, extension officer. Mrs. Eric Smith was initiated into the Silver Circle of Beta

Sigma Phi by her daughter, Mrs. Charles Thatcher, of Xi Lambda chapter in Portales, N.M. Mrs. Smith has been a Beta Sigma Phi for 25 years. Following the rituals, new committees were assigned. Mrs. Ken Box reported that the Read-A-Thon for Multiple Sclerosis has collected about \$1,769. Mrs. Smith presented Mrs. Doyce Turner her pin and charm for being elected as the chapters' Girl of the Year. The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 17, when Secret Sisters will be revealed. Hostesses served a decorated cake honoring Mrs. Smith, finger sandwiches, nuts, mints, lemonade and coffee to Mrs. Charles Thatcher. Mrs. Max King, Mrs. Bob Finney, Mrs. Charles Pummil, Mrs. Tom Jinks, Mrs. Don Rempe, Mrs. Marcia Henry, Mrs. Gary Shipman, Mrs. Doyce Turner, Mrs. Danny Noble, Mrs. Monty Dol-

lar, Mrs. Kearney Scoggin, Mrs. Tommy Black, Mrs. Mike Miller, Mrs. Ted Barnhill, Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs and Mrs. Eric Smith.

MORE TO GARDENING THAN PLANTING—General maintenance practices should not be overlooked once a vegetable garden is planted, points out a horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. First of all, thin plant seedlings to a proper stand. It's often better to pinch off unwanted plants than to pull them up. Sidedress root and leafy crops with nitrogen fertilizer—two to three pounds per 100 feet of row. Tomatoes and okra can use a sidedressing of a complete fertilizer—also two to three pounds per 100 feet of row. Keeping the garden weed-free is important—mulching with straw, compost, leaves or old newspapers will help keep weeds down as well as conserve moisture. Finally, harvest vegetables at their peak of quality.

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RECIPE

By Sarah Ann Sheridan

Pound cake seems to be the choice of many cake lovers. There are many recipes to choose from.

Buttermilk Pound Cake

1/2 c butter or margarine
 1/2 c shortening
 2 c sugar
 4 eggs
 3 c sifted flour
 1/2 t baking powder
 1/2 t soda
 1/2 t salt
 1 c buttermilk
 2 t lemon flavoring

Glaze

5 T orange juice
 5 T lemon juice
 1 box confectioners sugar
 Cream butter, shortening and sugar. Add eggs, one at the time, and beat well after each. Sift dry ingredients together. Add lemon flavoring to buttermilk. Alternate flour mixture and buttermilk, adding to egg mixture. Bake in greased and floured tube pan for 1 hour at 325 degrees. Cool.

Beat the glaze until well mixed, pour over cool cake and return to oven for about 10 minutes.

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RIBBON CUTTING OPENS BUSINESS...Ribbon cutting ceremonies were conducted Saturday morning for Ana's House of Beauty, which had a reception following the ceremony. Pictured from left are Harvey Bass, Chamber of Commerce; Ana Gonzales, owner; Howard Watson, president, Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and Ken Henry, Muleshoe mayor.

Lazbuddie Young Homemakers Elect Officers

A salad luncheon ended the year for the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers, Thursday, May 5. Mrs. Harrol Redwine, president, was presented a gift from the Young Homemakers for their appreciation of her work during the year. She presented the members with a cake inscribed, "Thank You Young Homemakers".

A business meeting was held following the luncheon. Gifts purchased for the Homemaking Department were shown to members. Several items of gym equipment purchased for the elementary school were also shown.

New committees were signed up. Officers for 1977-78 were elected. They are Mrs. Jim Collum, president; Mrs. Lloyd Bradshaw, vice president; Mrs. Clay Mimms, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Skip Magby, historian;

and Mrs. Ronald Mayfield, reporter.

A coke party was held in appreciation for the FHA girls. Approximately 30 girls attended.

Those attending were Mrs. Jim Collum, Mrs. Clay Mimms, Mrs. Harrol Redwine, Mrs. Jimmy Dale Seaton, Mrs. Darrel Mason, Mrs. Robert Gallman, Mrs. Lloyd Bradshaw, Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Jr., Mrs. Joe Burnett, Mrs. Skip Magby, Mrs. Ronald Mayfield, and Mrs. Bill Morris, sponsor.

Visitors attending were Alene

Elastic

Teacher: "What is it that binds us together, sustains us, and makes us even better than nature intended?"
Tommy: "Girdles."

Mike Jones, President Of Alpha Phi Omega

Mike Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, was recently elected president of Alpha Phi Omega, National service fraternity at West Texas State University at Canyon. Jones is a 1974 graduate of Muleshoe High School and will be a senior Journalism major at WTSU. He has been in Alpha Phi Omega for three years and other offices he has held include historian-

quartermaster, corresponding secretary, and most recently, first vice president.

Alpha Phi Omega is based on the ideals of scouting and is officially recognized by the Boy Scouts of America. Jones is an Eagle Scout and is presently Scoutmaster of Troop 132 of the Llano Estacado Council in Amarillo.

Sudan Eighth Grade Banquet Held Recently

Eighth grade banquet was held recently in the cafeteria with the traditional Hill Billy theme. Tables were covered with funny papers as cloths with festive napkins. Appetizer table was in the entrance and apple juice was served from that in long stemmed glasses that Martha Markham had painted for each member of the class. Other decorations included a clothes line with washing on it and murals relating to hillbillies. The program was presented with Odell Johnson, class president as master of ceremonies. He gave the welcome with Mike Hill giving the Invocation. The class will be read by Cathy Ham, Reagan May and Gloria Martinez. The class prophecy was read by Laurie VanDyck, Lynn Williams and Joey Bellar. Class History was read by Dan Messamore, Marilyn May and Lee Markham. Jean Muller gave the Benediction. The entertainment

was a guitar and vocal group consisting of Kevin Pickrell and Terry Swart, dressed as hillbillies. The servers were also dressed in Hillbilly costumes or "Daisey Mae" with red and white checked shirts, jean cut offs and barefooted. They were Dale Jefferson, Dale Harper, Laura Powell, and Jeannie Nix. The programs had been made by Waynette Fisher and had a drawing of a hillbilly shack on front of each one.

Versatile bacon can add interest to any meal of the day. It's a natural with eggs and cheese, and its hardwood smoke flavor blends well with vegetables and with rice and macaroni products to make economical, satisfying meals, says Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Consumer Food News

A fast-approaching "new crop" season will see "fresh" changes in grocery market choices—and that is causing shoppers to take a sharp look at current storage stock supplies in the meantime, one expert says.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, reports the following grocer-buying summary:

VEGETABLES
Eggplant supplies are increasing with prices "moderate," potato prices are steady or slightly lower. Rutabagas, hard-shell squash, sweet potato supplies smaller, so compare price with quality carefully. Other economical choices are cabbage, carrots, broccoli, collards, mustard greens and turnip and green.

FRUITS
Avocados in good supply, more pineapples in markets from Mexico and Hawaii (Hawaiian pineapples usually fine in quality, large in size, though prices may be higher than pineapples from other areas), and strawberries have moderate prices with very good quality. Valencia and navel oranges in good supply, but grapefruit declining seasonally, except for good supply of #23 and #36 sizes at featured prices. Anjou pears in good supply with reasonable prices. Honeydews, cantaloupes and watermelons available mostly at high-price levels.

High-heeled shoes

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — A physical rehabilitation specialist at The University of Texas feels sorry for women who wear high-heeled shoes. Prof. Karl K. Klein says high heels keep the calf muscle in a constantly shortened state, adding that as "the heels go up, the back goes forward and low back stress begins to appear." The professor believes stresses caused by posture imbalances can be responsible for heart conditions, arthritis and rheumatism.

In a recent lecture he reported that chronic low back stress is the leading (but not most serious) medical problem in the U.S. resulting in most time lost from work and most insurance paid.

Jimmy Carter, President: "Our solutions must ask equal sacrifices from every region, every class of people, every interest group."

GROCERY MARKET AISLES

Features are a variety of canned vegetables—along with pork and beans, rice and peanut butter. In frozen food chests, features may include vegetables, orange juice, strawberries and dinner entrees.

CONSUMER WATCHWORDS: Prices on "pre-packaged apples" are similar to prices of recent weeks—but prices for "bulk apples" are creeping upward as the season progresses.

The man or woman without faith in anything or anyone gives evidence against himself or herself.

Sudan Band Banquet Held Last Week

The Band banquet was held Friday, April 28 in the school cafeteria with some 105 persons attending. The hall was decorated in black and gold with large gold letters. A large "Sweepstakes" was on the front of the room surrounded with black No. 1s on one wall was a black background with large gold letters spelling out "WE DID IT" and gold NO. 1s and gold happy faces with the names of a band member on each one. Tables were covered in white with gold runners with musical staff and gold candles centered in black holders. Name plates were in black letters on large gold 1s. The center of interest was a white gazebo holding the scrap books and the Sweepstakes Trophy along with the other trophies won this year. Bert Byerley introduced the guests which included Band parents, organization officers and husband or wife, school administrators and their wives and publishers of the Sudan Beacon News, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Freedman, Martha Withrow gave the invocation before the meal that consisted of chicken fried steak, salad, green beans, potatoes, ice tea and ice cream. Following the meal, Director Bob Bryant presented the awards. One group was the "Booby Awards" for some of the "goofs" during the year—Melody Poe received a roll of tape to tape up her mouth before leaving on trips—as she is always talking—Bernadette May received a pair of "no Nonsense panty hose due to always having a runner in her hose before each performance; Lee Markham received a pillow to sit on so that he will be able to see over the others on the band trips. Awards were also presented to the outstanding members with the Most coveted of all—The John

Phillip Sousa Award going to Gary Ham, Skokie King, for the third year in a row received the "most spirited" award. The best section award went to the members of the Cornet section; Best Marching went to Jarod Withrow and Most Improved bandsman, Steve Ritchie. Officers for the new year were also announced with Bert Byerley President; Barry Wiseman, Vice president; Martha Withrow, Secretary Treasurer; Uniform Lieutenant, Roy Don Dudgeon; Loading Lieutenant, Steve Ritchie, Bus Captains, Randy Scott, Michael Jones, John Cheston with alternates, Ray Dudgeon and Mike DeLoach; Chaplain, Jarod Withrow and Historian, Skokie King. Twirlers for the 1977-78 year will be Paula Ellison, J'Lee Muller, Marilyn May with Drum majors, Martha Withrow and Skokie King.

COLOR LANDSCAPE WITH ANNUAL FLOWERS—Spring comes alive with the addition of flowering annuals to color your landscape, says a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Annual flowers are excellent for use along footpaths or fences, around the patio or to trim the side of the home. They do best in a well-drained, fertile bed. Place taller plants in back in the bed to keep them from overpowering smaller annuals. If the bed will be viewed from all sides, place tall plants in the middle. Apply about two pounds of a complete fertilizer per 100 square feet once a month.

Traffic's Light Rancher: "What kind of saddle do you want—with or without a horn?"
Dude: "Might as well have one without. Doesn't seem to be much traffic out here."



EYE CLINIC...Being checked at the Eye Clinic for pre-school children at Richland Hills Elementary was Jennv Kropp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kropp. Helping her was Mrs. Lindy Chancy, president of the PTA, which sponsored the clinic Friday, May 6.

Bong Talent Show Held In Sudan

The Bong Talent show was held last Thursday night April 28 when several groups or individuals participated. This was sponsored by the local FHA girls and proceeds went for costs and prizes for the show. Judges were Bob Bryant, Jimmy Ford, Buddy Lowrance and Susan Baker. Although every act was good and are commended for their efforts. First place winner was Gary Ham and Terry Swart for their rendition of vocalising, accompany them-

ves on the guitars. Second place was a tie with Lisa Bishop for her performance "Make 'Em Laugh" an acrobatic act and Terry Swart singing "If" accompanying himself on the guitar. Worst act went to Bernadette May for "Bernie and Her Box" and for her performance she received 100 suckers. This was a great success and everyone is looking forward to having another one of these shows in the near future.

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MORE READING WINNERS... More Mary DeShazo reading winners were photographed. They are, from left, Armando Toscano, second; Cynthia Reyna and Theresa Coleman, tie for third and Hector Garcia, fourth.

Bula News
By
Mrs. J. Blackman

Miss Oralia Davila, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davila of Bula, was among the students, who received recognition of outstanding scholastic achievements in vocational nursing at South Plains College, awards assembly on April 28th.

Miss Davila is currently receiving her clinical training at the Highland Hospital in Lubbock. She will be continuing with her training thru the summer months and will take her state board exam in October, to qualify her as a licensed vocational nurse.

Miss Davila is listed as Who's Who among the students at South Plains.

She is a freshman student at South Plains College, coming from the Threeway High School, where she was valedictorian of the '75 graduation class. On her graduation from high school she received several honor awards among those was a \$400 scholarship award from the Bailey County Electric Association and the Five Area Telephone Co-op.

During her four years of high school she was very active in sports, FHA work, cheer-leader two years, class officer and Bula-Enochs Lions Queen her senior year.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Harlan are real excited to hear their daughter and husband and little daughter Meloni, will be moving to Levelland, on 20th of this month. He has been connected with the Church of Christ in Rankin for the past six months. He will resume the duties as youth minister at the Austin Street Church of Christ in Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bryan accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neel of Friona drove to Sweetwater Saturday and attended the Teston family reunion Sunday held in the community building there. Thirty-four relatives were in attendance. The honored guest was Mrs. Edna Kelly of Hamby, Tex. who is 96 years young, and still maintains her home.

Mrs. D.J. Cox, accompanied by Mrs. Bill Dolle, Mrs. Ted Simpson, Mrs. Nelson Carslie and Mrs. Butch Tucker of Maple, all attended the Vacation Bible School work shop, at the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock Monday evening.

Visiting with the J.C. Withrows Sunday afternoon were two daughters and their family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Price and children Timmy and Beckey. This was Beckey's first visit to see her grandparents, since she is just two weeks old. Also Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson of Muleshoe.

Earl Huffman, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. V.C. Weaver, who was seriously injured in a car wreck three weeks ago, continues to be hospitalized in a San Antonio Hospital, and slowly showing some progress in recovery.



WEE CARE... First Baptist Church of Muleshoe Offer a program call WEE CARE for Pre-School 1 and Toddlers in their new nursery. Pictured are, Clay Grant, Gina Jarman, Mark Hicks, Kyle Kensmore, Lori Black, Mrs. B.H. Black, Mrs. Clinton Kennedy and Mrs. Keith Turner, in the picture at left. Above Mrs. Hazel Riddle holds Kendra Carter, while also shown are Amy McMann and Reese Hillin.

On Wall Street
By Bob Hill

The stock market seems to have a bad case of the jitters lately. Investors seemed concerned about the Federal Reserve's tightening of the money supply and moving short term rates it charges member banks higher. Despite good economic news, the financial markets are skittish and that skittishness may spread down through the economy.

The two main factors affecting Wall Street's nervousness is uncertainly over the direction of government policies and fears of another wave of inflation. President Carter has made assurances that his policies were the kind on which business could make plans confidently. But the programs, out of necessity, have been complex with the result that the stock market has been backing and filling.

The promotion of the comprehensive energy program seems to have added to the uncertainty. The simultaneous dropping of the tax rebate caused the sharpest week drop in consumer confidence in 22 years, says one

public opinion polster.

The cancellation of the \$50 tax rebate pleased businessmen but when President Carter withdrew support of the investment tax credit, it made it tougher for businessmen to firm up capital spending plans.

The energy package, complex and controversial, faces a tough road in Congress. This increases business reluctance to start capital expansion outlay.

The anti-inflation program is purely voluntary, the way business and labor want it to be. But, there is a lingering suspicion that President Carter, despite frequent disavowals, may ultimately move to wage and price controls. Last week he moved to put a lid on hospital costs.

Most economic signs are favorable now. Forecasters point to booming sales of automobiles and other consumer durable goods, the sharp rise in housing starts in March and a first quarter surge in employment. They also point to a 43 percent spurt in machine tool orders in March.

There's A Way
If computers get too powerful, we can organize them into committees. That'll do them in.
-Washington Post.

The Speaker Reports
by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN--The weekly House Prayer Breakfast has become an institution in the Texas House of Representatives over the past 15 years and during this legislative session the half-hour session has been especially well attended.

Every Tuesday morning before 7:30 about 20 to 25 House members can usually be found around the dining table in the Speaker's Apartment.

One member leads off with a short devotional. The rest of the time is spent

working around the table with each member having an opportunity to express his or her thoughts. Such a crowd usually gathers that in order to have a chance to say anything it is best to get there early. I find this a unique opportunity for colleagues to meet. I think it often makes it easier for members in their dealings on the floor when the bitter cup must necessarily be passed.

Members of all faiths and all ethnic groups and political parties in the House are represented. Each week the member who brings that week's devotional appoints the leader for the coming week.

When the breakfast started several years ago there were three members who

attended. That number has varied from session to session with the average being about a dozen. We have also tried meeting with other groups and in places outside the Capitol, but invariably it has come back to the House and to the members themselves.

I believe that any time one-fifth of the House membership can come together and relate with each other and renew their faith, then we have laid the groundwork for the tough decisions that must necessarily be made by the House concerning the affairs of Texas.

I see the continued health of the prayer breakfast as an encouraging sign of the strength of our House membership.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
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AUSTIN — Texas has a brand new world filibuster champ — Sen Bill Meier of Eules.

Meier, 36, with 43 hours of (nearly) continuous oratory, broke the old record set in 1972 by former Sen. Mike McKool of Dallas.

A scholarly Fort Worth area lawyer, Meier is a sharp contrast to McKool. He stands six feet two inches tall and weighs in at 190. McKool is five feet three, and was 53 at the time he set his 42 hours, 33 minutes filibuster record.

Meier's strenuous verbal attack was leveled against a section of a workers' compensation law revision bill which closed job injury records of the state Industrial Accident Board to firms which copy and sell the data to employers.

"This is nothing more than the first chink in the Open Records Act," said Meier. "What do you say to other agencies which demand similar exemptions?"

Although unsuccessful in stopping or altering the bill he opposed, Meier said he thinks his filibuster served a purpose.

"You can talk to the House through a filibuster — and to the people of the state," said Meier. "I hope the bill doesn't go through the House with the same meteoric speed it went through the Senate."

Sen. Ray Farabee of Wichita Falls, sponsor of the workers' compensation revision, said the bill would close job injury files only to those who would use them for commercial purposes. He said other sections would save employers \$35 million in insurance premiums.

Budgets Move
The House finally agreed on a \$15.3 billion biennial

state budget bill after a tedious eight solid days of debate, during which \$362.1 million was shaved from Appropriations Committee spending proposals.

Senators this week got down to work on their own version in order to get the heavy financial duties of the legislative session in the hands of a conference committee as fast as possible.

The Senate, meanwhile, is awaiting debate on an \$820 million school finance bill.

Injections OK'd

A bill to substitute deadly injections for the electric chair as the legal means of executing condemned criminals in Texas has been sent to the governor.

Texas, thus, may become the first state to carry out court-ordered death penalty sentences by means of drug injections.

Assuming signature by Gov. Dolph Briscoe, the bill (HB 945) by Rep. Ben Z. Grant of Marshall would go into effect 90 days after the session closes May 30.

The legislation changes the method of execution in Texas for the first time in more than half a century.

Tax Reform Dead?

A far-reaching property tax reform bill passed by the House appears doomed in the Senate.

Hearing was delayed until late this week, and the sponsor Rep. Wayne Peveto, irate over continued opposition of some senators, threatened to force their bills off the House local calendar in retaliation.

Sen. Tom Creighton of Mineral Wells said he would make no effort to

move the measure out of his Senate committee until sponsors can show him 21 votes to pass it on the floor.

AG Opinions

Legislators are prevented from representing prison inmates for a fee in private interviews with the Board of Pardons and Paroles, Atty. Gen. John Hill stated.

Hill said the board can forbid lawmakers from representing the inmates for pay in proceedings which are either non-adversary or non-public.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

The legislature is free to change the name of the Texas Railroad Commission to the Energy and Transportation Commission.

The family code requires the reporting of sexual abuse, failure to provide adequate food, clothing and shelter, and any conduct sufficient for termination of a parent-child relationship.

Courts Speak

In spite of soaring gas rate increases since 1973, the Texas Supreme Court held Lo-Vaca Gathering Company and Coastal States Gas Producing Company don't owe Lower Colorado River Authority any damage awards.

An Amarillo policeman was upheld by the Supreme Court in an appeal from a discharge order by his chief for testifying that a convicted robber had a good reputation for telling the truth.

The high court upheld a New York Life Insurance Company decision not to pay off on a policy covering a 22-year-old Texan who died in 1975.

Short Snorts

State Insurance Board Chairman Joe Christie is fighting a bill passed by the Senate to rescind board control over health insurance policy standards.

Mixed drink collections for the first quarter of 1977 totalled \$12.5 million — up 23.8 per cent over the same period in 1976.

Cullen Smith of Waco is new president-elect of the State Bar of Texas, and John Comper of San Antonio is president-elect of the junior bar.

Atty. Gen. Hill named Ruth Forbis Kirby of Littlefield to the State School Land Board and Liz Carpenter of Austin to the board for lease of State Park Lands.

Construction in Texas reached an all-time record level during March, University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Gov. Briscoe asked designation of Bastrop and Ward counties as disaster areas due to weather conditions.

The Senate voted to extend the ban on smoking to fabric, dry goods and clothing stores — except in restricted areas. The bill is now in the House.

Collecting art

AUSTIN, Texas. (Sp.) — More than 20 students in a new course at the University of Texas this spring were given an imaginary \$5,000 to "spend" for art works.

The course, Collecting Contemporary Art for the Beginner, was designed to acquaint non-art majors with art terms, techniques, dealers and private collections so they will be confident about collecting works of art for their future homes or offices. Each student, as part of his grade, has to justify his art purchases.

Among other things, the course has taught students "you can't buy a genuine signed Picasso print for \$75, including the frame," says Dr. Kenneth Prescott, who conducted the class.

Seven Missionaries killed in Rhodesia.

Enochs News

By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

The nomination committee as appointed by Lion Bess Pollard met Friday night April 15th at 8:00 p.m. in the Bula School Cafeteria. The Committee was composed of: D.J. Cox, Harold Pollard, R.T. Newton, and G.O. Smith.

The slate of officials for the 1977-78 Lions Year are as follows: Carl Hall President, G.O. Smith Secretary, J.D. Rowland, 1st Vice President, J.C. Snitker, 2nd Vice President, Jerry Cox 3rd Vice President, Lester Bounds, Treasurer, Ivan Clawson, Tail Twister, Bill Thornton, Assistant Tail Twister, Larry Clawson Lion Tamer, J.D. Rowland, song leader, Charlie Shaw, Chaplain, Bula Lions directors: Harold Pollard, Chairman; D.J. Cox, Rudolph Moraw, C.C. Snitker and R.T. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Newton of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newton and son Barry of Three Way were guests in the home of their parents Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Petree at Clovis, N.M. Friday.

Mrs. E.N. McCall and Mrs. Fred Locker visited their aunts, Mrs. Pearl Nighten, and Mrs. Lissie Maxwell last Sunday and Monday Ft. Sumner, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Peterson drove to Bynum, Monday to visit their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Harold Abney. Mr. Peterson returned home Friday. Mrs. Peterson stayed for an extended visit to care for the new grandbaby.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless visited in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon with his brother, Roy Bayless and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Coffman.



WINNING MATH CONTESTS... Winners in the math contests at Mary DeShazo Elementary school were Greg Haney, left, third; Agelino Flores, center, second and Diana Toscano, right, first place.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Sumpte from Reydon, Oklahoma. His mother, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Kelse of Lubbock, were dinner guests Sunday and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Crecker of Tucumcari, N.M. were enroute from Dallas and stopped in for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox drove to Pep, N.M. Sunday afternoon and visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tivis.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Abney of Bynum, are the parents of a baby daughter, her name is Kristen D'Netta, she was born Wednesday, April 27th, she weighed six pounds and one ounce and was 18 inches long, she has one brother, Coby. Rev.

Abney is pastor at the Baptist Church at Bynum.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Newton helped their grandson, Barry Newton celebrate his second birthday with a dinner and a party Sunday afternoon at their sons home, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newton at Three Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ingram are vacationing in Austin this week with their son and family the Roy Ingrams.

Mrs. Ves Terry has returned home after a seven weeks vacation in Hot Springs and Fayetteville, Arkansas and in Okla. City and Duncan Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Boyles of Okla. City returned home with her visited during the weekend.

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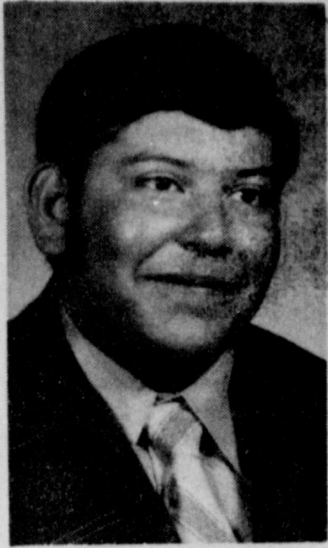
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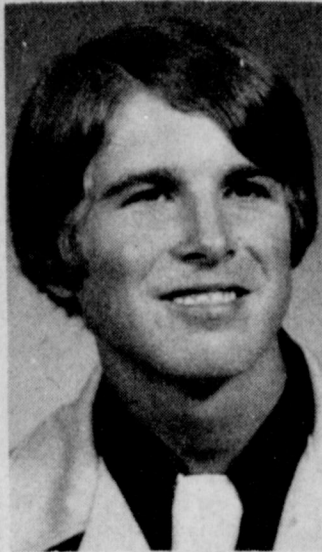
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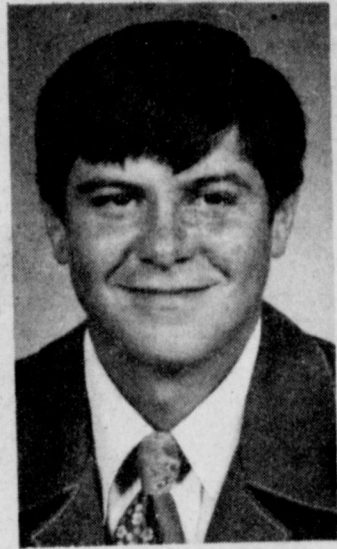
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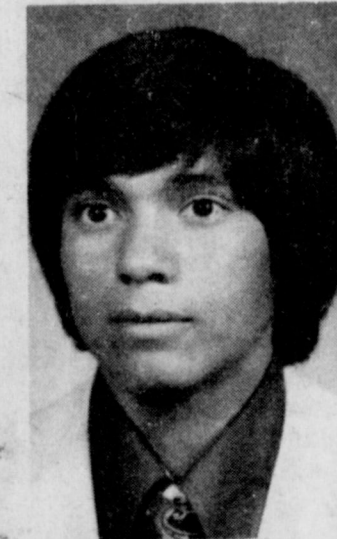
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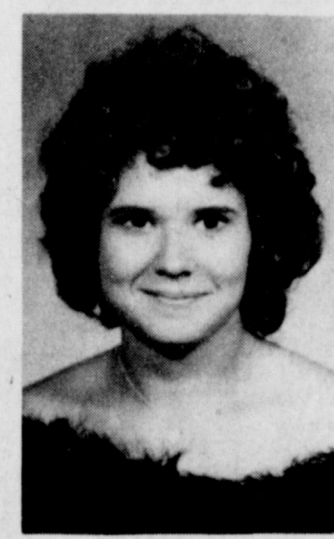
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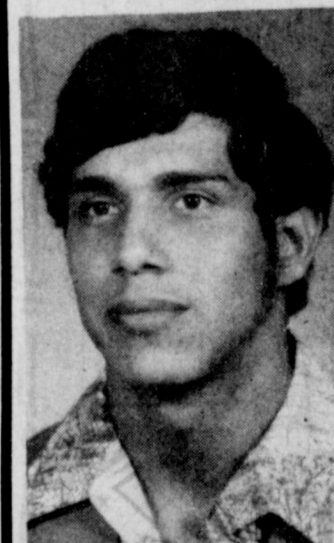
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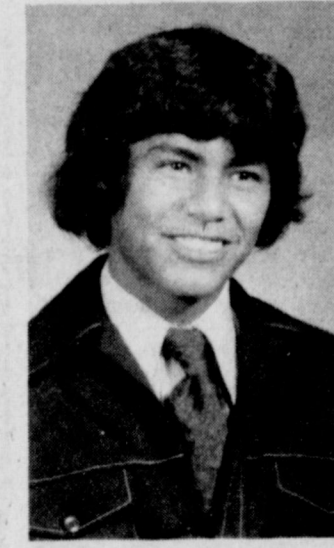
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The Sandhills Philosopher

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Creek discusses a Presidential problem this week, sort of.

Dear editor:
According to an article I read in a newspaper the other day, President Carter is getting about 75,000 letters a week from people around the country. It might be even more, but you know how the mail service is these days.

Anyway, I got to thinking about this. Seventy-five thousand letters! If each letter averages just 100 words, that's 7,500,000 words or, divided into books of 50,000 words each, 150 books.

Now no man can read 150 books a week and still have time to run the country and teach a Sunday School class too. So obviously somebody else reads the letters and answers them. It's like nine million people trying to call the President when he held his famous phone-in a while back. Only about a dozen actually got to talk to him. Those 75,000 letters a week constitute a problem for which I have no solution. It's one of those problems like energy or the Middle East which, after you get through stating it, you're too tired to go any further.

But speaking of mail, I understand some people are suggesting the post office department adopt an electronic system of delivering letters. Instead of being actually carried from one town to another, the letter is photographed and transmitted by wire to its destination, where another machine reproduces it exactly like you wrote it and seals it. A mailman then delivers it to the proper address, as soon as he can get around to it.

The system has a few drawbacks, like what about privacy, although I guess clerks could be required to turn out the lights when they're feeding your letter into the transmitting machine so they couldn't see what you wrote.

This reminds me of an experience a depot agent in a small town had back in the days when we had trains and the agent, being the only telegrapher in town, handled telegrams.

One cold rainy day he received a telegram on his wires for a woman. He telephoned her and said he had a telegram for her but since it was too cold and rainy outside for her to come by and pick it up, would she like for him to read it to her?

"Don't you dare open my telegram!" she shouted.
Yours faithfully,
J.A.



CONTEST WINNERS FOR READING... Winning prizes in reading at Mary DeShazo School recently were Mike Pecina, center, grand prize; Wes Hanks, left and Lester Burks, right.

Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mitsy Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Robertson of Maple won second place in the Ralph Edwards music festival in Truth or Consequences, N.M. in her age group. Mitsy has been a violin student of Mrs. George Tyson the past few years. Mitsy was accompanied to N.M. by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Merriot of Causey N.M.

Award Assembly at South Plains college in Levelland honored three Three Way graduates last week. Students honored were, Debra Burkett in Computer information, Oralia Davala in vocational nursing and Dan Simpson in Agrobusiness. Two Three Way graduates made the Who Who in American colleges were Avalina Estrada and Dan Simpson.

The Three Way Trustees and faculty honored the Three Way seniors with a banquet in the Electric building in Littlefield Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller from Lawton Okla. is visiting their sister Mrs. Minnie Dupler.

H.W. Garvin is home after several weeks in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton.

Several people from Morton, Muleshoe and other areas helped clean up after the tornado destroyed houses and the Ag shop at Three Way last Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox and children from Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelley from Morton visited in the H.W. Garvin home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson spent the week end in Lubbock with their daughter the Tommy Durhams. Also visiting in the Tommy Durham home was Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Williams and boys from Enochs and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tyson and family from Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler were in Lubbock Wednesday visiting their sons the James and Ray Fowler families.

A Big Question
"What," someone asked a Congressional candidate, "will you do if you're elected?"
"Good gracious!" exclaimed the startled candidate. "What will I do if I'm not?"

Mrs. Jack Reeves spent the week end in Lubbock with Mrs. R.L. Reeves who is a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Several from the community were in Lubbock shopping Saturday.

Bessie Myers Funeral Held On Saturday

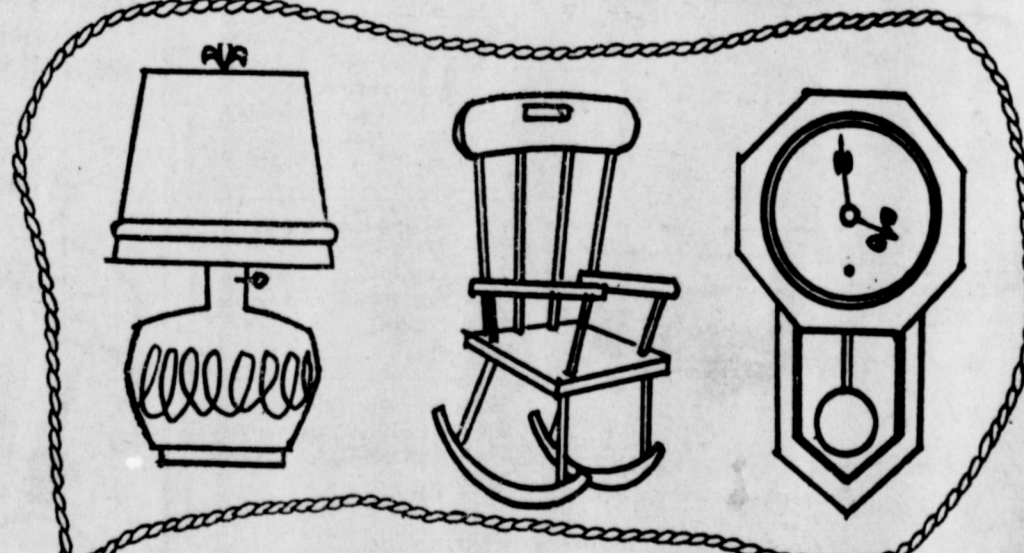
Bessie Haines Myers died May 5 at Coon Memorial Nursing Home in Dalhart. She had made her home in Muleshoe with her daughter, Zida Mae Black, for many years since her husband's death.

Bessie Haines Myers was born in Montague Co., Texas on June 29, 1893. Funeral services were Saturday in First Baptist Church, Muleshoe, with the pastor, J.E. Meeks, officiating, assisted by Rev. David Everts, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church. Burial was in Muleshoe Cemetery under Direction of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home of Amarillo, assisted by Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Survivors include three daughters, Zida Mae Black of Muleshoe and Artie Kelley of Dalhart and Madgie Beauchamp of Sudan and two sons, Jim Haines of Los Lunas, N.M. and George Haines of Amarillo; eleven grandchildren, seventeen great-grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

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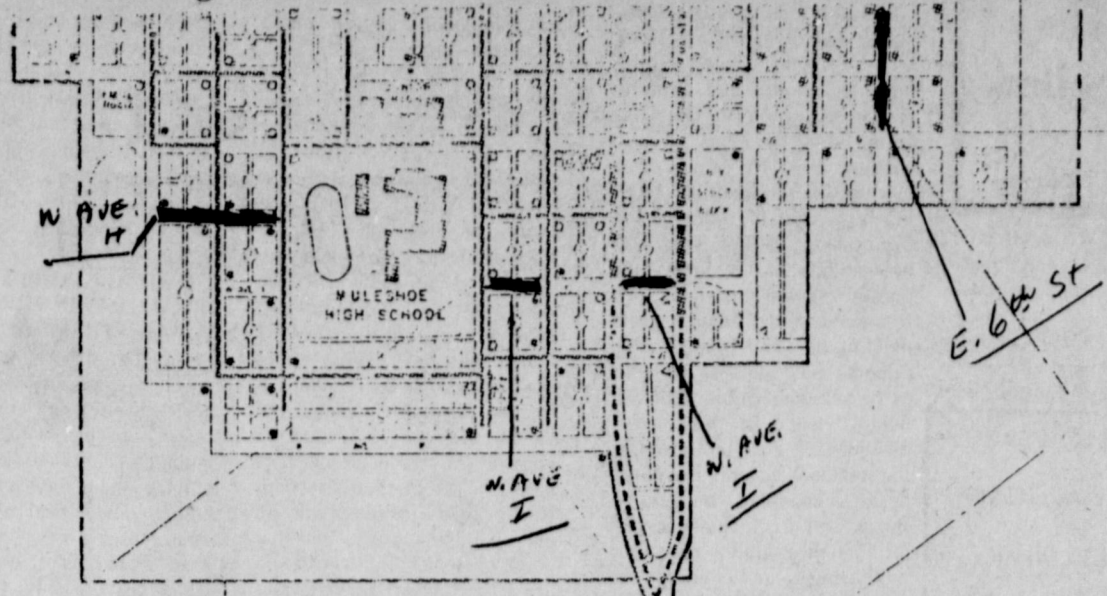
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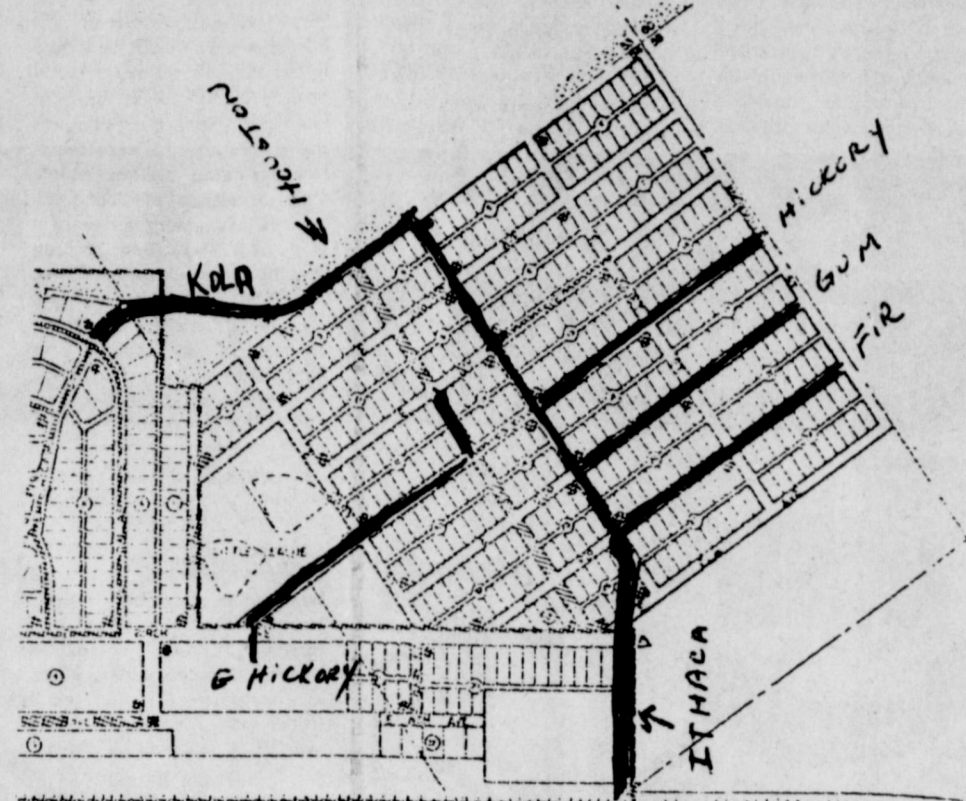
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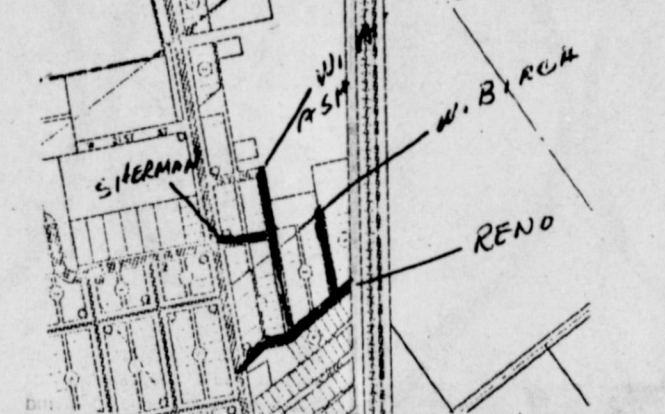
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A--Any VA office will provide a form on which he may request a duplicate from the National Personnel Records Center in St. Louis. In addition, if the former service person had his discharge recorded with his county upon separation from service, he may be able to get a copy from that source.

Q--How much burial expense is paid by VA upon the death of an honorably separated wartime veteran?
A--A burial allowance not to exceed \$250 plus an amount not to exceed \$150 toward cost of a burial plot or interment if not buried in a national cemetery. Payment not to exceed \$800 may be made if the veteran's death is found by VA to be service-connected. Additionally, transportation costs are paid in certain instances.

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May God bless each of you.
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Sudan News

By Evelyn Ritchie

Mrs. Rhoda Minyard, Louise Gatewood and Gladys Terry were in Littlefield Saturday for dinner at K-Bobs

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walden, Mrs. Rhoda Minyard, Mrs. Virginia Rone and Mrs. Gladys Terry were all in Muleshoe Sunday for dinner at the Corral. Also having dinner there Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Nickels, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wilson, Mrs. Mable Reed and Mrs. Pauline Williams.

Sunday visitors in Sudan were Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Pickett and daughter, Lori and friends. Lori presented a concert "My Best Friend" at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Engram returned home Saturday from vacationing in Austin with their son Roy and family and in Euless with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baccus and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kropp were in Possum Kingdom last week for a vacation. They visited with her mother and sisters and families also.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty were in Midland during the weekend to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Gore and Stephanie.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike O'Rear were in Minden, La. during the recent spring break to visit his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.N. O'Rear and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Doyle S. Brown Monroe, La. to visit his sister Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Barnard and family, Ashdown, Arkansas to visit his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. S.T. Johnson and children; and in Paris, Texas to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Noel E. Byars and children.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson and family were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Henderson.

BIBLE VERSE

"No servant can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon."
1. Locate this verse.
2. Who spoke these words?

Answers To Bible Verse
1. Luke 15:13.
2. Jesus.

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From The Pastors Desk by Rev. David Evetts

THE MAN DOWN AND OUT: Luke 15:16 "He would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat: and no man gave unto him." Let us go out into the field and interview a man: A few days ago this man

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left his father's house with a high head, a proud walk, and a pocket full of money. He took the trail that leads to the far-away country and soon he was in that country. The situation with him has greatly changed now. He is now in a most miserable condition - feeding hogs with the odor of the pen upon his clothes. There are no comforts of life now - his pocketbook will not stand such treatment. What awful regrets must fill his soul! What terrible remorse must gnaw at his heart as he remembers his "Riotous living," when he threw away money like it grew on trees. Oh, but now look at him! His hat is of the highest grade - they need half-soling - and shining and new strings. His shirt is woven of soft silk, but it is split and torn and sorely needs a trip to the laundry. His trousers are from the most expensive clothiers and are made from the finest fabric - but they need a trip to the cleaners. Yes, he is

like the man passing from Jerusalem to Jericho - he had fallen among thieves. The husks spoken of were pods of the Crab Tree - eaten by the poorest people. The picture given here is: "He is eating whatever he can find to eat." His food consists of scraps and left-overs. I would like to have seen the expression on the face of Jesus when He said: "He would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat: and no man gave unto him" I think it must have been a look of utter disgust. Jesus is saying in the most simple fashion: that the tendency of sin is toward the hopen. All sin what ever its nature leads in that direction. Not all people who go out into sin end up in the hog pen - but that is the tendency of all sin. If you are living in sin, playing with sin, embracing it and walking in its way, you are on your way to wretchedness. You may never reach it as this man did - but if you live long enough and travel fast enough you will be in the hopen on schedule. The sorest results of sin are not physical.

This man not only had his feet in the pigsty, but his heart's affections were there also. He not only had the odor of the pen on his clothes - but his thoughts were unholy and unclean. His garments were not only torn, but there was confusion, conflict and unrest in his soul. My dear friends when sin is finished it brings death, destruction and poverty.

THERE ARE THREE KINDS OF POVERTY IN THE WORLD TODAY: - THERE IS MENTAL POVERTY. There are great areas of this world where ignorance, vice, and superstition reign supreme. People know nothing of the forces of nature, nothing about themselves, and nothing about God who made them. Disease in such sections reaps its harvest of death with-out protest. Insanity conditions are never remedied, and life becomes one long period of misery and wretchedness. Knowledge is a sore need among those of mental poverty.

THERE IS MORAL POVERTY. When men and women do not regard the sacred bonds of

matrimony; when the social disease lays hold; when people drink and gamble and waste all their earnings; when they so live that respectable employment is not open to them; when they murder, kill, and destroy; when they lie, cheat, steal, and defraud; when they slander, maligne, and vilify, breaking and bruising the hearts of their friends and neighbors, my dear friends that is moral poverty. In this world's goods - they may be millionaires, but they are paupers in the graces of happy living.

AND THEN THERE IS SPIRITUAL POVERTY: - This is the worst of all. When men and women have no desire for God and His cause; when they rob God, withholding from Him His tithe; when they never hunger and thirst after righteousness; when they never erect an altar and offer a prayer in their homes; when they consider the church a burden, the worship of God a bore, the songs of Zion nonsense; the book of God a puzzle, the preaching of truth foolishness; the proclamation of the Gospel wind-jamming; That

is spiritual poverty. The rich young fool had "Much Goods", but he was bankrupt toward God. Many supposed to be decent and respectable people are terribly poverty stricken spiritually.

JUST WHAT BRINGS THIS POVERTY UPON US? - That can be answered in one word: "Sin". More is said about the poverty of this young man than any other phase of his being. A famine was on - his last cent was gone - he had spent all - he was hungry - and no man gave to him about sums it up. Oh, you say, "How unhappy this poor fellow must have been." Yes, his happiness had gone from him. But you know dear friend: "Happiness is determined not by conditions without - but by conditions within." He had lost his capacity for happiness. The poet well said: "Bars do not a prison make - nor iron bars a cage, for minds innocence in quite take that for an heritage - if in my mind I'm free - and in my soul am free - I am free indeed."

A great deal of our hell on earth is brought on by our own desire and our own making. A young woman ran away from a correctional institution where she had been placed. When she was found she asked to talk to the chaplain. He said: "Marie, your trouble now is that you failed to do as your mother wished isn't it?" She said yes, "I'll do anything in the world if I don't have to go back to that terrible institution." The chaplain said: "You thought your home was hell - you thought the institution was hell - Marie, you will find hell everywhere you go until you make a change inside." How can we find heaven on earth when the spirit of hell lives in our souls? The source of this young man's misery was not that he had to eat hog chow - but because he had thrown away his happiness and peace of mind and heart.

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