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	HIGH	LOW	PREC.
October 2	78	43	
October 3	74	42	
October 4	73	40	
October 5	66	58	
Rainfall to date: 13.42			

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Utility Head Explains Cutoff Policy

Women Top Winners In Football Contest

This week, the women have it. For the first time ever, perhaps, women have won all three positions in the weekly mer-



Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McAnally of Brady, Tex. were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Edminston and her sister, Glenna Raney. They also visited Mrs. Bonnie Hurd, her grandmother. Mrs. McAnally is the former Patricia Edminston. She attended Muleshoe schools.

Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Locke returned Sunday from visiting their sons, Ronnie Locke of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Locke, Warren and Brenna of Venus, Tex. Also visiting was their daughter, Mrs. Don huckleberry and Jo of Cyril, Okla. They attended a Texas Ranger baseball game while in Arlington.

New Deadline For Emergency Loan Is Set

The U.S. FmHA has extended to December 2 the deadline for farmers in Bailey County to apply for farm emergency loans to cover losses caused by this year's drought and other natural disasters.

The agency's County Supervisor, John C. Kennedy, said the extension has been ordered by Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland for applications under drought or other emergency loan-eligibility designations that would expire before December 2, provided the designations are based on disasters that have occurred on or after July 1, 1976. The Secretary's action was taken under requirements of recent emergency loan legislation (PL 95-89) signed by President Carter.

Farmers lacking other sources of necessary credit may apply to FmHA for loans to offset losses or revive farming operations. Under the schedule of interest rates as revised by PL 95-89, loans are made at a rate of three percent on the first \$250,000 borrowed against actual loss, five percent for additional amounts offsetting actual loss, and eight percent for loans not based on loss but needed to continue farming or make major adjustments in farm operations.

Kennedy said extension of earlier deadlines will give farmers whose crop returns are determined late in the year a better opportunity to assess their losses and credit needs, and enable FmHA to speed completion of work on applications now pending that need immediate processing.

FmHA emergency loan applications from farmers in Bailey County are received at the agency's county office located at 115 E. Avenue D, Muleshoe, Texas.

chant's football contest.

In a comfortable first place position all by herself is Patricia Young. The wife of another faithful contestant, Hugh Young, Patricia completely out-guesses her husband and missed only two games to take the first place position for the week. She wins a \$5 check, plus 10 big points toward the grand prize at the end of the contest.

Three other women and two men vied for the second and third place positions. Each of the five missed three games, so the tiebreaker scores had to determine the winners.

Delores Franz missed three games and was 35 points away on the double tiebreaker to win second place. In third place, was longtime contestant, Walter Boness. She also missed three games, but was 44 points away on the double tiebreaker. They received checks for \$3 and \$2, respectively. Just out of the winners column was Hazel Gilbreath. She also missed three games and was one point away on the double tie breaker at 45 points.

Morris Douglas missed three games, but was off by 49 points on the tiebreaker and Ken Carter also missed three games, but was 50 points off on the tiebreaker.

All other contestants missed at least four games and some missed as many as seven games. Each week of the contest this year, the winners have changed, so no one person has accumulated more than 10 points. The contestants are working toward the two tickets to the Cotton Bowl on January 1, and an expense check.

Get your entries in -- the contest is open to anyone except employees of The Journals and their immediate families.

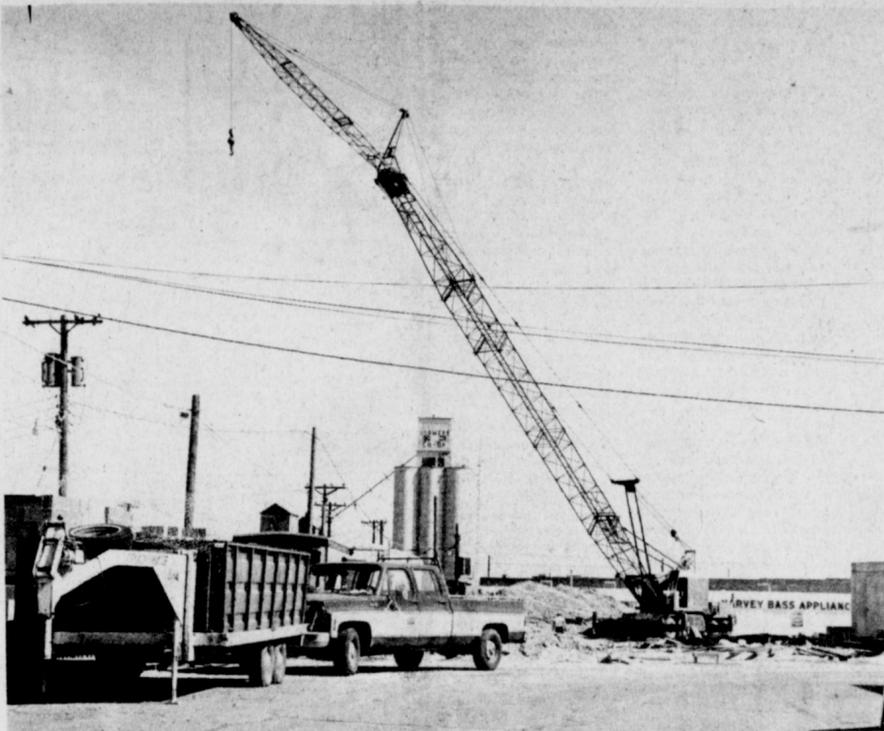
Adult Classes Begin Soon

Muleshoe School District is offering a program of basic education for adults who have less than a high school education. Reading, writing, arithmetic, English, English-as-a-Second Language, and other subjects will be taught.

This program is designed to improve a person's ability to secure employment, qualify for a job promotion, achieve a certificate of high school equivalency, and to become a more effective consumer and a more active citizen.

Secondary and supplementary areas of instruction include consumer education, occupational opportunities and requirements, health education, citizenship, government, home and family life, science, history and literature. Classes are also available for adults who cannot read, write or speak English.

The school is free and classes begin Tuesday, October 4, and will meet from 7 to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week in Room 23 of the junior high school building. Adults may enroll and begin classes at any time during the school year.



THINGS ARE BOOMING IN MULESHOE--Large booms are seen here and there with construction of major projects underway. Workmen here are using a huge boom to place heavy materials at

the site of the First National Bank. The new bank building is expected to be completed early in 1978, and will be joining the list of new and beautiful businesses in Muleshoe.

Motivational Speaker Slated For Banquet

Lewis Timberlake has been called "A Specialist in Success," and has also been called a unique motivational speaker. He is scheduled to be the speaker for the annual Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture speaker during the banquet on Thursday, February 16, 1978.

Timberlake was described as "when he speaks, he doesn't just light the candle, he builds a bonfire. Nationally recognized as an Apostle of Optimism, he has a gift of seeing into the eye of humanity. He speaks over three times a week across the country to groups from 100 to 7,000 people."

A spokesman said, "If a man's reputation is earned by what he has done, our speaker leads the

list. This native of Stamford, Texas, entered the life insurance business a ripe age of 24. He quickly became a million dollar a year salesman and within seven years was President of his company. During the first three years of his presidency, his company's sales rose from \$6 million per year to \$72 million per year."

In 1969, he resigned his position to devote full time to helping others, through his seminars, speech and training programs. One of his programs was selected by the U.S. Navy Recruiting Command to help train 6,000 Navy Recruits in

professional sales skills.

He was elected President of the Texas Jaycees and was Outstanding State President that year. In 1963, as a National Vice President of the U.S. Jaycees, he was responsible for planning the greatest membership growth in U.S. Jaycee history.

Timberlake has won numerous honors and has served numerous various civic and religious social and political organizations.

Tommy Black, executive director of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture said he hoped for a large crowd to hear what has been termed a "dynamic and motivated speaker."

In other recent activities by the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, a series of films are being presented local civic organizations on Crime Prevention. Friday the program was presented to the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club, by Black. Speaker for the program was Wayne Holmes, of the Muleshoe City Police Department.

They are also presenting programs about airports to the various civic clubs. A meeting was planned for Tuesday afternoon with merchants and local business people to see if they wanted to continue the Christmas decoration program. Black said he had a source to acquire very inexpensive Christmas decorations for the streets during the holiday.

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Retired Teachers Plan Meeting On October 28

Retired Teacher's Section of District XVII have scheduled a luncheon and program on October 28 at 12:30 p.m. for all retired teachers in the district. The luncheon will be at John Know Village 1717 Norfolk in Lubbock, and tickets are \$3.50 each. Reservations to attend the luncheon must be made by October 21, said E. Caviness, chairman of the program. For reservations, contact Ms. Caviness at 3402-A 49th St., Lubbock, 79413. She asked for a good representation of retired teachers from this area.

Airport, Civic Center, Paving On Agenda

The upcoming paving project, and a communication problem with Southwestern Public Service Company, occupied the Muleshoe City Council during their regular meeting Tuesday morning.

Meeting with the council was Dave Cavitt, manager of SWPS in Muleshoe. Mayor Henry told Cavitt, "Citizens are calling us about your policy for collection, and your disconnect notices, and we don't know what to tell them."

Cavitt told the council, "Our problem is that we're just not getting our money in on time. We give our customers until 10 days past the due date before we cut off their electricity, but still have up to 372 customers who are delinquent."

He presented figures that up to 13.6 percent of the customers had been delinquent during the past year, and that figures was cut to 1.1 percent for the month of August in this year. This figure was down from October 1976, when the 372 customers were delinquent to the present 75 delinquent customers.

"I am not doing anything unreasonable," he added, "I have to do my job, and I do it to the best of my ability."

"What about people who get paid on the first of the month," asked Councilman Max King? He said these were the people who were the most upset with the cycle billing procedure of SWPS, adding that most businesses allowed until the tenth of the month to get bills paid. He added that recently, people who have never failed to pay their electric bill had been disconnected and asked what was the answer to the problem.

Bob Finney, council member, said he thought that the real problem was that people in Muleshoe didn't understand the sudden change as in the past they have been allowed a little time to pay their electric bill without being disconnected.

Finney added, "I have gotten more phone calls about the electrical situation than about any other subject since I have been on the city council, including the dogcatcher and kids drinking on the parking lots."

"When I came to Muleshoe, I didn't come here with any intention of turning this upside down," Cavitt added, "I asked for Muleshoe and came here intending to make my home. I want this to be a good community and want to help it be the best community I possibly can."

He gave the council members a copy of Southwestern Public Service Policy on electrical service. It states, "For non-payment of bill, provided the Company has given the customer

written notice that he has at least five days after hand delivery or five days after mailing, excluding Sundays and holidays observed by the Company, in which to make settlement or have his service denied."

Another section reference delinquent bills reads, "Bills for service become delinquent if not paid within ten (10) days from mailing date of bill and the Company reserves the right to discontinue service and cut off the supply of electrical energy after notification of the Customer, as provided in Rule 7 (above). When so discontinued, service will not be restored until delinquent bills have been paid or other suitable arrangements have been made with the Company. The Company may require a payment sufficient to cover the cost of restoring service, as provided in Rule 7."

Cavitt reiterated, "Personally, I feel like I have to do every possible thing to get every dollar in as soon as possible." He did ask that persons with particular hardships, such as retirees who receive Social Security checks on the third of each month, and other hardships cases, contact him at his office, and he said he would make every attempt to reach a liveable solution to each particular problem as it arises.

He was asked by the city council to make every attempt to explain to the public that the cost of changing the billing cycle would be prohibitive and to explain the SWPS collection policies to the people of Muleshoe, who have "paid their bills for the same way for 25 years or more, and now face a sudden change."

The SWPS manager said he would welcome questions from anyone at any time.

In other action, with small revisions in wording, two ordinances were approved by the council. One ordinance accepted the bid of Jake Diehl Dirt and Paving Company Inc. for the construction of "certain street and avenue improvements heretofore ordered to be made pursuant to an ordinance duly passed and approved on the 9th day of August, 1977, and the subsequent proceedings of the City Council of the City of Muleshoe."

The other ordinance also approved and adopted the estimate, statement and report of the City's engineer with reference to the above streets.

As an additional hearing will be required prior to beginning the paving project, the City Council cancelled their meeting of November 1, and rescheduled a special meeting for 8:30 a.m. Con't. on page 3 col 1



COTTON READY FOR HARVEST--As evidenced by this cotton on the B.M. Scales farm west of Muleshoe, cotton is ready to be harvested. Most cotton has opened and as soon as the plants are defoliated, harvest will be in full swing.



CIVIC CENTER CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY--The long awaited Exhibition Center and Coliseum will soon be a reality as construction is underway on the facility at the west edge of Muleshoe. The multi-purpose building is expected to be completed in December.



**L. STONECIPHER
Stonecipher
Funeral Held**

Funeral services for L. Stonecipher, 82, were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Buck Creek Baptist Church with Rev. B.C. Stonecipher, minister of the Longview Baptist Church and Rev. Elvis Pitts, minister of the Southside Cemetery under the Southside Baptist Church of Lubbock, officiating, burial was in Wellington Northside Cemetery under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

A resident of Bailey County for the past two years, he was born March 4, 1895 in Pyatt, Ark. and had lived in Roaring Springs for 15 years and Collingsworth County for 41 years before moving to Bailey County. He was a retired farmer and minister and was a member of the First Baptist church of Roaring Springs.

Survivors include his wife, Ora; one son, B.C. Stonecipher, Muleshoe; one daughter, Mrs. Mollie Veale, Antioch, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Virgie Shafer, Slaton; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

**Water Non-Purity
Can Cause Problem**

Most Texans believe that the purity of their drinking water can be depended upon. And usually they are right. But there are a few exceptions.

About 4,000 cases of illnesses linked to drinking water from individual home supply systems and public systems are reported each year in the United States, says the Texas Department of Health.

"While we have almost eliminated typhoid and cholera as water problems, we must now deal with the threat of organic contaminants, viruses, and other disease carrying organisms," said Mark V. Lowry, surveillance and technical assistance branch chief of the Water Hygiene Division. "As you probably know, water contains minute quantities of many minerals which appear in nature."

Lowry said to assist in this effort, Congress passed the Safe Drinking Water Act in 1974. The law directed the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to establish minimum national drinking water standards. These standards set limits on the amounts of various substances sometimes found in drinking water.

"As of June 24, 1977, your water supplier must periodically sample and test the water pumped to your tap," said Lowry. "If tests reveal that the national drinking water standards have been violated, then your supplier must take action to correct the situation."

When there are violations, the supplier is also required by the Safe Drinking Water Act to notify the water user and to announce the violation to the newspapers, radio and television stations.

"If you hear or read such

announcement, don't panic," said Lowry. "It will explain the problem and tell you what precautions, if any, you should take. It may also tell you what's being done to remedy the situation."

Most notices of violations of drinking water standards will not mean that your health is immediately endangered he said. The reason for this is that the limit on the amount of each substance allowed in drinking water is based on what can be consumed for a lifetime without adverse health effects. This large safety margin was built into most standards so that it won't be harmful for people to drink water exceeding some of the maximum contaminant levels for short periods of time.

"The fact that your State water agency or water supplier announces a violation of a drinking water standard is not by itself cause for alarm. It is a safety precaution required by Congress to call public attention to deficiencies in a drinking water supply," said Lowry.

In essence, Congress is saying through the Safe Drinking Water Act that everyone has the right to expect water that meets minimum national standards set for the protection of public health. "You have the right to be told—and your water supplier must tell you—if your water does not meet those standards," says Lowry.

The EPA has established standards for 10 chemicals, six pesticides, bacteria, radioactivity, and turbidity or cloudiness. Most of these substances occur naturally in the environment and in the foods people eat. The national drinking water standards set by the EPA reflect the levels that can be safely con-

sumed in water, taking into account the amounts of exposure from the other sources.

"Only two substances for which standards have been set pose an immediate threat to health whenever they are exceeded," said Lowry. "These are bacteria and the amount of nitrate found in the water."

Coliform bacteria from human and animal wastes may be found in drinking water if the water isn't properly treated. These bacteria may indicate that other harmful organisms may be present in the water. "Waterborne diseases such as typhoid, cholera, infections hepatitis, and dysentery have been traced to improperly disinfected drinking water," said Lowry. "If you should receive notice that the bacteria level in your water exceeds the minimum standard, follow the directions given in the notice."

Nitrate in drinking water above the national standard poses an immediate threat to children under three months of age. In some infants, excessive levels of nitrate have been known to react with the hemoglobin in the blood to produce an anemic condition commonly known as "blue baby."

"If you receive notice that your drinking water contains an excessive amount of nitrate, don't give the water to infants under three months of age and don't use it to prepare a formula," said Lowry. "Do not boil the water, as boiling will only increase the nitrate concentration. Simply read the notice you will receive and follow instructions carefully."

Complete copies of the Drinking Water Standards are available on request from the Division of Water Hygiene, Texas Department of Health, 1100 W. 49th Street, Austin 78756.

Enochs News

By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

There was a bad pasture fire in the Joe Silhan pasture Thursday afternoon, no one was at home. Three fire trucks were called to the scene, one from Morton, Maple and Enochs.

Mrs. Chester Petree was admitted to Methodist hospital 1:30 p.m. Sunday. She is to have surgery Tuesday, October 4.

C.C. Snitker was in Hart Thursday and Friday. They visited his son, Curtis Snitker and family.

Jarrol Layton had minor surgery in Lubbock Monday on the scar on his neck and face. He received in the motor accident several months ago.

Harold Dean Nichols of Idalou and Dale Nichols did some fishing at Heneretta, Oklahoma Wednesday until Sunday and visited their brother Sammie Nichols and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Snitker visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Shults in Levelland Wednesday.

Mrs. Alma Altman, Mrs. Flo Nichols, Mrs. J.W. Layton, Mrs. Barba Price and some of her G.A. girls attended the funeral of Mrs. Laura Mills at 10:00 a.m. Friday at the Missionary Baptist Church in Morton. She is the aunt of Rev. Charlie Shaw of Enochs and the Vernon Shaws in Morton and other relatives in Morton and Muleshoe.

Grandma Mrs. L.E. Pollard of Morton Rest Home in Morton is a patient in the Morton Hospital. Her sister, Mrs. Rosebud Bales also Susie Terrell of Mena Ark and Rowland and Reva Grann of Alaska visited Mrs. Pollard Thursday and Friday. They were also guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pollard and other guests were Mrs. Sandra Dickie and children of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud spent the weekend in Brownwood to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Stroud.

Last weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders, was his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sanders of California. Also a sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. Williams.

The grain and cotton harvest is getting in full swing. Due to the hot weather the harvest is earlier this year.

Junior Austin and son Jeff of Lubbock visited his parents, The Raymond Austins Sunday.

A Good Thing
Few of us get what we deserve for which most of us should be thankful.
-Enquirer, Cincinnati.

House passes Carter's energy bill.

**TOWER
TALKS
by U.S. Senator for Texas
JOHN TOWER**



Excessive Profits or Rhetoric?

WASHINGTON—The philosopher George Santayana was well ahead of his time when he noted that those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it.

Last year's natural gas shortage should be etched in our minds, throwing thousands out of work, disrupting industry, and providing a good example of what things could come to without sufficient supplies of natural gas to heat homes and to fuel industry during the winter months. And the lessons here are relevant to oil production. Yet, memories are short it seems, because the Senate's current debate on natural gas deregulation to spur much-needed exploration and production thus avoiding another gas crisis like last year's has been mired in tired old arguments about consumer rip-offs and rhetoric relating to excessive oil industry profits. Neither would result from deregulation of natural gas or crude oil and the public has the right to be made aware of the fact.

From the events of last week, however, one would think the Administration does not want to be confused by the facts, even those produced by its own energy agency.

A financial profile of the 40 largest oil companies compiled by the Federal Energy Administration, and yet to be officially revealed by the Administration, makes a persuasive case for deregulated energy. More significantly, it paints a grim picture of the alternatives otherwise.

FEA gathered exhaustive financial data about the oil and gas industry, and concluded that the profits of these firms, as a rate of return on investment, were no more than for other manufacturing industries.

Other conclusions were particularly alarming: "Based on these data," the report said, "it appears a choice may have to be made between allowing higher profits or probably seeing lower capital expenditures for privately financed energy development efforts." It went on to suggest that the alternative would be increased Federal participation in energy development, "by subsidy or direct operational participation."

Such a turn of events would constitute the real consumer rip-off, costing taxpayers untold billions of dollars, and casting the Federal government centerstage in a theatre of the absurd.

Alarmingly, FEA concluded that many oil companies may be approaching their maximum safe debt limit: "To finance the cash flow short-fall, long term debt for the 44 company group was expanded by 10.9 per cent by outside borrowing, thereby increasing the debt to total capital ratio to 26.4 per cent, a historical high."

FEA's summation of the situation: "The degree to which large outside borrowing can continue to be obtained without lowered credit ratings, (resulting in higher interest charges on debt and probable increased expense in raising additional equity capital) is uncertain."

Companies allegedly ripping-off consumers would hardly have need to borrow money of the proportions FEA reveals. And such a factual analysis of debt refutes allegations of excessive profits, and points more clearly than ever to a growing crisis in the industry of necessary capital formation for further exploration and production.

The facts in such a controversial area of public policy deserve the widest dissemination. That they have not been is as revealing as the report.

The Border Line
Saving is fine, but it is better to spend all you make than not to make all you spend.
-Tribune, Des Moines.

Too Many
There're still too many persons who think loud talk is convincing.
-News, Indianapolis.

**DPS Seeks Recruits
For New Patrolmen**

The Texas Department of Public Safety is now accepting applications for the position of State Trooper. Applicants selected as cadets will enter 18 weeks of training at the Homer Garrison Junior Law Enforcement Memorial Academy in Austin. Classes will begin December 6, 1977.

Major C.W. Bell, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said, "General qualifications for DPS Troopers are: (1) Applicants must be 20 to 35 years of age (2) Good moral character (3) Excellent physical condition (4) Weight not less than two pounds, nor more than three and one-half pounds per inch of height (5) Vision no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/20 (6) A citizen of the United States (7) At least 60 hours of college. For the convenience of those students who are currently enrolled in college, there is also a tentatively scheduled class to begin early in 1978.

It should be pointed out that qualified female applicants are now being accepted for the uniformed services in the DPS. The DPS has been successful in recruiting persons from minority groups and is well established as an equal opportunity employment agency.

While in training, the student officer will participate in 850 hours of a variety of law enforcement subjects. The curriculum will consist of Criminal Law, Traffic Law, Human Relations, Techniques of Accident Investigation, Boxing, Judo, Physical Training, Marksmanship, and Pursuit Driving. Upon completion, the graduate will have all the training background to qualify him to enter the following DPS Fields: (1) Drivers License (2) Highway Patrol (3) Motor Vehicle Inspection (4) License and Weight. Each uniformed service has its own special appeal to the individual Trooper, and assignments will be made at the Academy according to the graduate's aptitude, desires, and the Department's needs.

The pay during Recruit School is \$848.00 per month, and upon completion of the 18 weeks training, the commissioned officer will draw \$968.00 a month, plus uniforms, firearms, insurance benefits and per diem allowances while away from his assigned duty station. State Employees Retirement System provides for the retirement of law enforcement officers after

20 years of service at age 50. Social Security benefits are provided aside from the regular retirement plan. Major Bell said, "Among the many benefits that the Troopers enjoy are two weeks annual vacation and all holidays provided for by the State Legislature.

For additional information concerning the position of Trooper, training, and benefits, contact the nearest DPS Trooper or the DPS office located at 1302 6th Street in Lubbock. You will receive complete information in regards to the application and employment procedures on becoming a Department of Public Safety Trooper.

**Veterans
Q & A**

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following are representative questions answered daily by VA counselors. Full information is available at any VA office.

Q—I have been covered by the Civilian Health and Medical Program of the VA (CHAMPVA) since my husband died of a service-connected illness. Should I re-marry, will my children and I lose this entitlement?

A—in the event of your remarriage, your children will retain CHAMPVA benefits. You will not. Should your subsequent marriage end in divorce or death, your entitlement will be reinstated.

Q—I married in 1948, but never changed the beneficiary on my National Service Life Insurance from my mother to my wife. May I still do this?

A—Yes. Any VA office can provide the proper form.

Q—What period of time must a veteran be missing to be considered deceased by the VA?

A—A veteran who is missing and whose absence has been unexplained for seven years may be presumed dead by VA.

Q—May a veteran receiving a Va pension continue to receive his check if he is incarcerated?

A—Pension payments under these circumstances are terminated after the 60th day of incarceration, but an apportionment may be authorized to his dependents for the duration of his incarceration.

Carter withdraws bid to sell radar system to Iran.

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Reese Chairs Council Asking Tax Decreases

The National Congressional Council (NCC), co-chaired by Jim Reese of Odessa, completed its second series of meetings with a unanimous endorsement of an across-the-board tax cut for every American taxpayer, Friday, September 30, in Washington, D.C.

The NCC is a 24 member coalition of community leaders which provides counsel to Republican leaders on issues of concern in the leaders' localities. Representative Trent Lott (R-Miss.) serves as Chairman of the council.

Mr. Reese said: "The NCC feels very strongly that tax relief for the American taxpayer is vital to the Nation's well being. Each year the average worker's paycheck becomes more and more the property of the government. It has become all but impossible to save enough to purchase a home, to send a child to college, in fact, to achieve the goals and aspirations shared by most of the people in West Texas."

He continued: "By allowing people to keep more of the money they have earned, new dollars would be available to improve the general economy of the country. People would buy more and new products, and this is what creates jobs."

Mr. Reese concluded: "The taxpayers are fed-up with a remote government taking their money. There is no good reason,

economic or otherwise, for Congress not to immediately pass a tax cut."

Rep. Lott commented on the week's proceedings by saying: "This has been a very productive series of meetings. We have had the genuine privilege of discussing citizens' problems with recognized local leaders. The people of West Texas are fortunate to have been represented by Mr. Reese. I am looking forward to the next council meeting in December."

The NCC met over a four day period from September 27-30, at the Twin Bridges Marriott in Washington. The council members met with a number of leading House Republicans including: John Rhodes (AZ), Minority Leader; Guy Vander Jagt (MI), Chairman of the National Republican Congressional Committee; John B. Anderson (IL), Chairman of the House Republican Conference Committee; and Barber Conable (NY), Ranking Minority of the Ways & Means Committee.

City...

Con't. from page 1 on Tuesday, November 8, which will be a combined public hearing and city council meeting. The City Council also scheduled a special meeting for Tuesday, October 11, for additional work on the paving project ordinances and preliminary work before the project begins. Meeting with the council was Ray Campbell, who said he was having additional work done on several lots he owned in the flood plain area, to conform with requirements for a variance to allow him to place mobile homes at the location. He indicated he would attend the next city council meeting with completed plans for compliance. A resolution for a Housing Authority was discussed, as were current activities of the airport board; upcoming meetings and conventions, the report made by the Texas Jail Commission and the Texas Commission of Law Enforcement Standards. The TCLES report is expected to be released in the near future, following a visit by a representative of that organization last week. Also discussed was a possible lease agreement with the county on the operation of the Exhibition Center and Coliseum which is presently under construction. The potential leases are to be presented to the Bailey County Commissioners Court for their consideration. No firm decisions were reached on the leases as presented the council Tuesday morning.

Speaker...

Con't. from page 1 season. He said weather and vandals had taken their toll on the present decorations, and that electricians and time spent in attempting to patch them back together were becoming prohibitive. He has asked that all merchants support the Christmas decoration program.

THE LONELY HEART



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Muleshoe Bi-Products

'B' Team Hit Farwell 16-0

After a loss from Tulia the "B" team came back for a win against Farwell and evened the record at 1-1.

Muleshoe's "B" group evened their season with Steers. Tommy Sexton scoring on a seventy yard run up the middle. Again added another TD to take care of all scoring in the game.

This years running backs for the "B" team are Tommy Sexton, Trini Lopez, Scott Saylor, and Jamie Chancey. The offense of the line did a good job of blocking. The defense also did a good job, they busted through the line to make tackles.

The Journalism Staff wishing the boys good luck against Dimmitt two weeks from now October sixth at Dimmitt. GO-FIGHT-WIN.

Bill to rush SBA aid to disaster victims signed.

FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Muleshoe vs. Abernathy

Rushing	Att.	Yds.
Dean Northcutt	25	187
Jeep Shanks	13	90
Danny Wilson	5	23
TEAM	43	300

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Int.
Danny Wilson	7	4	26	1
TEAM				

Receiving	Comp.	Yds.
Marcus Beversdorf	2	13
Dickey Sudduth	2	13
TEAM		

Punt	Att.	Avg/Yds
Mark Washington	3	46
TEAM		

Punt Returns	Yds.
Brent Borrowers	3 yds.
TEAM	

Kick Off	Att.	Avg.
Marcus Beversdorf	2	62.5 avg.
TEAM		

Kick Off Return	Yds.
Dean Northcutt	50
TEAM	

Leading Tacklers	Yds.
Brent Maddox 14	Mark Washington 10
Ernie Vela 11	Curtis Carpenter 10
TEAM	

Fumble Recoveries	Yds.
Curtis Carpenter 1	
TEAM	

Big Lick Award	Yds.
Offense--Dean Northcutt	Defense--Keith Hawkins
TEAM	



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Planning funeral arrangements can be a difficult, confusing task—and an expensive one, too. It may be easier to make responsible choices when the need arises if you have gathered some information in advance about what costs to expect, say our Consumer Protection Division attorneys.

For the most part, costs will be dictated by what type of service is chosen. Traditional funeral service and burial generally is the most expensive, with cremation, and services offered by memorial societies usually less costly.

Personal preferences usually influence those arranging a funeral, but, since funerals generally constitute a considerable financial outlay—but on the order of thousands of dollars, in many cases—they must be classified as major consumer decisions also.

While it is natural to say "price is no object" at such time, the responsible consumer will want to make decisions that are in keeping with the way the deceased lived, and will arrange a funeral that is both appropriate and affordable.

The Texas Funeral Directors Association points out that there are four categories of funeral charges to consider when planning a traditional funeral and burial:

1. Those involving the funeral home facilities and staff, the casket, and other merchandise purchased from the funeral home.
2. Those relating to disposition of the body, such as cemetery lot and charges, cremation and cost of urn if desired, or mausoleum crypt.
3. Gravestone, monument, or marker, or niche for urn containing ashes.
4. Other expenses, such as clergyman's fee, limousines (if not included in funeral charges), flowers, newspaper notices, police escort, and out-of-town transport of the body if needed.

A growing number of consumers are choosing alternatives to the traditional means of disposing of remains. Cremation, which is also offered by funeral homes, is generally less expensive, mainly because there are no cemetery expenses, unless a niche for an urn is desired.

Other persons decide to donate their bodies to medical schools, or will certain organs such as kidneys or eyes to organ banks. Still others join memorial societies which handle the details of burial, cremation, or body donation at a lower cost for their members.

While any of these alternatives generally will be less expensive than a traditional funeral and burial, many people choosing them do so not only for economy, but for reasons of personal preference. It's worth noting that persons who donate organs still have the option of a traditional funeral and burial.

A Federal Trade Commission study of the funeral industry revealed that people need more information about prices, options, and policies for particular funeral homes, and more comparative information for different funeral homes, in order to make informed decisions about a funeral and the cost of services.

Our Consumer Protection attorneys say the only way to acquire this information at present is to ask specific questions, either in advance or at the time of arranging a funeral. They strongly advise planning in advance—when there is time to think logically about such matters.

If you have a consumer complaint about funeral pricing, contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division in Austin, Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Lubbock, El Paso, or McAllen. Outside those areas, call this toll-free number: 1-800-252-9236.

Freedom of speech isn't valuable unless someone will listen.

No matter how much money men make, they always want more.

Texas Food and Fiber

by Reagan V. Brown, Commissioner
Texas Department of Agriculture

Agriculture is one of the most important users of energy in this country. In Texas alone we use 16 percent of our energy to provide our food and fiber. It is essential that we protect this customer, for we must have an ample supply of energy to insure food and fiber for our own citizens and for our humanitarian commitments to developing nations and to enhance our own economic and political stability throughout the world.

There are real possibilities for agriculture to become a supplier of energy in the future. But we must realize there are no instant nor easy replacements for our dwindling supplies of fossil fuel.

We can't go off in a thousand tangents looking for energy supplies. A concentrated research program to study the feasibility of priority alternatives is necessary. Certainly coal, nuclear and solar power are such possibilities, but each of these energy sources is not without its problems. We can't ignore the potential or substantial energy supplies from agriculture itself.

We already know that crop residues, feedlot and poultry wastes are potential sources for energy, but perhaps the most exciting of all is the use of production crops specifically as an energy source.

Much research is needed to develop practical methods of utilizing biomass energy and the economical use of grain crops to provide alcohol as a gasoline extender. With our great agricultural resources, no other country in the world is more capable of turning out the supplies of these energy-supplying crops in the amounts necessary. When

View From The Plain

by J.D. Peer
I & E Field Officer

TOXIN AFFECTS DUCKS

CANYON-Toxic bacteria located in the mud flats of several playa lakes in the Texas Panhandle are affecting the duck population according to recent reports by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department personnel monitoring the outbreak.

"This outbreak of toxic bacteria known as type 'C' avian botulism occurs each year as warm temperatures, exposed mud flats and incoming ducks meet," said Max Traweck, waterfowl biologist.

"Tissue samples of dead ducks were sent to a Wisconsin laboratory for verification last week and surveys of additional lakes near Lazbuddie in the southwest corner of the Panhandle are underway," Traweck continued.

Type "C" botulism affects the bird's peripheral nervous system causing a loss of control of the wings, legs, and paralysis of the respiratory system. This type of toxin has not been detected in humans and contact with infected birds will pose no threat to area landowners or hunters.

Several thousand ducks have been affected so far in the Panhandle and the deadly effect on the duck population will continue until either cold weather or heavy rains occur in the Panhandle counties. Neither cold weather or heavy rains are predicted by weather experts.

P&WD personnel are asking pondowners and hunters to report additional sick or dead ducks found in the Texas Panhandle by calling 806/655-3631.

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I would not advocate that biomass energy is the ultimate answer to our energy problems. We will probably find ourselves adapting to a variety of energy sources. And certainly conservation of our present sources plays an important role in the overall energy picture. But we can't realistically depend on conservation to answer our problems. It is time to plow unbroken ground... for the future of agriculture... the future of Texas... and the future of the world.

The test of sincerity is the willingness of an individual to do something without compensation.

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North Lazbuddie Gin

Lazbuddie, Tex



ARTHRITIS DRIVE... Stuffing Victory March Kits for the Arthritis Drive in the home of Mrs. Jim Young are from left, Mrs. Howard Watson, Mrs. Bernis Camp, Mrs. Herb Griffiths, Mrs. Rusty Whitt, Mrs. Larry Combs, Mrs. Jim Young and Mrs. Reagan Cox. The

Victory March will be held from October 10-13 in the rural areas and on October 13 from 5 to 7 p.m. in Muleshoe. A Forum will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, October 11, in the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall with Jim Burgess. For more information, contact Finance Chairman, Mrs. Reagan Cox or Mrs. Jim Young.

Icebergs for water to be studied. Raw farm products show price decline.

Nursing Home News

By Annie Brown

The Needmore Singers came Sunday afternoon and sang. *****
 Mrs. A.F. Robinson is in for a short stay while her husband is in Methodist Hospital for surgery Monday. *****
 Those playing "42" Tuesday were Miss Marie Engram, Mrs. Mae Wilterding, Mrs. Rossie McKillip, D.B. Head, Connor Burford, Mrs. Linie Doyle, Mrs. Opal Talley, Clarence Wilhite, Mrs. Madge Clements, Wayne Marlow, Walter Damron and Mrs. Myrtle Guinn. *****
 Ted Wood of Roswell, N.M. visited his brother, Buck Wood Thursday. *****

Mrs. Kenneth Largent of Littlefield visited her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B.O. McDaniel Saturday. *****
 Mrs. Rosie Allison, Mrs. Nelda Merriott and Mrs. G.A. Nelson visited Mrs. Lula Gorrell Sunday. *****
 Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Inman and Cliff Odom visited Mrs. Effie Bray and Mrs. Horace Blackburn Sunday. *****
 Mrs. Polly Birdsong and Mrs. Maude Kersey visited Mrs. Myrtle Guinn Thursday. *****
 Mrs. Myrtle Guinn visited her son, Allen Guinn and her grandson of San Antonio Saturday. *****

Miss Adele Beatty and Mrs. Progress 4-H Fun Bunch Hold Meeting

The Progress 4-H Cooking Fun Bunch met Friday, September 30, at the 16th and Avenue D Church of Christ fellowship hall. The group discussed the food groups and the upcoming Food Shoe. They made strawberry milkshakes for refreshments. Members present were Steven Griswold, Curtis Snell, Allen Beasley, Connie Puckett, Jana Harris, Renee Snell, Dana Holmes, Junior leader, and Mrs. Kay Griswold, Adult leader.

William F. Bolger, Deputy Postmaster Gen.: "People in rural America are worried that if they lose the post office, they will also lose community identity."



MR. AND MRS. JAMES LON STRAIN

Miss Terina Whalin, James Lon Strain Wed

A reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The bride's table was laid with pink knit overlaid with white lace. A two tiered wedding cake trimmed in pink roses with a miniature bride and groom atop was served by Mrs. Johnnie F. Williams. Banana punch was served by Mrs. Leslie Curtis of Farwell, cousin of the bride. Also served were mints and nuts

BIBLE VERSE

"If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven."

1. Who spoke these words?
2. To whom were they addressed?
3. What was their effect?
4. Where are they recorded?

Answers To Bible Verse

1. Jesus.
2. A young man who had "great possessions."
3. He "went away sorrowful."
4. Matthew 19:21.

Gammons To Visit West Camp Family Night

West Camp Family Night will be held Saturday evening, October 8, at 8:00 p.m. in the Community Center. Host couples will be Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Austin. Those attending will need to bring their favorite dessert and table game, says Mrs. Robert Hunt. Special guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gammons of Weatherford, Tex. They are former West Camp residents and owners of the West Camp Store.

Lots of Times

Man is like a lamp wick—trimmed lots of times before he gets the right flame. —Journal, Milwaukee.

West Plains Medical Center Briefs

ADMISSIONS
 September 30: Jodie Barrett and Betsy Lunsford.
 October 1: W.F. Creamer and Evette Freeman.
 October 2: Amelia Castillo, Emmitt Lewis, Nina Glasscock and Henry Hendrix.
 DISMISSALS
 September 30: Lucy Young, Mae Owens, Blanche Cash, Debbie Vaughn, Leon Huls, Evette Freeman, Evangelina Leal and Sherry Reese.
 October 1: Jodie Barrett.
 October 2: Kevin McGehee and Betsy Lunsford.

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Baking Beauties Learn To Make Chalupas

The Progress 4-H cooking group, The Baking Beauties, met Thursday, September 29 in the home of Mrs. Billie Downing. Tori Hunt and Kacy Henry fried tortillas for chalupas. Twila Downing and Laury Grant mashed the beans. Becky Mardis grated the cheese. Those attending were Tori Hunt, Kacy Henry, Becky Mardis, Laury Grant, Twila Downing and leader, Mrs. Billie Downing.

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DANCING DARLINGS...Performing tap and tumbling for the public and civic organization of Muleshoe and surrounding areas are TuTu's Dancing Darlings. Members of this new group are from left, Barbie Seaton, Latrece Barrett, Lisa Black, Mandy Collins and Susan Redwine.

TuTu's Dancing Darlings Start New Group

TuTu's Dancing Darlings Tap and Tumbling group has recently been organized and has been practicing for performances for the public or civic organizations, says Ms. TuTu King.

The Dancing Darlings consist of Lisa Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Black. She is a third grader at Mary DeShazo. Her hobbies include jumping on the trampoline and bicycling. Susan Redwine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrol Redwine of Lazbuddie. A first grader at Lazbuddie elementary, she enjoys working with animals.

Barbie Seaton is the daughter of Mrs. Kay Seaton of Muleshoe and Jimmy Dale Seaton of Lazbuddie. She likes tumbling and painting. She is a fifth grader at Mary DeShazo. Mandy Collins is a second grader at Richland Hills. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Collins and enjoys swimming and tumbling. Latrece Barrett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Barrett. She is in the third grade at Mary DeShazo. Her hobbies include showing animals, trampolining and tumbling.



ALL RIGHT WHO'S THE WISE GUY?

Definition
Punctuality: The art of guessing just how late the other person is going to be.

-Journal, Miramar, Cal.



Terri Denise Scheller

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Scheller of Earth are the proud parents of a baby girl born September 25, at 5:39 a.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed seven pounds and was named Terri Denise Scheller. She is the couple's first child.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jones of Needmore and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Barney Scheller of Muleshoe. Great-grandfather is Albert Scheller of Earth.

Salud Garcia

Mr. and Mrs. Ochoa Garcia of Friona are the proud parents of a baby boy born September 30, at 3:03 a.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed nine pounds and thirteen ounces and was named Salud Garcia. He is the couple's eighth child.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eutimio Ochoa of Mexico.

Caution

A modern country is one which bans fireworks and produces nuclear bombs.

-Tribune, Des Moines.

GOLDEN GLEAMS

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding.
-Proverbs 3:13.

The chief aim of wisdom is to enable one to bear

with the stupidity of the ignorant.

-Pope Xystus.

Wisdom is not an art that may be learned; wisdom comes from the stars.

-Paul Flemming.

Wisdom is neither inheritance nor legacy.

-Thomas Fuller.

Wisdom is oftentimes nearer when we stoop, than when we soar.

-William Wordsworth.

AAUW Participate In Group Process

The Muleshoe Branch of the American Association of University Women met Monday, October 3 in the First National Bank Community Room. Mrs. Eric Smith and Mrs. Ed Kramer were hostesses.

Mrs. Robert Hooten, president, presided and announced that the AAUW Regional will be in Hereford, Saturday, October 22, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Mrs. Eric Smith announced that the Children's Theater presentations will be October 26, at 9:00 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. for the students in grades K-8.

The Muleshoe Speech Department will present "Hansel and Gretel."

Miss Virginia Bowers, program development chairman, distributed the new yearbooks. She introduced Mrs. John Watson who directed a program on "Individual and Group Dynamics." The members divided into groups and solved problems by using effective participation techniques.

Almost 100 years ago two women of remarkable perception and talent had an idea. Marion Talbot, joined by her

mother, foresaw an increasing number of women whose intellectual drive would lead them to colleges and universities for study and degree.

The idea that, through association, women college graduates can make substantial intellectual and cultural contributions. The modest number of 65 women who attended the first meeting has multiplied notably. AAUW has 190,000 members in every state, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico and Guam.

Members present were Mrs.

Gerald Allison, Mrs. Harold Allison, Mrs. R.D. Angley, Mrs. Bill Bickel, Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop, Miss Virginia Bowers, Mrs. Ken Box, Miss Edna Cargill, Mrs. Joe Costen, Mrs. Don Cumpston, Mrs. Neal Dillman, Miss Mary Helen Gutierrez, Mrs. David Hamblin, Mrs. Robert Hooten, Mrs. Ed Kramer, Mrs. Gentry Lynn, Mrs. Roland McCormick, Mrs. W.O. Rudd, Mrs. Robert Sanders, Mrs. Jim Shafer, Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. R.G. Wilson and Mrs. Roy Wrinkle.

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Fighting Three Way Eagles



By The Three Way School

Everyone is against inflation in general but anxious for a little of it personally.

3-Way School Homemakers Takes Trips

September 15, the Junior and Senior girls Housing Class toured homes under construction in Portales as part of their studies. Those going were Beverly Dupler, Kelly Folly, Alma Marinas, Glenda Fine, Carmen Guillen, Lillie Nino, Melanie Roberts, Cynthia Rodriguez, Mrs. Paula Foley and Sandra Pool, sponsors.

A FHA involvement workshop was held in Levelland on the afternoon of September 13. Those from Three Way Attending were: Julie Carlisle, Sandy Feagley, Alice Banda, Anna Muro, Carrie Gilley, and Alma Marinas. Kathy Feagley and Sandra Pool were sponsors.

The girls felt that the workshop was a good experience. They brought back ideas on leadership and encounter to present to their local FHA chapter. The Homemaking Department at Three Way is collecting the Lovelace pattern of china. This can be purchased at Thriftway-Shurfine stores. The weekly feature is 69 cents with a purchase of three dollars. They would appreciate any donation.

Outlines Can Be Fun If You Want

In school we do outlines. Outlines are fun when you want to do them. You can find out things you didn't now about. They are very interesting. In school my class published a paper we took things from the first grade on up to the fourth grade. Our paper was called, Back To School. The next paper will be called Fall is Here. We sold our paper for 10 cents a copy.



PARTY TIME: The Three Way Kindergarten class had a watermelon party this past Friday. Enjoying the watermelon were: D'Mae Dewbre, Chris Locke, Scott Terrell, Sammy Belez, Russell Autry; Debra Locke, Sheila Tucker, Norma Rubalcana, Laura Covarrubias; Melinda Turney, Rosie Guillen, Shane Terrell-visitor, Kristi Risinger, Heather Hutton, Shannon Johnson, Rogelio Vale, Stephanie Silhan and Mrs. Tommy Terrell holding Mario Guillen. The watermelon was provided by Mrs. Terrell.

Senior News

The Seniors will be sponsoring a supper Friday, September 30, at the Three Way cafeteria. We will serve both before and after the Three Way vs Western Academy football game. We appreciate your previous responses to our projects and would like to thank everyone for their help. Please come your sure to enjoy both the supper and the game.

Sassy Sophomores

Several sophomores contributed in the victory against Whitharral. This was the first district game of the season and Three Way skunked Whitharral 50-0. James Simpson, a sophomore,

was the quarterback. The sophomores made \$25.50 at a cake raffle Thursday, September 22.

Calendar Marriage
"So you married life is very unhappy. What's the trouble, December married to May?"
"Heavens, no. It's Labor Day married to the Day of Rest."

The prescription for most of the ills that beset the world is just plain, everyday honesty.

It takes intelligence to admit that another is smarter than you are, in some respects.

Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Furgeson spent part of last week in Austin on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Durham from Lubbock spent Friday night with her parents the George Tysons and went to the ballgame at Three Way Friday night.

Three Way high school football boys played Western Academy of Lubbock Friday night on the home field with Three Way winning by a score of 48-8.

Mrs. Fred Kelley and Mrs. H.W. Garvin of Maple went with the Senior Citizens to the South Plains fair Thursday. The Morton Senior Citizens went as a group with several going.

Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Kindle spent part of last week fishing at Breckenridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Green and children from Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents the Jack Furgesons. The grand children are spending the week with their grand parents.

Brian Kindle was honored with a birthday skating party at Morton Friday evening. Over 20 youngsters attended.

Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gillentine and daughter from Lubbock were supper guests in the home of Mrs. H.W. Garvin Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Long visited the D.S. Fowlers Sunday evening.

Cotton harvest is underway in the community at this time with most grain harvest finished.

Saturday, Mrs. Smotherman, the Three Way english teacher, and Mrs. Jack Hodnett took Amy Grimes, Brenda Cooley,

Trading Slow For New Crop

New crop trading was slow during the week ending September 30, according to Paul R. Dickson, in charge of USDA's Cotton Classing office in Lubbock.

Growers sold a few small mixed lots of mostly grades 42 and better, staples 30-32, mikes 2.7 through 4.9 in a range of 350 to 525 points over 1977 loan rates.

High Plains harvest is well ahead of last year, Dickson said. About 21,000 samples were graded by Lubbock's Classing Office the week ending September 30. Season's total stands at 57,500. This compares with only six graded by this date a year ago, according to USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

Predominant grades for this week's classings were grade 31 at 56 percent, grade 40 was 16 percent and grade 41 accounted for 18 percent.

Staple lengths were mostly staple 30 at 37 percent, staple 31 was 37 percent and staple 32 accounted for 14 percent.

Micronaire was mostly in the desirable 3.5-4.9 range and accounted for 88 percent of the total.

Gins paid growers 62 to 70 dollars per ton for cotton seed, mostly 62 to 63.

Rena Cooley, Jackie Carlisle, Mitsy Altman, Ginger Stephens, Tammy Davis, Belinda Richardson, Mike Nichols, Lonnie Warren, Louie Key and Bill Hodnett to Odessa to attend a one act play workshop.

Nolan Harlan was in Lubbock, Thursday to see his doctor, and got a good report.

Mrs. Martha Vinson of Seymour spent two days this week visiting in the home of her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. John Latham.

Mr. and O.C. Lancaster and wife from Banning, California were guests recently with his brother Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Latham.

Mrs. Pearl Walden enjoyed having with her for lunch Sunday her sons Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walden and grandson Wade from Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Waldon of Littlefield.

The Sandhills Philosopher

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson Creek grass farm on Sandy Creek discusses investigative journalism this week, we think.

Dear Editor: Some people are saying that newspaper and TV reporters are too investigative, they ask too many questions, and if they don't stop probing into public officials' pasts we're not going to have anybody left to run the country.

I'm not sure about this. Most of us I think had rather have the reporters investigating politicians than us, just as some reporters wouldn't be interested in being investigated themselves. But they shouldn't confine their investigation to public officials.

Take something as simple as ratings on miles per gallon a car is supposed to get, like say 35 miles on the highway, 24 in the city.

What highway are they talking about, one through the mountains or one out on the plains? Which way was the wind blowing? How many kids did they have in the car and how many uncoordinated rest stops did they make? Nobody has ever been able to synchronize his car's gas stops with his kids' rest stops. Which city was the other test made in and what time of day was it? The late afternoon rush hour or 2 o'clock in the morning when the streets are empty? Or was the whole test made on a treadmill inside a building?

Or take horse power. Cars and tractors are rated also on their horse power. I've got a 30-year-old tractor out here that's supposed to produce 40 horse power, and it does, if you're talking about Shetland ponies.

Or take international treaties. It's not what the Panama Canal treaty for example says that matters, it's what the people who're running the world 25 years from now decide to do. Despite the fact the price of paper has quadrupled in the last few years, some treaties are still not worth what they're written on.

Some people say it used to be true that a man's word was as good as his bond. Well, it still is, only a lot of people seem to be referring to Civil War bonds.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

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EIGHT YEAR OLD WINNERS pictured from left to right are: first place, Scott Bickel, second place, Rammie Garner, third place, Debbie Isaac.



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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams

AUSTIN—A legislative committee has launched an investigation of complaints that patients in Texas mental hospitals and schools for the retarded are being abused.

Rep. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi, chairman of the House General Investigating Committee, said the inquiry will be "neither a witch hunt nor a white wash."

Hale scheduled a two-day hearing here to evaluate the complaints.

Texas Association for Retarded Citizens urged the hearing, but the organization's director said many parents of retarded children feared reprisals if they testified.

A Waco mother said she had been informed her severely-retarded son had been homosexually abused at Mexia State School.

An Austin mother told the committee her retarded son had lost two teeth and suffered a smashed finger and broken arm at Travis State School, and no one could tell her how the injuries occurred.

Witnesses before the committee complained of lack of adequate staff in schools for the retarded, and one strongly urged bringing in outside professional help.

Road Plan Approved

A \$33 million program to improve Texas Farm to Market Roads and roads not on the state-maintained network has State Highway and Public Transportation Commission approval.

The 1977 program includes work on 378.1 miles of roads in all sections of the state—297.7 miles of FM roads and 80.4 miles of roads on local systems. Off-system road improvements are selected cooperatively by local and state governments and are developed with aid of partial federal financing.

Meanwhile, the commission also approved a 1978 state-wide highway safety improvement program consisting of 194 projects costing more than \$2.88 million in 16 districts. Most of the work involves improvement or installation of new traffic signals, signing, lane delineation, left turn lanes or other traffic control devices. Other work will widen or replace three bridges where eight persons died.

Appointments Announced

Gov. Dolph Briscoe named Lynn Coker of Conroe ninth district judge, succeeding his father on the Polk, San Jacinto, Montgomery and Waller counties bench. Briscoe appointed Dr. Richard Brassard of Beaumont to replace Dr. Harvey H. Kennedy of Longview on the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Dr. Jay H. Perreten of Houston to succeed Dr. Walter H. Fischer of Temple. He re-appointed Dr. Sterling H. Pruitt Sr. of Fort Worth.

Donald W. Ator of Austin replaced Heino Staffel Jr. of Austin on the State Seed and Plant Board.

Nancy O'Bryant Puentes is Atty. Gen. John Hill's new assistant for information.

Supreme Court Decisions

The State Supreme Court agreed with an intermediate court ruling disbaring an attorney for conspiracy to bribe former Treasury Secretary John Connally.

In other recent cases, the high court: Set oral arguments in a \$250,000 damage suit over the loss of a boy's arm in a washing machine accident.

Held it is without jurisdiction to overturn an intermediate court decision allowing a former Texas woman to seek higher child support payments from her ex-husband who also has moved out of state.

Ordered transfer from juvenile court to district court of a case involving alleged strangulation of a mother by a teen-aged son.

Said a jury must decide if a Vidor woman was falsely imprisoned by a department store in Beaumont when she was mistakenly accused of shoplifting a garment.

Agreed to hear arguments of a disabled Dallas veteran who contends a landlord failed to provide a habitable apartment.

Attorney General Opinions

A minimum of 150 copies of state publications must be provided to the State Library, Atty. Gen. John Hill held.

In another recent opinion, the attorney general found no barrier to employed participants transferring from one approved optional retirement program to another so long as actions are not subterfuges to frustrate the law governing the plans.

Hill also found parts of a North Texas State University physics department audit, with personal identification details omitted, are open to public inspection.

Short Snorts

Texas personal income has increased 11.9 per cent during the last year, compared with a national jump of 10.7 per cent.

Permanent school and permanent university funds have increased more than \$1 billion since 1971. The school fund now stands at \$1.5 billion and the university fund at \$913.1 million—a total of \$2.45 billion.

Joe Christie is expected to announce his U.S. Senate candidacy October 20.

Gov. Briscoe endorsed establishment of a job corps center at the Border Patrol Academy near Port Isabel.

Campaigning is beginning to shape up for seven constitutional amendments to be voted on November 8. Gov. Briscoe is supporting enlarging the Court of Criminal Appeals and allowing judges to deny bail to repeat criminals.

Secretary of State Mark White is new president of the National Association of Secretaries of State.

Lazbuddie News

By Judy Lust

Lazbuddie Longhorn Stampede



By Judy Lust

'Horns Fall To Matador Last Friday

The Lazbuddie Longhorns fell to number eight ranked Motley County last Friday night by a score of 42-21. The Matadors scored two touchdowns in the first quarter but missed both extra point attempts. In the second quarter Motley County again scored and missed the extra point. With 2:13 left in the first half Mike Windham scored a touchdown for the Longhorns, and Dennis Steinbock kicked the extra point. The Matadors scored one more touchdown and ran the extra points over to make the score 26-7 at the half-time.

The second half both teams scored 14 points each. Motley County scored two touchdowns and two extra points in the third quarter. Mike Windham scored a Longhorn touchdown on a 18 yard run, and Dennis Steinbock kicked the extra point making the score 34-14. In the fourth quarter Mike Windham once again scored a touchdown and Dennis Steinbock kicked the extra point making the final score 42-21. Motley County failed to score in the fourth quarter. They were again threatening in the final seconds of the game, but the Longhorns defense was successful in holding them in an outstanding goal line stand.

It was a hard fought game and it was closer than the score indicated. The Longhorns dropped several passes that could easily have led to scores.

Mike Windham Named Longhorn Player Of Week

The offensive player of the week was Mike Windham. Mike had 11 carries for 38 yards, caught two passes for 73 yards and scored the three Longhorn touchdowns.

The defensive players of the week were Mike and Russell Windham. Mike had 11 unassisted tackles and 17 assisted tackles, and Russell had seven unassisted tackles and 17 assisted tackles. Russell also recovered a fumble. The Longhorns next game will be the 7th of October against Nazareth. The game will be played at Lazbuddie and it will be at 8:00.

James Schlesinger, Energy Secretary: "We shall have to give up our careless, spend-thrift ways in energy use."

Junior High Wins Game At Whiteface

The Junior High boys won their first football game last Thursday when they played Whiteface. The game was played at Whiteface and the Horns beat the Antelopes 26-8. Johnny Gonzales scored a touchdown in the first, second, and third quarters and Bari Elliott ran across the extra points on the last touchdown making the score 26-0. Then with four seconds left in the game Whiteface scored a touchdown and two extra points giving the final score of 26-8.

Out of Orbit



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Mark Mimms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mimms, and a Senior at Lazbuddie High School was recently elected the Littlefield District FFA President. He was elected from twelve candidates representing twelve different schools in the district. There is a total of sixteen schools and approximately 1,000 FFA members in the Littlefield District. Scotty Windham, Voc Ag teacher at Lazbuddie is the new district advisor. This is the first time that the Lazbuddie chapter has had a District President. Congratulations Mark!!

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cargile recently were her brother Bennie Watson from Amarillo, and her niece Mrs. Sam Thomas of Houston. Also visiting was his aunt Mrs. Roy Lucus of Amarillo, and his cousin Mrs. Blake Farmer of Waxahachie.

Glenda Jennings sang and gave her testimony at revival services at the Methodist Church in Turkey last Wednesday night. Also attending were Derrell Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Briggs, Mrs. Jim Johnson, Mrs. J.D. Carpenter, Mrs. Nerine Malone and Mrs. Glenn Lust.

Miss Jeana Cole went to Roswell over the weekend to visit

her father who is in the hospital.

The Seniors are still selling magazines. If you would like to buy or renew any magazines please contact any Senior.

Ronnie Barnes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barnes, was recently appointed Director of Financial Aids at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He was promoted to this position from assistant director.

Bookmobile News

By Lorane Sooter

Tuesday, October 11	
Morton	9:30-11:45
Wednesday, October 12	
Circleback	9:00-10:00
Bula	10:30-11:30
Enochs	12:00-1:00
Thursday, October 13	
Amherst	9:15-10:15
Springlake #1	11:00-11:45
Springlake #2	12:00-1:00
Earth	1:15-3:45
Friday, October 14	
Pleasant Valley	10:00-11:00
Sudan #1	12:00-1:00
Sudan #2	1:15-3:45

NEWS VIEWS

Jimmy Carter, President: "My belief is that, as the American people become acquainted with the very good terms of the treaty, they will shift their support to the treaty itself."

Holy cows return to streets of New Delhi.

New Regulations May Close Some Hospitals

Hospital beds and services will be rationed if Department of Health, Education and Welfare (DHEW) proposed "standards" are adopted.

So said O. Ray Hurst, President, Texas Hospital Association (THA), Austin, as he described the DHEW proposals published in the Federal Register on September 23, 1977.

Hurst went on to point out that these proposed regulations mean that within five years Texas will be required to reduce the number of hospital beds by approximately 17,500.

Hurst stated that "such loss of beds coupled with previously announced ceilings on allowable patient days means that one in every four patients that need to be admitted to a hospital will be turned away."

He pointed out that this will be accomplished by forcing the closure of entire hospitals or portions of hospitals.

The proposed guidelines as published will require hospitals to have an occupancy rate of at least 80 percent over all. Also a hospital must have, in order to maintain abstrics services, a minimum of 500 deliveries per year (2,000 in or near cities over 100,000). Hospitals will be required to comply with special restrictions on open heart surgery, cancer therapy, renal dialysis and cardiac diagnostic procedures. In addition, there are geographic restrictions on services that are available to a

community within 45 minutes travel time.

Hurst pointed out that "a part of the stated purpose of these proposed guidelines is to reduce health care cost while improving the care of patients, yet no consideration is given to the medical needs of the community. The THA Statewide Hospital Productivity Center that has been in operation for two years has saved Texas patients over \$100 million dollars. This type of voluntary system could be used as an example of efficiency by the private sector without Federal mandates for limiting and rationing of quality health care."

DHEW is giving the public, hospitals and physicians until November 22, 1977, to comment on these proposals. Comments will be received by Health Resources Administration, Room 10-22, 3700 East-West Highway, Hyattsville, Maryland 20782.

Hurst said "THA is encouraging all persons interested in the continued availability in Texas of quality health care to respond to these proposed limitations, although these proposals are from the bureaucrats, no doubt U.S. Senators and Congressmen will be interested in the public's views on these limitations and the rationing of health care."

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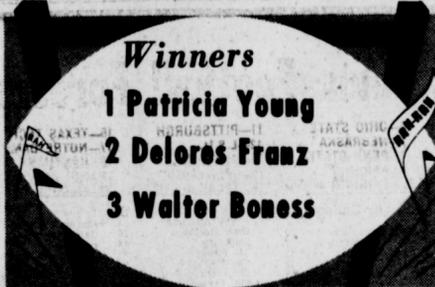
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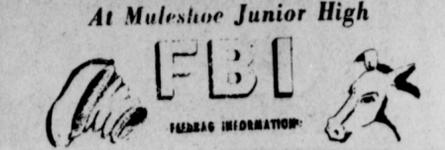
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Player Of The Week

The 7th grade player of the week is Dana Smith. Coach Flowers and Scott picked her because she has put forth a lot of hard work and determination in practice. They expect to see even more improvement before the games begin. We'd like to congratulate Dana for being the player of the week!!!!



DANA SMITH



8th grade player of the week. Robin Burgess was the eighth grade player of the week. She was chosen because of her tremendous dedication and the vast improvement she has made since last year. The coaches are expecting much more from her doing the coming season. Coach Sharyn Flowers stated, "I'm expecting her leadership, ability and winning spirit to be carried over throughout the entire team!" The Journalism Staff would like to congratulate Robin in her efforts!

ROBIN BURGESS

Happy Birthday

The Journalism Staff would like to wish "Happy Birthday" to the following people on their birthdays and hope that their day was a very special one.
October 1-Kacy Henry.
October 2-Pete Gomez, Gracie Reyna.
October 3-Johnny Campos.
October 6-Sylvia Ramirez.
October 7-Terry Baker.
October 8-John Davis, David Puckett.
October 9-Terry Martin, Henry Carrion.
October 10-Jimmy Gonzales, Martina Valdez.
October 11-Michelle Bryant.
October 12-Toribo Corrales.
Hope you have a HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!!!

MJHS Mules Hunt Bobcats At Dimmitt

The 7th and 8th grade football boys will be traveling to Dimmitt to play the Dimmitt Bobcats on October 6. This will be the 8th grade boys "A" team's third game. As of now they are 2-0. Their first victory was against the Tula Hornets 18-8. Then on September 22 the Mules went to Farwell and demolished the Steers 38-0. Our 8th grade "B" team lost to Tula 8-0, but came back and defeated the Steers 16-0 to have a 1-1 record.

This will be the 7th grade boys first game of the season. They are ready and fired up and have shown lots of enthusiasm in the past weeks. Coach Ronnie Ronnie Jones has been staying after school and practicing with 7th and 8th grade teams. The games down at Dimmitt will probably start around 4:00. There will be four games that night. We want everybody to go out and support us to another victory.

Eighth Grade 'A' Team Roster

This year's "A" team roster consists of the following boys: Larry Norman, DC, wearing the number 12 in black and the number 10 in white; Kevin Howard, DC, wearing the number 14 in both black and white; J.J. Martinez, RB, wearing the number 20 in black and number 45 in white; Trent Kirven, RB, wearing the number 25 in black and the number 24 in white; Isrear DelToro, LB, wearing the number 30 in black and 43 in the white; Eddie Black, LB, wearing the number 33 in both the black and the white; Monty Hysinger, QB, wearing the number 32 in the black and the number 15 in the white; Lupe Rosales, RB, wearing the number 40 in both colors; Wayne Precure, DT, wearing the number 52 in the black uniforms and the number 51 in the white; Jeff Meeks, C, wearing the number 55 in both uniforms; Steve Orozco, G, wearing the number 63 in both the black and the white; Eugene Porras, T, wearing the number 64 in the black and number 69 in the white; Ruben Fabela, DT, with the number 65 in both black and white; Alan Harrison, DE, wearing the number 71 in black and number 88 in white; Fernando Casonova, DT, wearing number 78 in both colors; Raul Torres, G, with the number 75 on black and 76 on white uniforms; Graviel Martinez, Se, wearing 81 in black and number 86 in the white; Ronnie Angelcy, NG, wearing in the black number 82 and white number 83; George Vela, DE, with the number 86 in both the black and the white; and John Orozco, DC, white; and John Orozco, DC, number 88 in black and number 44 in white.

'B' Team For Junior High Is Outlined

The eighth grade "B" team roster consists of: Frank Martinez, QB, wearing number 10 in black, number 10 white; Ronnie Luna, SE, wearing number 12 black, number 25 in white; Kevin Dudley, T, wearing number 16 in black, number 16 in white; Lynn Moore, QB, wearing number 19 in black, number 19 in white; Dusty Puckett, SE, wearing number 26 in black, number 26 in white; Scott Saylor, RB, wearing number 28 in black, number 22 in white; Jamie Chancey, RB, wearing number 30 in black, number 30 in white; Tommy Sexton, RB, wearing number 31 in black, number 34 in white; Trini Lopez, RB, wearing number 32 in black, number 33 in white; Joe Neel, T, wearing number 46 in black, number 67 in white; Kevin Huckabee, C, wearing number 54 in black, number 62 in white; Freddie Carrasco, T, wearing number 61 in black, number 61 in white; Joe Don Fabela, T, wearing number 68 in black, number 65 in white; Terry Williams, G, wearing number 76 in black, number 76 in white; Pedro Pacheco, G, wearing number 84 in black, number 84 in white; and Jesse Carrion, TE, wearing number 89 in black, number 87 in white.

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The Lonely Heart

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It is anticipated that the new schedules of rates will result in a 57% (fifty-seven hundredths of one percent) increase in the gross revenues of Pioneer Natural Gas Company which increase is not a "major change" as defined in Section 43(b) of Article 1446c, V.A.T.C.S.

A Statement of Intent to change rates was filed with appropriate regulatory authorities on or about September 26, 1977, and is available for inspection at the Company's main offices, 301 South Taylor Street, Amarillo, Texas.

THE RATE CHANGES DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE DO NOT AFFECT RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL OR IRRIGATION CUSTOMERS OF PIONEER.
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The farm program signed into law September 29 contains for cotton, wheat and feed grains an allotment system totally different from anything farmers have seen before, notes Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock. "and it's going to be important that farmers gain a clear understanding of the new system before making final plans for 1978 crops."

Acreage allotments for the major crops have been based on historical plantings since farm programs began. But under the new law each year's allotment will be determined by that year's planted acreage, independent of previous years.

Johnson explains that when price prospects for cotton appear to be below the target price, the Secretary of Agriculture, not later than December 15, will announce how many acres can be expected to produce the needed U.S. cotton supply. That will be known as the "National Program Acreage." The National Program Acreage figure will then be divided by the estimated U.S. cotton acreage for harvest that year to determine an allotment "Allocation Factor." And that factor will be applied to each farm's planted acreage to arrive at the farm allotment.

As an example, assume (1) that the Secretary says 11.1 million acres are needed to meet demands in 1978, and (2) that the acreage planted to cotton in the U.S. totals 12 million. The National Program Acreage (11.1 million) divided by planted acreage (12 million) gives a 92.5 percent Allocation Factor, and each farm's cotton allotment would be 92.5 percent of its planted acreage. A farm having 100 acres planted would have an allotment and target price coverage on 92.5 acres.

Farmers can, however, assure themselves of target price coverage on all planted acreage. The Secretary will announce for each year the desired reduction from the previous year's plantings, called the "National Reduction Percentage." And the farmer who reduces his prior year's plantings by that percentage or more will not be subject to application of the allotment allocation factor.

The target price for cotton in 1978 will be 52 cents per pound. If the average price paid to all U.S. farmers for all cotton during the calendar year falls below 52 cents, each farmer will be entitled to the per-pound difference, multiplied by the total payment yield on his allotted acres. Farm payment yields will be based on the three-year average of actual production, adjusted for abnormal weather.

The Secretary has authority to declare a set-aside for any crop, as has already been done for wheat in 1978. For cotton the statutory maximum set-aside is 28 percent of planted acreage. It is anticipated that USDA will establish for each farm a normal cropland base or normal cropland acreage figure.

When a set-aside requirement is in effect for any program, eligibility for loans and payments will be conditioned on producers planting within their cropland base minus set-aside acreage.

Cropland bases are expected to include all acreage planted to "designated crops" in 1977. No official list of designated crops has been released, but one source, sometimes reliable, says designated crops will include all crops that the State ASCS Committees consider to be major in their states.

No firm regulations for the operation of set-aside programs have been issued, but it appears the cropland base will be the key.

"Producers therefore would be well advised to make certain that their ASCS office has a record of all acreage planted to all crops in 1977," Johnson states, "and to maintain close contact with ASCS as future regulations are announced."

Texas, Oklahoma Upset Predicted

It was 6-6 tie last fall between Oklahoma and Texas. And the result for both teams, to use the old cliché, was "like kissing your sister." There'll be no sister-kissing this year as both teams are capable of operating in high gear with explosive offenses. The Longhorns who lead in the long series, 42 wins to 26 for the Sooners, have literally bombed three opponents, Boston College, Virginia, and Rice. Vanderbilt frightened the daylight out of the Sooners in their opener before losing by

just two points. Utah received the full brunt of the Oklahoma anger, 62-24, and then came that big win over Ohio State. Last week the Sooners whipped Kansas. This one will be close and probably high scoring, and we're picking Texas to upset Oklahoma by 3 points.

Another intra-conference game, this one to be nationally televised, pits Alabama against southern California. The Trojans in winning four straight games have performed according to plan except for one let-down against Oregon State. Nebraska surprised Alabama, but of course the Tide is very much in contention in the Southeast Conference. This is the second long trip of the season for Alabama and again it won't be. We're going with Trojans to beat the Tide by ten points.

Last year Michigan destroyed Michigan State in their annual intra-state fracas, and the Spartans' chances for 1977 don't look much better. The Wolverines have had not one, but two downers. They won weakly from Duke by 12 points, and Navy was stubborn, losing by only seven, since beating Texas A & M, however, they may be back to normal. Michigan State, two and two on the season, is a 25 point underdog to "neighbor" Michigan.

An just so no one forgets, the Cougars of Brigham Young haven't changed their tactics -- they're still winning! This week, they take on a member of the Pac 8, Oregon State. And the script should read the same. B.Y. will win by 31 points with passing wizard, Giff Neilsen, leading the way.

Finally, the unbent Buffalo of Colorado will up-end twice-beaten Big Eight rival, Oklahoma State, by thirteen points.

Angelo State 27 S F Austin 6
Austin Peay 20 Morehead 14
Carson-Newman 21 Newberry 14
Catawba 15 Presbyterian 14
Central Arkansas 23 Monticello 7
Concord 31 Emory & Henry 0
Delta State 27 Mississippi College 14
East Texas 27 Sam Houston 8
Eastern Kentucky 28 Middle Tennessee 8
Elon 33 No. Carolina Central 6
Gardner-Webb 21 Lenoir-Rhyne 16
Henderson 28 Lane 0
Jacksonville 21 Tennessee Tech 17
Liberty Baptist 22 Hampden-Sydney 21
Livingston 27 Tuskegee 12
Maryville 20 Madison 10
Murray 21 P.V.I. 20
Wyoming 21 Utah 7

Other Games—South and Southwest

Other Games—Far West

Other Games—Midwest

Other Games—East

Open Dating And Handling Important

COLLEGE STATION - Open dating and proper handling - both procedures help to keep perishables fresh, says Marilyn Haggard, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Manufacturers and grocers in recent years have begun Open Code Dating on perishables. This gesture of openness shows a concern for pleasing the consumer. We check for freshness at the grocer's, but keeping perishables top quality from store to table is the consumer's responsibility.

To help keep your produce fresh, Miss Haggard suggests that you:

1. Stop for groceries last, ensure home especially in summer, when the temperature of foods can be raised quickly in a hot automobile.
2. Place frozen foods in the freezer immediately. The minutes you waste reduce the life of the food.
3. Reveal packages according to the manufacturer's directions to prevent drying and spoilage.
4. Return leftover foods to the refrigerator as soon as possible after a meal is completed. You

can't expect lunch meats to stay fresh if they are left unnecessarily long at room temperature.

5. Rotate foods in the pantry to keep check on expiration dates.
6. If you do buy a product that is spoiled when you get it home or shortly thereafter, first consider if you have handled the food properly. If the spoilage is not your fault, return the product to your grocer. He will probably exchange the product or return your money. Grocers want to please customers and you will do yourself and your grocer a favor by returning the product instead of feeling cheated.

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3-TEXAS	8-PENN STATE	13-ALABAMA	18-KENTUCKY
4-COLORADO	9-ARKANSAS	14-CALIFORNIA	19-HOUSTON
5-OKLAHOMA	10-BRIGHAM YOUNG	15-TEXAS A & M	20-FLORIDA

Saturday, Oct. 8 - Major Colleges

Alcorn State	23	Texas Southern	22
Appalachian	30	East Tennessee	7
Arizona State	24	New Mexico	12
Arkansas State	20	Lamar	17
Arlington	17	McNeese	15
Ball State	24	Illinois State	7
Baylor	24	S.M.U.	13
Bowling Green	25	Toledo	7
Brigham Young	38	Oregon State	7
Brown	21	Pennsylvania	6
California	28	Washington State	16
Central Michigan	33	Northern Illinois	10
Chattanooga	23	Western Carolina	19
Cincinnati	24	Florida State	17
Citadel	20	Delaware	17
Clemson	31	Virginia	0
Coalgate	28	Holy Cross	6
Colorado State	22	U.T.E.P.	6
Colorado	21	Oklahoma State	15
Dartmouth	21	Yale	17
Dayton	34	Randolph-Macon	20
East Carolina	22	Akron	13
Eastern Michigan	28	Southern Illinois	23
Fresno State	27	NE Louisiana	27
Fullerton	24	Western Michigan	9
Georgia	20	Mississippi	10
Grambling	27	Tennessee	16
Hawaii	25	Cornell	16
Idaho	32	Pacific	24
Illinois	28	Idaho State	21
Indiana State	27	Wisconsin	21
Indiana	28	Northwestern	10
Iowa State	31	Pine Bluff	7
Kansas	24	Miami, Fl.	15
Kent State	24	Western Michigan	20
Kentucky	28	Mississippi State	20
L.S.U.	37	Vanderbilt	10
Louisiana	22	Tulsa	10
Maryland	30	Syracuse	15
Miami (Ohio)	21	Marshall	10
Michigan State	31	Michigan State	6
Minnesota	27	Iowa	16
Missouri	20	Iowa State	16
Missouri State	24	Air Force	16
Nebraska	34	Kansas State	8
No. Carolina State	23	Auburn	14
North Carolina	20	Wake Forest	7
North Texas	23	South Mississippi	20
NW Louisiana	22	Nicholls	10
Ohio State	24	Purdue	13
Penn State	35	Utah State	10
Pittsburgh	30	Florida	13
Princeton	21	Columbia	19
Rutgers	27	Connecticut	7
San Jose State	24	Santa Clara	16
South Carolina	22	Duke	21
Southern California	27	Alabama	7
Southern U.	33	Bishop	7
SW Louisiana	21	Louisiana Tech	17
Tennessee	23	Georgia Tech	20
T.C.U.	23	Rice	20
Texas Tech	27	Arizona	23
Tulane	25	Oklahoma	14
U.C.L.A.	22	Boston College	20



The Speaker Reports

by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN--A bill dealing with the valuation of open-space land was passed by the 65th Legislature with the hope that a related Constitutional amendment would also be approved. Although such an amendment was not passed, the bill did become law and should be recognized by taxing authorities in valuing farm and ranch land in the State after January 1, 1978.

Open-space land is defined as land "owned by natural persons, authorized farm corporations, estates, or trusts for the benefit of

natural persons with a five-year history of being devoted principally to the production of farm crops for forest products, to the raising of livestock, or land which is used principally for ecological laboratories. . . . Further specifications are made defining farm crops, forest products, livestock, category, average net to land, and authorized farm corporation.

These definitions indicate that the Legislature understands the need to maintain the State's land resources

and feels that a five year history of production is an adequate time frame in which to properly qualify land and that small, family farms should be given the most attention.

The law is quite specific about the use of the income capitalization rate to be used in determining land values. Manuals are to be developed and distributed to the Comptroller of Public Accounts setting forth acceptable methods. Then the capitalization rate shall be set at an amount equal to 2 percent greater than the average variable interest rate specified by the Federal Land Bank of Houston for the preceding tax year. The purpose of such detailed language is to insure that the productivity of the land is reflected in assessment values.

In all likelihood, there will be those who will attack this new law on the basis of its

constitutionality. However, the law is written to comply with all guidelines contained in the Texas Constitution.

Article 8, Section 1 provides that the Legislature may provide by law for methods of valuing taxable property. Section 20 says that these values may not exceed fair cash market value.

House Bill 22 provides that the values derived under the new provisions "shall never exceed the fair market value of the land." In the past, the Legislature has provided by law specific methods for the assessing the real and personal property of banks, certain leasehold interests, mutual life insurance companies, and certain pension plans. All of these have been held to be constitutional by the courts. House Bill 22, like these past laws, represents a constitutional exercise of legislative authority.

The goal of this legislation is preservation of one of the State's most treasured natural resources--its land. This is achieved by an effort to stabilize the ad valorem taxes which would be imposed and by methodologies which encourage the agricultural/ranching use of the land.

Fashion

Fall is a good time to replenish the linen closet and also a good time to check on sheets which have become worn or split. Some of these may have portions which can be used for crib sheets or pillow slips.

September is usually a time of the year when blanket sales are advertised and some stores put on white sales in this month.

The trouble with many filing systems is the stuff they file.

Older Adults See Change From Industry

CLOTHING OLDER ADULTS COLLEGE STATION -- The garment industry faces the older adult challenge, says Marlene Odle-Kemp, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. In less than 10 years, older adults are expected to comprise 20 percent of the U.S. population, the specialist says.

With aging comes different clothing needs. Body figures take on a different proportions which do not comfortably fit into regular sizes.

There is a need for garment design that will remain attractive and stylish despite changing fashion trends. Older adults generally do not have large wardrobes, and may not buy clothes frequently, but when they do need something, they like to have a choice from which to select, says Mrs. Odle-Kemp.

Clothing needs may change a great deal after retirement. The tailored suit may only be worn on Sunday or for special occasions. More casual clothes are the mode for less demanding

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Texas Taxes

By BOB BULLOCK
State Comptroller

AUSTIN--For some months now, I've been getting chuckles from the various taxpayer groups I speak to with my story about the three most often told lies:

The first one is, Your check is in the mail.

Second, The boss is tied up in a meeting and can't talk now.

And third, I'm from the state tax office and I'm here to help you.

Unfortunately, many taxpayers still tend to cringe when a state tax collector comes calling. And they may have had reason to in the past because all too often the only time the tax collector came around was when there was a problem.

We've tried hard to change that image of the tax collector since I took office in January, 1975. And I think we've made a lot of progress.

But we've still got a way to go to convince people that we sincerely do want to help them.

In the next few months, every business in Texas -- from the giant discount house to the small Mom and Pop grocery -- is going to get a personal visit from a tax specialist from the Comptroller's Office.

And when the tax officer tells businessmen and women that he or she is from the Comptroller's Office and is there to help them, that's going to be the truth.

You can bank on it. The visits will be friendly ones -- for the primary purpose of answering the taxpayer's questions and giving them any help they might need in complying with the state's complex tax laws.

The door-to-door canvassing project is a mammoth undertaking because of the large number of businesses in Texas. But we think it's going to be a worthwhile one, reaping dividends for both the taxpayer and the Comptroller's Office.

By visiting personally with the taxpayer, we can identify potential problems while they are still small. And that means less problems down the road for the taxpayer -- and for us.

A sample canvass conducted in July by half a dozen of our field offices demonstrated the value of the program.

Of the 4,700 taxpayers visited, some 19 percent required assistance or needed tax permits. By correcting these problems early, these taxpayers avoided bigger, potentially costly ones further down the road.

I've always believed that it's easier to solve problems on a person to person basis. Bureaucracies tend to be impersonal, and there's little wonder that taxpayers view them with suspicion.

We think our door-to-door canvassing campaign will help to solve that problem.

So when a tax specialist from my office comes by your place of business and says he's there to help you, welcome him.

He's not lying. IF YOU HAVE ANY STATE TAX PROBLEMS OR QUESTIONS, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COMPTROLLER'S FIELD OFFICE OR CALL TOLL FREE, 1-800-252-5555.

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2 coupons will appear in our ad each week for 12 weeks--redeem them all and you'll have

2400 EXTRA STAMPS

No. 4 THIS COUPON IS GOOD FOR
100 FREE GUNN BROS. STAMPS
AT Whites Cashway
No Purchase Required

Please fill in your name and city
Only One Coupon Per Customer--

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100 EXTRA GUNN BROS. STAMPS
AT Whites Cashway
With the Purchase of \$7.50 Or More

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LISTEN TO THE MULETRAIN
10:15 a.m. MONDAY-FRIDAY
OVER KMUL
SPONSORED BY
WHITES CASHWAY

PUREX

GIANT BOX DETERGENT

89¢

COCA COLA

32 OZ. BOTTLE 6 BOTTLE CARTON

\$1.59

PLUS DEPOSIT

Frozen Food Savings

10 Oz. Pkg. Keiths
GREEN PEAS 3/89¢

Banquet 8 Oz. Pkg.
POT PIES 3/89¢

Keiths 24 Count Pkg.
DINNER ROLLS 59¢

6 Oz. Can Keiths Frozen
LEMONADE 5/\$1

SUGAR

WHITE SWAN PURE CANE
5 LB. BAG
LIMIT ONE WITH \$7.50 PURCHASE OR MORE

69¢

Fresh Fruit and Produce Sale

California Cassleman
PLUMS 3 Lbs. \$1

Colorado Firm Green Heads
CABBAGE Lb. 12¢

California Tokay Flame
GRAPES Lb. 59¢

BELL PEPPERS Texas Firm Green 5¢ each

POTATOES Colorado No. 2 White Russets 10 Lb. Bag 79¢

BACON

Wilson Certified
Vac-Pak
Thin Sliced

\$1.29

1 LB. PKG.

HOT DOGS

Armours Star
Skinless Meat

69¢

12 Oz. Pkg.

COME TO CASHWAY FOR YOUR WIC CARD PURCHASES

WE WELCOME USDA FOOD STAMP COUPONS

CHOICE MEATS AT LOWEST PRICES

Swifts Premium Proten Beef
RIB STEAK Lb. 98¢

Swifts Premium Proten Beef
RANCH STEAK Lb. 98¢

Swifts Premium Proten Beef
ARM ROAST Lb. 98¢

El Jacalito Corn 40 Count Pkg.
TORTILLAS 55¢

FOOD BARGAINS

5 Oz. Can Swifts Premium
VIENNA SAUSAGE 3/\$1

9 Oz. Pkg. Pringles New Fangled
POTATO CHIPS 89¢

18 Oz. Jar Peter Pan Smooth Or Crunchy
PEANUT BUTTER \$1.09

2 Lb. Pkg. Aunt Jemima Buttermilk
PANCAKE MIX 79¢

4 Bar Pkg. Bath Soap
COAST 99¢

50 Oz. Box Dish Detergent
CRYSTAL CLEAR \$1.59

8 Oz. Can Pillsbury Crescent
DINNER ROLLS 2/89¢

No. 303 Can Larsen Veg All
MIXED VEGETABLES 3/\$1

14 1/2 Can Franco American
SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS 49¢

16 Oz. Box Betty Crocker
POTATO BUDS 79¢

15 Oz. Can Ranch Style
BEANS 4/\$1

No. 1 Can Campbells
TOMATO SOUP 5/\$1

No. 300 Can Hunts Sandwich Sauce
MANWICH 59¢

4 Oz. Can White Swan Pure Ground
BLACK PEPPER 59¢

4 Count Pkg. Hunts Snack Pack
PUDDING CUPS 69¢

30 Count Box New Freedom Beltless
MAXI PADS \$1.69

MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING

89¢ QUART JAR

LIMIT ONE WITH 7.50 PURCHASE OR MORE

Whites CASHWAY

7:30 a.m. til 9:00 p.m. MONDAY-SATURDAY CLOSED SUNDAY

402 Main 272-4244

Double Gunn Bros. Stamps Every Wednesday
We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities