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Around Muleshoe

The Kidney Foundation of the Texas Panhandle, Amarillo, said \$503.56 was contributed by local residents during the recent door-to-door Gift of Life campaign in Muleshoe.

J.E. Birdwell enrolled his herd of Herefords in the Total Performance Records program of the American Hereford Association, according to an announcement by AHA officials in Kansas City.

The Olton Chamber of Commerce has scheduled a Flea Market on Eighth Street on Saturday, May 5.

No special program was planned for the Muleshoe Rotary Club on Tuesday.

Guests at the meeting included Charles Aycock and Johnny Atkinson, both of Farwell, Connie Williams, along with Greg Atkinson, son of Johnny Atkinson.

Judge Schedules 14 Jury Trials For This Friday

Fourteen cases have been scheduled for trial in city court before a jury on Friday.

Prospective jurors include Marcia Henry, Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs, Hugh Young, Frank Sneed, Kay Harris, Polly Otwell, Donald Prather and Rich Magby.



TOP AWARD WINNERS...Receiving some of the Top Awards presented at the Future Farmers of America Banquet at Muleshoe High School included, from left, Clayton Ramm, Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Award and the DeKalb Award, along with the Crop Production Award; Curby Brantley, Chapter Star Farmer, Senior Chapter Conducting and Livestock Judging; and Kenny Henderson, Chapter Star Agribusinessman and the Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Young Agriculturist.



THEY'RE ALL ROYALTY...Chosen as royalty in the Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant last Saturday night were, from left, Kathryn Flowers, Junior Miss Tri-County; Laura Ellis, Miss Tri-County, from Friona; Tisha Young, Little Miss Tri-County and in front, Misty Hillin, Miss La Petite.

Henderson, Ramm Receive FFA Awards

Kenny Henderson was named Star Agribusinessman, Curby Brantley, Chapter Star Farmer and Curtis Wheeler, Star Greenhand, to walk off with the top prizes at the annual FFA banquet at Muleshoe High School Tuesday night.

Guest speaker for the banquet in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria was David Rattan, Area 1 president from Boys' Ranch. He is now a student at West Texas State University, Canyon.

"Rural America is the most friendly place to live," he stated, and gave some of the responsibilities of the Future Farmers of America.

Officers of the FFA presented awards with President Keith Hawkins presenting the names and Clifford Watson, vice president, giving the awards.

Farmer Awards to Robert Green, Shirley Lynn and Clela Williams and to the following: Tammy Lane, Floriculture and Nursery Operation; Curtis Wheeler, Scholarship; Bruce Crabtree, Vegetable Production; Tina McDaniel, Agricultural Processing; Agricultural Mechanics; Marty Livingston, Lyndall Stovall, Agricultural Electrification; Clayton Ramm, Crop Production; Casey Farmer, Horse Proficiency and Joey Carpenter, Poultry Production.

Also, Derek Prater, Swine Production; Ben Harmon, Sheep Production; Benny Pena, Beef Production; Starla Black, Diversified Livestock Production; Clifford Watson, Public Speaking; Ricky

Youth Skating Friday

Muleshoe Area Youth Activities Committee, Inc. will sponsor youth skating Friday night, April 27, from 7-10 p.m. at the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum.

President Keith Pate said any youth who wishes to use their free passes issued at the movie last week for the skating may do so, just present them at the door.

Admission is 50 cents and the skating is restricted to roller skates only. A concession stand will be operated during the skating in the arena.

Kenemer, Placement in Sales and Service; Tommy Edmundson, Placement in Agricultural Production. Team awards were: SENIOR FARM SKILL Dennis Patterson and Bruce Crabtree.

SENIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING Thurman Myers, Clifford Watson, Curby Brantley, Greg Harrison, Benny Pena, Ben Harmon, Dennis Patterson, Todd Ellis, Jimmy Gleason and Bryce Holmes.

FARM RADIO Roby Clark, Wayne Ware and Sheri Knowlton. FFA QUIZ Starla Black and Jackie Alexander.

POULTRY JUDGING Curtis Wheeler, Ronnie Angeley and Alan Harrison.

AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS CONTEST Keith Hawkins, Dean Estep, Mike Dale and Gaylon Strahan.

MEATS JUDGING Bryce Holmes, Tommy Wheeler, Monti Vandiver. DAIRY CATTLE Keith Hawkins, Steve Turner and Benny Pena.

LAND JUDGING Benton Glaze, Kelley Harrison, Clifford Watson and Curtis Hunt. LIVESTOCK JUDGING Curby Brantley, Jimmy Ware and Larry Nowell.

School, City Slate Meet On May 7

During a special school board meeting Monday night, it was decided to hold a joint meeting with the Muleshoe City Council on Monday, May 7, to discuss ad valorem taxes. Place of the meeting has not been determined.

The school board members also heard, studied and reviewed a report on House Bill 1060, which is the School Tax Bill, including exemptions, vehicles and total valuation. In other action, the school board heard a report on medical and hospitalization insurance premium increases due to the addition of maternity benefits and considered approval of student and athletic insurance for the 1979-80 school year.

More Cotton Acres Will Be Planted This Year

Laura Ellis Named '79 Miss Tri-County

Crowned as Miss Tri-County Saturday night in Muleshoe was Laura Ellis, a high school senior from Friona. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis, former Muleshoe residents.

Ellis said the last time she was on stage at Muleshoe High School was in the 1950's, when he joined a group singing some of the songs featured in the theme of the annual pageant, 'Happy Days.' He graduated from MHS in 1955, and currently is the owner and publisher of the Friona Star and the Bovina Blade.

Laura is currently the Maize Queen at Friona, and was second runner-up for Miss Irish Rose in Shamrock last month. When she graduates from FHS next month, she plans to attend West Texas State University at Canyon and major in drama.

She has been a member of the All-Region band for the last five years; is president of the Forensics Club; president of the Trebleaires, a vocal group that travels throughout the area in performances; valedictorian at FHS this year; was named the most beautiful sophomore; featured on the All-Star play cast for 1979 and first in the district in UIL newswriting.

Laura has studied ballet for the last 10 years, traveling to Clovis for three days a week.

First runner-up for Miss Tri-County was Sheryl Waltrip, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Waltrip. Sheryl is a student at Three Way High School.

Mechele Bailley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chisholm of Sudan was second runner-up. Lisa Redwine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Redwine was third runner-up and Robin Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burgess was fourth runner-up.

Miss Congeniality in the FA Boosters Name Officers Buy Uniforms

During a meeting Monday night of the Muleshoe Fine Arts Booster Club, new officers were elected for the next year. Elected were Ann Williams, president; Marshall 'Catfish' Williams, first vice president; Terry Bouchelle, second vice president; Carolyn Harris, third vice president; Sandra Martin, secretary/treasurer and Rose Sain, reporter.

The FA Boosters voted to purchase 86 blazers and dickers for the Muleshoe Junior High School Band. They also voted to meet every month during the year on the fourth Monday.

It was announced that the Kiwanis Club and junior high school band would be painting house numbers on curbs and asking for donations to the FA Boosters to help with the purchase of the uniforms.

Also, it was announced that the 'Golden Years of Country Music' will be presented at 8:30 p.m. on June 7 at Benny Douglass Stadium. It will be presented by the Music Department of South Plains College, Levelland. Tickets will be \$2.50 for advance sales and \$3 at the gate. Children will be admitted free and a concession stand will be operated during the show.

Temperature Of Soil Decides Plant Dates

Soil temperature on the South Plains already have warmed up enough that farmers are anxious to begin planting cotton, according to Spencer Tanksley, Bailey County Extension Agent. Although soil temperatures are an excellent guide for establishing the earliest feasible time for planting, they could be misleading, he warned.

This year, projections indicate that cotton acreage in this county could be increased by more than 50,000 acres from the 122,360 acres planted last year, to some 175,000 acres this year.

According to figures released by the USDA office in Muleshoe, last Thursday, some 350 farmers had signed up for 51,360 acres of cotton. A spokesman at the USDA office reminded that Monday, April 30, is the last day for farmers to sign up if they want to receive any benefits, and add that 600 farmers in the county have not signed up as yet.

'Soil temperature by itself may be misleading,' said Tanksley. In many areas of the South Plains, the soil has reached a 10-day average temperature of 60 degrees at a depth of eight inches, although the soil temperature in Bailey County is running slightly below the average at some 54 degrees. The soil usually doesn't reach that warmth, of 60 degrees, until early May, reminded the extension agent.

'In addition to the soil temperature, we need to look at the calendar, and especially at the long range weather forecast,' Tanksley added. Several days of cool, rainy weather are normal in this area during late April and early May, he noted.

In fact, the 30-day weather outlook valid through mid-May predicts just the type of weather about which the county agent is concerned, according to a spokesman for the National Weather Service.

Through mid-May, the forecast says, below normal temperatures are expected over the entire area. Near to slightly below normal rainfall is expected for southern and southeastern counties of

the South Plains, but above normal rainfall is likely over the rest of the area. 'Often, there is a dip in the soil temperatures in the first week in May,' said the NWS spokesman. This occurs following rains which are common at this time, he explained.

The last 15 days of April often are much warmer than the first 15 days of May, agreed Elmer Hudspeth, director of the USDA cotton laboratory at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Lubbock.

He said the 60-degree average minimum soil temperature tells when not to plant as much as it tells when to plant. He added that research has shown that until the 10-day average soil temperature surpasses 60 degrees, the percentage of emergence of planted seed is only about 30 percent.

Tanksley said that present soil temperatures might induce farmers to plant now, but do not insure an earlier crop than if cotton is planted about May 1. He cited a three year study conducted on the South Plains by Dr. J.D. Bilbro, Jr., research cotton agronomist with USDA Science and Education Administration, Lubbock. It showed that cotton crops planted on

Lubbock Man Found Guilty By Local Jury

A Lubbock resident, Page McDaniell, was found guilty Saturday, by a jury in district court in Muleshoe on charges he was one of two men who broke into Damron Drug several months ago.

The jury was expected to resume deliberations Wednesday morning at 9:30 a.m. on the punishment phase of the trial.

Members of the jury included Tommy Marlow, Violet Dean, J.M. Hefner, Jerry M. Harrison, Rhonda P. Gore, Christine Hodnett, Lillias S. Pollard, Sylvia J. Hubbard, Galen D. Bock, Johnny L. Boyce, Robbie Sowder and Lupe Rejino.

Few Tickets Available For Banquet

A few tickets are still available for the Athletic Banquet planned by the Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club for Tuesday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria.

Tickets are being sold on a first come, first serve basis at \$5 each and only 175 tickets went on sale to the general public. The Boosters reminded that in order to assure a seat at the banquet, be sure to reserve your tickets immediately.

During the banquet, all high school athletes will be honored, in all-sports, and guest speaker will be Berl Huffman, well known former Texas Tech University coach.

Kindergarten Registration Is Scheduled

Registration for kindergarten at the Three Way School is scheduled for Friday, May 4, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the elementary school library, according to Elementary School Principal Charles Dean.

He said in order to register, a student must be five years of age by September 1, 1979. Parents are asked to bring the students' birth certificate and immunization record.

Registering the students will be Mrs. Allene Pitcock. The principal said coffee and cookies will be served during registration.



TOURNAMENT WINNER...Bill Jim St. Clair won the men's division of the golf tournament played at the Muleshoe Country Club for the last two weeks. He was presented his trophy following the last match on Sunday afternoon.

### Mail Order Fraud Can Be Problem

Think twice before paying for the chance to work, advises a consumer information specialist.

For instance, ads that read "Make easy money at home, send \$3 for details" may defraud consumers seeking to supplement their income at home, Claudia Kerbel says.

Dishonest ads may promise payment for at-home work only to send the hapless consumer a letter on how to start his own mail order business or inform him that he must pass a test or pay a registration fee before qualifying.

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

### R.L. Reeves

#### Funeral Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral services for R.L. Reeves, 76, of Post, were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in Lubbock at Resthaven Singleton - Wilson Chapel with Rev. George Butler, minister of the First United Methodist Church of Welch, officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under direction of Resthaven Singleton - Wilson Funeral Home.

He died at 6:40 a.m. Sunday in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock following a lengthy illness. He was born September 5, 1902 at Lone Oak and moved to Post eight years ago from Maple. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First United Methodist Church at Post.

Survivors include two sons, James, Shallowater and Jack, Maple; four daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Davis, Lubbock; Mrs. Lillie Conners, Post; Mrs. Shirley Harrison, DeLeon and Mrs. Joan Pearcey, Slaton; one brother, Brady, Lubbock; two sisters, Inez House, Quitman and Mary Keene, Stockton, Calif.; 19 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

### Bobby Wingo Wreck Victim Outside Dallas

Bobby Wingo, son of Beryl and Pat Wingo, former Muleshoe residents, was killed in a truck accident on April 12, south of Dallas.

He was a resident of Arlington. He was a former resident of Muleshoe, and graduated from school here.

He was survived by two children, Kim, of the home and Bobby, at Texas Tech University, Lubbock; his parents; two sisters and one brother.

His parents are now residents of Big Sandy, Tex.

### Irene Watkins Funeral Rites Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Irene Watkins, 76, were conducted at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church at 3 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Moody Smith, pastor, and T.Rev. Jim Ed McGuire, pastor of the First Baptist Church at New Deal, officiating. Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home.

Mrs. Watkins, who had been a resident of the Oklahoma Land community in Parmer County since 1932, died at 4:45 p.m. Friday in West Texas Hospital at Lubbock.

She was born in McMinn County, Tenn on May 3, 1902, and her husband, Claude B. Watkins, preceded her in death in 1977. She was a member of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Glen Watkin, Muleshoe; Kenneth Watkins, Farwell and Dean Watkins, Dallas; one daughter, Mrs. Coretta Kerr, Lubbock; three brothers, Dee Brown and Jackie Brown, both of Muleshoe and Murrell Brown, Amarillo, and seven grandchildren.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to a favorite charity.

are homemakers with young children at home, shut-ins, elderly persons and the unemployed.

Many consumers who fall prey to these schemes never complain because of the small amount of money lost. But these small amounts add up when there are tens of thousands of responses.

Consumers who plan to invest in a work-at-home plan should first call the local Better Business Bureau or Retail Merchants Association to find out about the company's reputation, the specialist recommends.

Also, be cautious of the

following before investing in a work-at-home opportunity:

- The advertisement promises large profits for little work.
- The ad requires the consumer to send money to receive further information.
- The ad says that no

experience is necessary.

- The company will not supply the names of other employees so the consumer can check on their experience.
- The consumer is required to buy and then resell a product at a profit -- the item may be of poor quality and unsalable.

#### CONGRESS & EXPENSES

Congress has begun work on legislation that would give members of the House and Senate a \$50-a-day income tax deduction to help offset the cost of living in Washington. The bill would cost the government an estimated \$2.5 million a year in lost income tax revenues.

### Classified Ads

Dead line for Thurs. Is Tues. At 11:00 a.m.  
Deadline For Sun. Paper is 11:00 a.m. Fri.  
Call 272-4536



# PRICES... Worth Your While

"Each of these advertised items is required to be readily available for sale at or below the advertised price in each store, except as specifically noted in this ad. We reserve the right to limit quantities. None sold to dealers." Prices Good April 22, thru April 28, 1979

<p><b>Van Camp's Pork &amp; Beans</b> 16 oz. Cans <b>4 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 32% ON 4 CANS</i></p>	<p><b>PIGGLY WIGGLY White Bread</b> 1 1/2-LB. LOAVES <b>2 79¢</b> <i>SAVE</i></p>
<p><b>White Swan Macaroni &amp; Cheese Dinners</b> 7 1/4 oz. Boxes <b>5 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 30% ON 5 BOXES</i></p>	<p><b>White Swan Sweetmilk &amp; Buttermilk Biscuits</b> 8 oz. Cans <b>7 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 40% ON 7 CANS</i></p>
<p><b>Duncan Hines Cake Mixes</b> All Varieties <b>66¢</b> 18 1/2 oz. Box <i>Save 17%</i></p>	<p><b>Sunshine Krispy Crackers</b> <b>56¢</b> 1 lb. Box <i>SAVE 23%</i></p>

**Pepsi Cola, Diet Pepsi, Pepsi Light, Mountain Dew**

12 oz. Cans  
**6 FOR 1 19**

### Barney's Butcher Shop Sale

BE SATISFIED WITH PIGGLY WIGGLY MEATS OR DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK!

<p><b>Wilson Certified Boneless Buffet Ham</b> <b>1 98 LB.</b></p>	<p><b>Old Fashioned Thick Sliced Market Style Sliced Bacon</b> <b>1 18 LB.</b></p>
<p><b>USDA Heavy Western Beef Blade - Cut Chuck Roast</b> <b>1 38 LB.</b></p>	<p><b>Lean Ground Chuck</b> <b>1 68 LB.</b></p>
<p><b>USDA HEAVY WESTERN BEEF BLADE CUT CHUCK STEAK</b> 1 48 LB.</p> <p><b>LEAN BOSTON BUTT PORK ROAST</b> 1 28 LB.</p> <p><b>PORK SHOULDER STEAK</b> 1 38 LB.</p>	<p><b>OSCAR MAYER BOLOGNA</b> 8oz. PKG. 1 08</p> <p><b>LAND-O-FROST CHICKEN BOLOGNA</b> 98¢ LB.</p> <p><b>PEAK WIENERS</b> 2LB. PKG. 2 28</p> <p><b>Jimmy Dean Sausage</b> 1 LB. 1 65 3 28 2 LBS.</p>

Glen Park

**BATHROOM TISSUE** 4 ROLLS  
**59¢**

### Cascade Automatic Dishwasher Detergent

**1 99** 65 oz. Box

### Stan's Produce Sale!

BE SATISFIED WITH PIGGLY WIGGLY PRODUCE OR DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK

<p><b>Cantaloupes</b> Sweet, Luscious <b>3 FOR \$1</b></p>	<p><b>Avocados</b> Buttery Smooth <b>5 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 13% ON 5</i></p>
<p><b>White Onions</b> <b>5 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 13% ON 5</i></p>	<p><b>Spinach</b> 4 Bunches <b>4 FOR \$1</b> <i>SAVE 13% ON 4</i></p>

<p>Del Monte <b>Pineapple</b> 15 1/2 oz. Can <b>56¢</b></p> <p>Pace <b>Picante Sauce</b> 8 oz. Btl. <b>59¢</b></p> <p>Sara Lee <b>Pound Cake</b> 10 1/4 oz. Pkg. <b>1 29</b></p> <p>Minute Maid <b>Lemonade</b> 30 oz. Can <b>1 99</b></p> <p>Cycle 1-4 Dry <b>Dog Food</b> 5 lb. Box <b>1 49</b></p> <p>Kraft Miracle Whip <b>Salad Dressing</b> 48 oz. Jar <b>1 95</b></p> <p>Van Camp's <b>Beenee Weenee</b> 8 oz. Can <b>47¢</b></p> <p>Dixie <b>Refill Cups</b> 80 ct. Pkg. <b>1 39</b></p> <p>Folgers <b>Instant Coffee</b> 6 oz. Jar <b>2 99</b></p> <p>Folgers <b>Instant Coffee</b> 10 oz. Jar <b>4 29</b></p> <p>Chiffon Soft <b>Margarine</b> 16 oz. Pkg. <b>79¢</b></p> <p>Tampax Super Plus <b>Tampons</b> 40 ct. Box <b>2 09</b></p> <p>Sunshine Oatmeal <b>Cookies</b> 20 oz. Pkg. <b>99¢</b></p>	<p><b>Downy</b> 33 oz. Bottle <b>99¢</b></p> <p><b>Fabric Softener</b></p> <p>Kraft <b>Barbecue Sauce</b> 18 oz. Bottle <b>69¢</b></p> <p>All Varieties</p> <p><b>Maryland Club Coffee</b> All Grinds 1 lb. Can <b>2 54</b></p> <p><b>Lipton 100% Instant Tea</b> 3 oz. Jar <b>1 99</b></p> <p>Ruffles <b>Potato Chips</b> 5 1/2 oz. Bag <b>79¢</b></p> <p>Regular &amp; Seasoned</p>
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# Saturday Proclaimed Gil Lamb Day

The Epsilon Delta Chapter of ESA has proclaimed Saturday, April 28 as Gil Lamb Appreciation Day in Muleshoe. The sorority will hold a radio-thon and bake sale on KMUL Saturday from 6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. They will read letters of appreciation to Lamb and will also sell baked goods.

This is the story of Gil Lamb as told by his daughter, Magann Lamb Rennels:

Gilbert Payton Lamb, 71, born June 10, 1907 in Hazel, Kentucky, in the front room of the Lamb family home which still stands today in the little town located on the Kentucky-Tennessee border. His parents were Ann and T.M. Lamb, both deceased. When Gilbert was 3, he came from Hazel in 1910 to Alamogordo, N.M., with his family for his mother's health. She had consumption, later known as T.B. She died in 1923 in Roswell when Gilbert had just turned 16. He was reared and attended school in Roswell. He played trumpet in the high school band in Roswell and soon after his mother's death he went on a road show playing trumpet.

With his musical ability plus a talent for acting he moved up fast into a juvenile part in the show and also sang between the acts. In the 1920's and 30's he was with Guy Bert Davis, Brunks Comedians, Hazel Hurd Players, Toby Young and the famous Harley Sadler and His Own Company. He played Muleshoe many times with the tent show. In the 1940's he sold wind-chargers, (something that is being talked about again today). From 1948-50 he owned Gilbert Lamb Company, a windcharger concern in Clayton, N.M.

But all this time he was having trouble with something today we call alcoholism. In 1952, in a jail in Joplin, Mo., he hit the bottom and from that point started slowly one day at a time, living a new life which has touched thousands of people.

In February 1954, he had just lost a farm machinery salesman job with a firm in Clovis, N.M. and was most discouraged. He was staying sober and was trying hard. But shortly thereafter in February 1954, Judge Dewitt Landis asked him to operate a remote studio in Muleshoe for Radio Station KICA in Clovis, N.M. He had always wanted to get back into show business and this was a golden opportunity.

Due to the housing shortage here the first remote studio was from the Cal Boykin Hotel in Portales where he stayed during the week, traveling to Muleshoe everyday to service accounts, and he started gathering local news.

Each weekend he went home to be with his family in Tahoka. He was discussing the local news program idea with his, now late, wife O-labelle and they came up with the idea to use the song "Muletrain" as an intro for the news and so was born the Muletrain news program which has been aired now for over 25 years.

It was not until September, 1954, that the Lamb's found a house to rent at the corner of West Avenue B and 4th Street where Piggly Wiggly now stands.

From the small front room of that house the "Muletrain" was broadcast remote on KICA.

Lamb's first big campaign drive for Muleshoe also transpired there when he conducted the first Bailey County Cancer Crusade and astonished people by the amount which was raised. He has continued to give freely of air time to any worthy cause over these past silver anniversary years. The next campaign he was so actively involved in was the drive to build the First Methodist Church in 1966. In 1965 he was the United Fund Campaign Chairman and again went over their goal with the aid of the late Marie White as U.F. President.

In 1975 he received the Abe Lincoln Merit Award from the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission for his outstanding community service in broadcasting and especially he was cited for helping to raise money to build a new modern hospital in Muleshoe.

Perhaps the campaign he takes most pride in is the erection of the National Mule Memorial in 1965 which continues to draw international attention in Muleshoe and our area. He still acts as president of the Mule Memorial Association.

He is a backer of anything for his community and country. He loves America and takes an active stand in politics.

The remote studio of KICA stayed in its first location until December 1955 when the Lambs bought a house from the late Dr. W.F. Birdsong at 1011 West 3rd where the Jack Rennels now live. The remote studio was in the large living room of this house until July 26, 1956, when Radio Station KMUL went on the air.

John Burroughs, Gov. of New Mexico, and Leola Randolph both of Portales asked Lamb to manage the station. He bought a partnership into the station, and he and his wife put it on the air in a little house which was located just southwest of the present building which was built in 1962.

In 1958 Lamb hired Nee Anzaldua to broad-

cast on KMUL a Spanish program on Sunday afternoons. This was the first Spanish broadcast aired in Eastern New Mexico or West Texas. Its popularity grew fast and was soon expanded to each afternoon seven days a week and all afternoon on Sundays. Anzaldua, with the help of his son, Roy, and other associates still operate the program. Many, many thousands of dollars have been raised on the Spanish broadcast for the Spa-

nish people of our area to bury their dead, rebuild a house destroyed by fire or pay a hospital bill.

Lamb started Santa's Helpers on KMUL in 1973, on short notice when he found out Goodfellows was not going to function at Christmas anymore. He and the station still keep that organization going with heavy publicity each holiday.

He and his family were instrumental in seeing that Muleshoe got a



GIL LAMB DAY...Charles Bratcher, Mayor, signed a proclamation declaring April 28 as Gil Lamb Appreciation Day. Members of the Epsilon Delta Chapter of ESA are, left to right, Jan Crawford, Pat Young and Niecey Burslow. The sorority will hold a Radio-Thon in honor of Lamb on Saturday from 6:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on KMUL Radio.

## Jazz Festival Offers Superior Piano Ratings

Superior ratings were won by 29 students at the Jazz Piano Festival sponsored by the Muleshoe Music Teachers Association at the Trinity Baptist Church, Saturday, April 21.

Ilene Platt Rainey judged the event in which 58 students participated, and the top ranking students will perform on KMUL-AM Radio Saturday, April 28 at 11:15 a.m.

Winners are Sammy Sayago, Chandra Engeling, Tim Sain, Mandy Plank, Terry Baker, Be-

linda Clayton, Robert Zamora, Charlotte Cole, Jana Been, Karen Clayton, Vonda Stephens, Cynthia Curtis, Lezlee Jones, Jana Baucum, Kristine Miller, Lisa Hamilton, Scott Campbell, Sherri Henry, Kristi Campbell, Michelle Agee, Sharla Henry, Keva Roming, Cindy Hamblen, Dorinda Shafer, Maribel Zamora, Penny Kleisel, Chantel Robison, Sherri Kinard and Mercedes Sayago.

Participating piano teachers were Jean Craft, Mary K. Bellew, Elaine Damron and Ann Sowder.

library in 1964 and then built a new building.

When disaster hits in Muleshoe or anywhere in our area he is the first to help. The radio station has collected food and clothing for hundreds of families who have faced hard luck whether it be in a tornado in Silverton or Wichita Falls or a fire in a small trailer house in Muleshoe.

Gil Lamb's voice is well known as an MC for banquets, talent shows, programs and school events. He is an active school backer, and when the team is losing he supports them just as if they were winning.

He loves animals and has a tender heart for anyone. He will try as hard on the radio to find a lost dog as to sell a car for an advertiser. He treats everyone as equals.

In 1966, Gil Lamb put another station on the air in Muleshoe. It is KMUL-FM which features easy listening music. It has always been his policy to hire Muleshoe young people, and he has given many a start in the broadcasting industry.

Lamb has received many honors during his 25 years in Muleshoe, but the one he cherishes the most is when he was named Outstanding Citizen of Muleshoe in 1956 because only four short years before that he was locked up as a hopeless, helpless alcoholic, and everyone was aware of that fact. For Gil Lamb's life is not complete without telling of his battle with alcoholism, and that he has told to churches, civic groups, educators, colleges, school students, and other alcoholics, thousands upon thousands of times across the southwest.

He never gives up on a "drunk" because of the hard time he had staying sober even when there was help. He says there is no such thing as a hopeless alcoholic because if you say that you are saying God is helpless. He has always called on the people that other people had given up on or found it too difficult to do. But he doesn't just go that

second mile with the alcoholics, he treats his employees, his business associates, and his friends that way also. He knows how to turn the other cheek and has many times.

He belongs to the First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe, sang in the choir for many years, and was on both the official board and administrative board, chairman of Christian Social Relations Committee, and a lay speaker. But Gil Lamb is not a denominational man. He attends all churches and visits his friends in other denominations frequently.

He is active in the Muleshoe Rotary Club and served as president in 1974-75. He has been on the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, is an

honorary life member of the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, which produces the drama "Texas" and serves on its board, has been on the governor's committee on alcoholism, and is serving on the South Plains Association of Governments Alcoholism Advisory Committee and drug and alcoholism committee of the Central Plains Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center in Plainview.

He received the Zeus Award from the ESA Sorority in 1966-67, Outstanding Merchant by the Jaycees in 1966 for his work on the Mule Memorial, Outstanding Radio Executive by the Muleshoe Study Club in 1967, honorary member of Muleshoe Music Teachers Association in 1969 and United States

Jaycee Distinguished service award presented by Muleshoe Jaycees in 1975. He is listed in Who's Who in Texas Today and Who's Who in the South and Southwest.

He and his wife, Marie, and daughter, Frantonya, live at 723 West Avenue E. He has a married daughter, Magann, Mrs. Jack Rennels, of Muleshoe and a namesake grandson, Gilrobert, to follow proudly in his footsteps.

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**SENIORS CONGRATULATED...**AAUW honored the 1979 senior girls with a tea Sunday afternoon to congratulate them on their upcoming graduation. Pictured are, left to right, Sheila Hunt, Christene Vela and Lavayne Lloyd.

*Mrs. Eldon Stroud Honored With Miscellaneous Shower*

Mrs. Eldon Ray Stroud, formerly Miss Lawanna Kay Lee of Muleshoe was feted with a wedding coffee on April 20 at 6 p.m. in the home of Hazel Robinson.

Guests were greeted by the honoree, Mrs. Stroud; her mother, Edith Lee of Muleshoe; his mother, Leola Stroud of Clovis, N.M. and Mrs. Robinson. The honoree wore a cor-

sage of yellow carnations, white feathered carnations and white bows.

The serving table was laid with a gold cloth with a white lace overlay. A gold candleabra with yellow candles and flowers centered the table. Crystal appointments were used to serve the white cake with yellow flowers, mints, nuts and punch.

The gift to the couple

from the hostesses was a mixer and can opener.

A special guest was Mrs. C.R. Roebuck of Muleshoe, grandmother of the bride.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. J.C. Shanks, Faye Houston, Ann Vinson, Jennie Lambert Connie Alanis, Madeline Elmore, Lorene Bagack, Karl Dean Helker, Dolores Martinez, Linda Stovall, Dorothy Smith, Beth Webb, Vivian White and Evelyn B. Moore.

**Senior Girls Congratulated With AAUW Tea**

AAUW hosted a tea for the 1979 senior girls on April 22 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the Reception Room of Tri-County Savings and Loan.

The serving table was covered with a yellow cloth with a white lace overlay. Centering the table was an arrangement of yellow silk roses accented with baby's breath in a crystal bowl. Graduate dolls flanked the arrangement. A crystal bowl held scrolls tied with white bows and yellow flowers congratulating the girls. Crystal appointments and yellow napkins embossed with 'Senior Girls 1979' were used in serving pineapple slush punch, yellow and white thumbprint cookies, yellow and white rose mints and nuts.

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Many a woman who can't add, can certainly distract.

**LATEST ARRIVALS**

**Misti Diane Williams**

Misti Diane was born April 20 at 10:48 p.m. in the West Plains Medical Center. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Williams of Muleshoe, she weighed seven pounds and five ounces. She has one sister, Pam, ten years and Paul, six years.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Chandler of Snyder and Mrs. Norine Williams of McKinney.

**Kyle Aaron Embry**

Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Embry of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby boy born April 20 at 3:37 p.m. in the West Plains Medical Center. He was named Kyle Aaron and weighed six pounds and fifteen and one-half ounces. He is the couple's first child.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Embry of Muleshoe and the late Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Burriss of Muleshoe. Rev. and Mrs. T.E. Simpson of Clovis, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Embry of Muleshoe are the great-grandparents.

**Jesus Castaneda**

The third child of Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Castaneda of Bovina was born April 19 at 5:58 p.m. in the West Plains Medical Center. Jesus weighed eight pounds and eight and one-half ounces.

**Jesse Ray Villanueva, Jr.**

Jesse Ray Villanueva, Jr. was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray Villanueva of Bovina on April 19 at 11:26 a.m. in the West Plains Medical Center. The couple's first child weighed seven pounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hernandez of Hutto and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Holland of Thorndale.

**Quinn Evan Byrd**

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Byrd of Farwell on April 21, in the Roosevelt General Hospital in Portales, N.M. Quinn Evan weighed eight pounds and nine ounces. He has one brother, Chad, five years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Chadwick of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byrd of West Camp.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Ava Woodson of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Castle and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byrd, all of Clovis, N.M.

*Miss Tanya James Feted With Pre-Nuptial Shower*

A pre-nuptial shower was held in honor of Miss Tanya James, bride-elect of Marshal Pool, on April 22 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. in the home of Dorothy St. Clair.

Upon arrival, guests were greeted by the honoree, Miss James; her mother, Laverne James; his mother, Mary Pool and Mrs. St. Clair, all of Muleshoe. The serving table was covered with a white cut-work cloth and featured an arrangement of yellow tulips, cherry blossoms, white lillies and greenery in a crystal pitcher. Sarah Black and Debbie Hoover served guests refreshments of yellow punch, fruit pizzas and finger sandwiches from crystal appointments.

Shelly Dunham registered guests.

The honoree's corsage was of her chosen colors of

yellow orchids, accented with yellow satin leaves and bows.

The hostess gift was a ceramic vase with an arrangement of eucalyptus and a vacuum cleaner.

Other special guests were Mrs. B.J. Black, the honoree's grandmother of Amherst; Mrs. Roy Jordan, grandmother of the prospective groom of Muleshoe; Glenda Copley, her sister of Muleshoe and Marilyn Riley, her sister-in-law of Muleshoe.

Hostesses for the event were Debra Carpenter, Marcia Henry, Helen Redwine, Nelda Hunt, Mildred Tanner, Billie Downing, Vera Hair, Jane Griffiths, Melba King, Marlene St. Clair, Arline Phelps, Marie Bass, Christie Whitt, Connie Burns, Gladys Black, Charlie Hanks, Yearley Biggerstaff and Donna Shaw.



MISS SHERREL RASCO



MISS PRISCA YOUNG

**Muleshoe Women Nominated For Woman Of Year**

Eighteen West Texas State University students have been nominated for the Woman of the Year Award presented annually by the Association for women students.

The award recipient and the nominees will be honored at a banquet April 26 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the WTSU East Dining Hall.

To be nominated for the award, students must be of junior or senior standing, have an overall grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale, and have exhibited leadership qualities in campus activities.

Nominees from Muleshoe

are seniors Sherrel Lynn Rasco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Rasco and Prisca Lynn Young, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Young.

Miss Rasco was nominated by Kappa Delta Sorority and is their current president and former vice president. She is also a student senator representing the College of Education, and member of Scribes senior honor society and of Pi Omega Pi business education honor society.

Nominated by Alpha Kappa Psi professional business fraternity, Miss Young is that organization's secretary. She is membership chairman and past president of Kappa Delta Sorority, and has been named to Who's Who Among American College and University Students.

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A mature person is one who wants nothing he hasn't earned.  
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Many of today's younger generation are strong on high pay and weak on hard work.



MISS TANYA JAMES

**JOBLESS RATE DOWN**  
The unemployment rate was down last month to 5.7 percent—the lowest in more than four years. The grim news that unemployment among black teenagers rose from 32.7 to 35.5 percent wiping out a decline the month before but remaining well below the 38.1 percent rate a year ago marred the picture.

**ON KILLER BEES**  
SAO PAULO, BRAZIL -- Brazil's killer bees are buzzing north at a rate that could get them to Texas by 1985. Dr. Helmut Wiese, president of the Brazilian Confederation of Apiculturists, says the insect that once angrily honed in on busloads of people is no longer a killer; their warrior instinct has gone.

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**TOM THUMB WEDDING...**Children of the Muleshoe United Methodist Child Care Center are preparing for a Tom Thumb Wedding which will be performed in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church on Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. Pictures are, left to right, Amanda Ashford, flower girl; Shelly Gable, maid of honor; Jennifer McManis, bride; and Shannon Bomer, groom. The bride and groom will pledge to obey God, their parents and teachers, pick up their toys and share.

### Art Assoc. Spring Exhibit Slated To Begin Saturday

Today, Thursday, entries are being accepted at the Art Loft from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. for the annual Muleshoe Art Association Spring Exhibit to be held Saturday, April 28 and Monday through Friday, April 30 to May 4.

All members of the Muleshoe Art Association are eligible to participate in the exhibit. Any non-member who wishes to join the Association may do so by paying the \$5. membership dues. Any non-member who does not desire membership may exhibit by paying the entry fee for non-members. Fees will be collected when entries are accepted.

A fee of \$2. per entry will be charged to Muleshoe Art Association members and a fee of \$5. will be charged to non-members for each entry. Any artist may submit as many paintings as they desire in each category.

Paintings must be framed and wired for hanging. Watercolors and graphics must be framed under glass. A card should be attached to the back of the painting with the artist's name, address, media, and price. Entries not available for purchase awards must be labeled and it must be stated if they are not for sale.

Dr. Clarence Kincaid Jr. of the Art Department of Texas Tech University in Lubbock will judge the paintings.

Awards will be presented Friday, May 4 at 3 p.m.

Purchase awards of \$250. will be given by Muleshoe State Bank and Lenua Lumber Company. Purchase awards of \$200. will be given by Tri-County Savings And Loan, Macky McCarty, Poor Boy, Jessie B. Sanders for H.S. Sanders Lumber, Ray Davis Farm Bureau Insurance and Belew Family for Earth Gin and LadyBee. Bob Insurance, Lindsey Jewelry and Williams Bros. Art Supplies will present \$15. merchant awards. Awards will also be presented from Art Loft Framing, \$40.; Higginbotham Lumber, \$25.; and First National Bank of Muleshoe, \$35.

The Muleshoe Art Association will present the Best of Show with \$100. First, second and third places will be given for winners in oil media, water media, graphics, sculpture, pottery, enamels and jewelry.

All school students are invited to participate by showing their paintings in all media without entry fee. Ribbons will be presented for first, second, and third places as well as honorable mention ribbons.

### 'Come And Meet Me' Coffee Honors Mrs. Elliott, Son

Darren Kyle Elliott, ten day old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Elliott, was honored with a 'Come and Meet Me' coffee, Saturday, April 21, in the home of Mrs. Ronnie Barrett.

Special guests were Darren's mother, Mrs. Elliott; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Eddie Beene; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Leonard Elliott and his maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Fred Beene.

The hostess gifts were a shoulder diaper bag and a

'Teddy Cuddles' lamp. The table was covered with a white lace cloth with a blue underlay. A teddy bear arrangement centered the table. Crystal appointments were used to serve refreshments of

thumbprint cookies, mints, nuts, banana slush punch and coffee by the hostesses, Mrs. Raymond Davenport, Mrs. Danny Noble and Mrs. Barrett.

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**UPCOMING ANNIVERSARY...**Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary Sunday, April 29 from 2 to 5 p.m. in the County Activity Building in Morton. The couple married April 27, 1929 in Matador. They have lived in the Maple area and Cochran County since 1931. They now own and operate Morton Floral. The celebration will be hosted by their three children, Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Baker, Morton; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Tanner, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Simpson of Maple and eleven grandchildren and two great-granddaughters.



**MASTER OF CEREMONY...**Bibi Russell of Clovis, N.M. and Sharon Lindemann, Miss West Texas State University of UMBERGER, were Master of Ceremonies at the Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant Saturday night.



**SIGNING UP...**Shella Moraw of the Epsilon Chi chapter of ESA registers Sherri Stovall and Joe Bob Newman for the Bike Ride which was held Saturday. The money raised will be donated to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

## Thank You...

I would like to thank the Muleshoe Jaycees for the opportunity to represent the three-county area as their new Miss Tri-County. This title is a great honor to me, to my family and to my own hometown of Friona.

**Laura Ellis**  
Miss Tri-County 1979

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MISS TRI-COUNTY RUNNERS-UP...Laura Ellis, center, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis was crowned Miss Tri-County. Members of her court are, left to right, Lisa Redwine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Redwine, third runner up; Robln Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burgess, fourth runner up; Michelle Ballew, daughter of Mrs. Sandra Bellew, second runner up and Sheryl Waltrip, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Waltrip, first runner up.



JUNIOR MISS RUNNERS-UP...Kathryn Flowers, center, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Flowers was crowned Junior Miss Tri-County with Mellisa Wilbanks, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilbanks, first runner up and Brenda Flowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flowers, second runner up.

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**MISS LA PETITE RUNNERS-UP...**Shae Wilbanks, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilbanks was first runner up in the Miss La Petite division. Misty Hillin, daughter of Terry and Greta Hillin was crowned Miss LaPetite along with Doriada Pummill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pummill, second runner up and third runner up, Anna Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson. Not pictured is Kristin Chitwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Chitwood, fourth runner-up.



**LITTLE MISS RUNNERS-UP...**Tisha Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Young was winner of Little Miss Tri-County. First runner - up was Amy Nelson, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson. Mychelle Stout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stout was second runner-up.

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**EDITORIALS**

**The Recession**

The majority of economists predict a recession for the United States; the consensus now is that it's likely to begin at the end of the year. This represents a slight switch in opinion; a few months ago, recession forecasters favored summer as the likely date of the recession's arrival.

The fact that a majority of economists feel a recession is inevitable doesn't necessarily mean a recession is inevitable. The majority has, in the past, been wrong. But certainly most of the statistical evidence of recent months supports their forecast.

If indeed the recession begins at the end of this year, or the first of next, it could have serious political consequences. Even worse, if President Carter attempts to prime the pump to enhance his political prospects in election year 1980, adverse effects on inflation and the dollar could be near catastrophic in the next few years. Unfortunately, recent Presidents have done just that, both Democratic and Republican.

The hope of the people, then, must be either that we avoid a major recession, or that, if such a corrective recession comes, it will serve its purpose of arresting inflation and stabilizing the economy without new and massive spending on the part of the Carter Administration.

**WASHINGTON NEWS REPORT**

**Carter, Oil Profits - A Chance To Win-Teamster Settlement - The Recession-**

WASHINGTON, D. C. -- President Carter has a good chance to win his all-out battle to have Congress enact legislation imposing an excess profits tax on the oil companies. But it will be a struggle.

One can get completely opposite forecasts from veteran lawmakers on Capitol Hill on this question. But it may be that, in the end, public opinion will put pressure on enough solons to make them go along with the Carter proposal.

The irony is that big profits allow for the funding of greater exploration for gas and oil. Yet there are claims the oil companies have not followed this pattern in the past, in relation to profits.

The President seems to have reconciled himself, to a degree, that lower consumption will have to be the answer, at least in part, to the nation's fuel problems. And if higher prices reduce consumption, then the excess profits tax might have greater justification.

The oil companies, of course, are already paying taxes on their earnings and view an added tax as punitive.

and they have allies on Capitol Hill ready to fight their battle. It is shaping up as perhaps the biggest battle on the Hill for 1979.

Despite protests that the recent Teamsters settlement wrecks the President's inflation-fighting program, that isn't necessarily true. Some believe the eight percent annual hike received by the Teamsters in the recent settlement was the best the government could have realistically expected.

Viewed in this context, the settlement was a victory for the Carter Administration. And even if it sets a pattern for other 1979 settlements, with inflation now running to two-digit numbers, who could expect unions to accept less than seven light percent annual increases?

The latest estimate, in Washington, of the onset of recession, is December, 1979. That means the experts now think the recession will begin about six months later than had been expected.

U.S. airlifts supplies to volcano refugees.



**NEWS NOTES**

**BRAVE BOY**

WACISSA, FLA. -- In the nighttime darkness, Willie Jenkins, 8, clung to a boat cushion and splashed to scare alligators away while he waited for his grandfather to return with help. Willie was still clinging to the cushion when rescuers found him in the river, 20 miles east of Tallahassee. His grandfather drowned when the light boat flipped over.

**BIG BOOM**

KEYSTONE, W.VA. -- A truck loaded with 1,000 pounds of dynamite caught fire near here and blew up,

injuring 13 persons, destroying four homes, and damaging several other homes up to a half-mile away. Authorities said no fatalities were reported.

**SPACE LINK-UP FAILS**

MOSCOW -- A Soviet space capsule carrying a Soviet commander and the world's first Bulgarian cosmonaut made an emergency landing recently after failing to link up with two comrades aboard the Salyut 6 space lab.

**TO MEET IN MAY**

CAIRO, EGYPT -- Israeli Prime Minister Menachem

Begin has announced that he and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat will meet at a summit conference in the Sinai at the end of May to open their nations' borders seven months ahead of schedule.

**ON TRADE**

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND -- Western industrial nations have ended five years of trade negotiations producing a series of agreements that the United States hailed as a significant advance for free trade.

**A PILL FOR MEN**

BOSTON -- Dr. Lei Haiheng, a visiting Chinese professor, says a birth control pill for men may be approved for general use in the People's Republic of China later this year.

**JOHN ADAMS IN WASHINGTON**

New Dollar - July 1 - Susan Anthony-

By John Hanly Adams  
WASHINGTON, D. C. -- Even now, three mints-at Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco-are spewing out 500 million new Susan B. Anthony dollars. You'll be getting these new dollar coins in change at your grocery stores, banks and other places starting next July 1.

The "Susy B" or "Anthony" dollars will be slightly larger and heavier than present quarters and slightly smaller and lighter

than present half-dollars. When you reach in your pocket or purse, how will you be able to tell the new dollar from other coins? It will have a raised 11-sided inner border on both the front and back surfaces. The Bureau of the Mint is convinced this will enable you to select by feel the new dollar from other coins in the dark, or while the coins are still in your pocket or purse.

The front, or obverse, side of the new coin will be a likeness of Susan B. Anthony, an early pioneer for equal rights for women. The back, or reverse, side will bear the design first used on the Eisenhower dollar coin, indicating an American eagle landing on the moon.

The metal structure of the Anthony dollar will be the same as that of all other recent coins above the penny and nickel. It will be a three-layer "sandwich" consisting of a core of 100 percent copper, "clad" on each side with an alloy that is 75 percent copper and 25 percent nickel.

What is the intrinsic value of the metal in the Anthony dollar? At current prices for copper and nickel, the metal is worth about 2.5 cents. In mass production, the Mint figures the dollar coin will cost about 3 cents to make.

Your present paper dollar costs about 1.8 cents to make but it lasts only 18 months before it gets so worn it has to be replaced, whereas the Anthony dollar coins will last at least 15 years in general use. So the government stands to save about 25 million dollars a year if the Anthony dollar coin catches on with the American public.

Mint officials are convinced that will happen. They believe the new dollar coin will be a winner. If so, it will be a change from recent experience with new coins and paper notes. The Eisenhower dollar and Kennedy half-dollar are not widely used because people find them too heavy and bulky. The \$2 paper note hasn't caught on, but officials think it will be more widely used, in combination with the Anthony dollar coin-in change for a \$5 bill, for example.

When a new coin like the Anthony dollar is introduced, the Bureau of the Mint offers a "proof set" of all coins in circulation the year the new coin comes out. It's offering 1979 proof sets-the new Anthony dollar, a half dollar, a quarter, a dime, five cent and one cent pieces, for a total of \$1.91 in nominal value-at a price of \$9. That may seem high but it's a specially minted set intended to be a keepsake, in a plastic package. You can order up to 5 sets from the Bureau of the Mint, 55 Mint Street, San Francisco, California, 94175. The offer is due to expire around June 2.

**HIT BY EARTHQUAKE**

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA --A major earthquake ripped across the rocky Adriatic coast of southern Yugoslavia and Albania and killed at least 235 persons, the official Belgrade Radio reported.



**The Speaker Reports**

by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN--States would have significant enforcement responsibilities for mandatory energy conservation measures in a plan the Department of Energy has sent to Congress.

DOE officials have said the federal government could not possibly enforce all of the proposed measures itself, and would have to work closely with the states.

If Congress were to approve a plan and the President deems that an energy emergency exists, the proposal as set out would give him authority to:

- \*ban weekend sales of gasoline to most motorists;
- \*impose maximum winter and minimum summer temperature standards for buildings;
- \*impose emergency parking restrictions on employer-provided parking to encourage carpools; and
- \*restrict lighting for non-essential outdoor advertising and decoration.

Officials have said they have no immediate intention of imposing these measures, which are being considered because of an imported oil

shortage. At this point voluntary conservation measures are still favored. The government is asking more state enforcement of the 55 mph speed limit, and hopes more industries will turn to natural gas instead of burning oil, as gas is expected to be in surplus supply for the next few years. Forecasts point out that real shortages could begin by next winter, especially if winter heating oil stocks cannot be replenished during the summer.

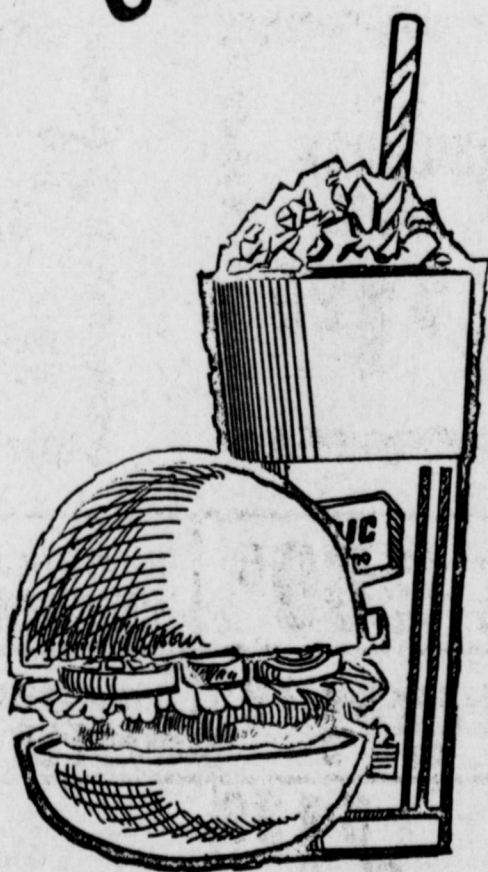
At this point it is up to us as individuals to help conserve our precious energy resources. It may be possible for us to avoid the stringent controls that states and federal government entities will impose if we take heed of the numerous warning signs around us.

Gasoline shortages are already in evidence and brownouts and blackouts are expected this summer. America, Texans and we as individuals must be alerted to the severity of the problem and realize that only we as individuals can prevent these regulations through our collective efforts at conservation.

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**TABULATING THE RESULTS...** Tabulating results of the Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant last Saturday night were these judges from Plainview, Lubbock and Hale Center. They are Billye Sue Sherrod, Hale Center; Louise Harper, Plainview; Karen Laney, Hale Center; Doug Hodel, Lubbock; Bonnie Gloyna, Hale Center and Nan Ballinger, Plainview.

## Energy Crisis Solved Through Much Study

Solution to the energy crisis is going to require development of all sources, "everything we can get," an expert told participants in the April 19-20 Southwestern Petroleum Short Course at Texas Tech University.

H.L. Atnipp, executive vice president of the Texas American Oil Company, addressed a luncheon session of the 26th annual short course sponsored by the West Texas petroleum industry in cooperation with the Texas Tech Department of Petroleum Engineering.

With population increases and consumption per person growing at a 'tre-

### Tri-County...

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Miss La Petite. She is the daughter of Greta Hillin of Muleshoe and Terry Hillin of Lubbock. Runners - up included Shea Wilbanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilbanks; Dorinda Pummill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pummill; Ana Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson and Kristin Chitwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Chitwood.

states to discuss the energy shortage and usually disseminate their messages through newspaper, radio and television.

"The energy shortage wasn't created in a day," he said, "and the problem won't be solved in a day," but there has been progress in understanding. Atnipp said people in non-producing states have moved through three stages of understanding.

The first, he said, was indignation and a belief that the crisis was contrived by producers. This stage grew into the concept that there is a genuine problem which raised the question, "What can we do to get our fair share of the energy available?"

The current phase of understanding, he said, admits there is not only a local but also a national problem, affecting the inflation rate and the value of the dollar internationally.

"The question people are asking now," Atnipp said, "is, 'How can we help solve the problem?'"

Atnipp raised President Carter's move toward price decontrol for the industry because he expects that step to stimulate development of all kinds of energy sources, all of which will be necessary. "I believe we're going to need all sources," he said, "everything we can get."

Decontrol can make less desirable production areas profitable, he said, and cited renewed interest in relatively dormant fields in the Texas Panhandle and Oklahoma.

Atnipp told his audience that the petroleum industry must take some responsibility for the failure of people in non-producing states to understand the problem.

"We are partially responsible," he said, "for the poor publicity and poor public relations we had when these things began to develop. Certain things were apparent, including the fact that the producing capacity and demand were going to cross paths," with demand going up and capacity down.

"Had we done a better job of public relations, we could have shortened the time needed to get back to free enterprise."

## SS Students Mailed Card For Benefits

The Social Security Administration announced today that students will be mailed a card which must be completed by the school official who certifies full time school attendance. Purpose of the card is to verify school attendance on a full time basis for students who are drawing a social security check because they are disabled, a parent is disabled, or has died or has retired, and is drawing social security checks. Students who fail to return the card promptly

will have their social security benefit check stopped. Once the check is terminated or suspended, there will be a six to nine week delay in starting the check again.

For students who depend upon the social security check to pay current living expenses, getting the card form completed by the university or school registrar or other official as appropriate, may be the most important step they can take this semester.

Student financing usually takes several days and sometimes weeks to arrange, but timely reports to social security, for those eligible for checks, will make it possible for the student to have an income

while waiting for other financing to come through. Only students who are eligible for social security need make these reports. Eligibility requirements are that the student must be unmarried, in an undergraduate course, high school course or vocational course of 20 hours a week, or more, be a full time student as prescribed by the school, college or university, and not yet have attained age 22. Earnings or \$290 per month on a regular basis are permitted each student during the year 1979 except for disabled worker students.

## Awards...

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**COTTON JUDGING**  
Tina McDaniel, Tammy Lane and Cecil Mardis.

Also recognized by the local FFA chapter were the FFA Booster Club and its officers, Robert Hunt, president; Bill Harmon, vice president; Rita Hawkins, secretary treasurer; Nelda Hunt, reporter and Donna Black and Joe Harmon, historians.

Hunt presented Shirley Lynn, wife of FFA Chapter Advisor, with a special award for her assistance to the group, and presented the Hustler Award to Lynn Moore.

Officers of the Muleshoe FFA include, Keith Hawkins, president; Clifford Watson, vice president; Ben Harmon, secretary; Tommy Wheeler, treasurer; Thurman Myers, reporter; Curby Brantley, sentinel; Cecil Mardis, parliamentarian; Bryce Holmes, chaplain; Brenda Dodd, sweetheart; Starla Black, plowgirl and Bill Bickel and Gentry Lynn, chapter advisors. Thurman Myers is also vice president of the Littlefield District.

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## Court News

### Municipal Court Report

**BAD CHECKS**  
Lee Williams and Mrs. Tommy Wolfe.

**FAILURE TO YIELD RIGHT OF WAY**  
Tommy Marlow.

**NO DRIVER'S LICENSE**  
Elma Daniel

**CONTEST FOR SPEED**  
Reynaldo Castillo.

**DISTURBANCE WITH MOTOR VEHICLE**  
Mario Castillo.

**FAILURE TO CONTROL SPEED**  
Mario Castillo.

**NO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION STICKER**  
Richard Orozco and Kay Griswold.

**RAN STOP SIGN**  
Hector Leal.

**EXPIRED REGISTRATION**  
Rebecca Howard, Leandro Cumpain, Olivia Gonzales and Monty Campbell.

**OVERWEIGHT**  
James Meadows and William Thomas.

**NO DRIVER'S LICENSE**  
Emilio Garcia and Michael Herrera.

**NO MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION STICKER**  
Allene Bryant, Roy Locker, Paulito Castillo, Jerry Harrison, Deward Ivy, Clarence Tillema and Conrado Cumpian.

**RAN STOP SIGN**  
Aubrey Stockman.

**FICTICIOUS LICENSE PLATE**  
Michael Herrera.

**MINOR POSSESSION**  
Michael Herrera.

**UNREGISTERED VEHICLE**  
Marvin Peacock.

**MUFFLER VIOLATION**  
Mary C. Furgeson and Jimmy Pierce.

**DISMISSALS**  
Total of 17.

**ILLEGAL PARKING**  
Billy Dwayne Watts.

**CHECKS**  
Clarence Lewis.

**POSSESSION MARIJUANA**  
Philip Gonzales.

**JUDGMENT**  
Muleshoe State Bank vs. Dario Dominguez.

**THEFT**  
Billy Knowlton.

**CARRYING PROHIBITED WEAPON**  
Douglas James Walker.

**DEFECTIVE MUFFLER**  
Runelle Baker.

**DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED**  
Guadalupe Gloria, Lujan Uzaldado Baeza, Joel Donald Foster, Derl Gene Hartwick and Margarito Rios Bustamante.

**FAILURE TO DISPLAY DRIVER'S LICENSE**  
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**JUSTICE OF PEACE COURT REPORT**

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**HONORARY CHAPTER FARMERS...** Shirley Lynn, left and Cleta Williams were presented Honorary Chapter Farmer awards during the annual Future Farmer of America banquet Tuesday night. Also receiving the award, but not present to receive it was Robert Green.

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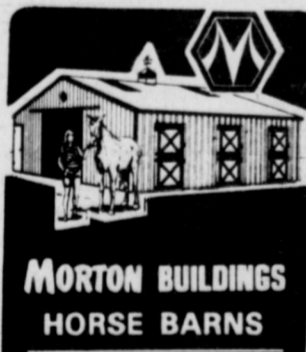
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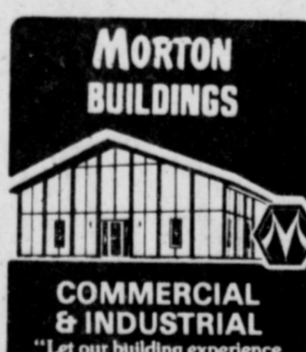
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ENTERTAINMENT OF THE 50'S... Sharon Lindemann, Miss West Texas State University, performed during intermission at the Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant.

**Quality Hay Produced By Planning**

Johnsongrass, kleingrass, bermudagrass, sudans, or forage sorghums make high quality hay with proper planning, says a forage specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Don Dorsett points out that hay can be used as a sole source of feed if it is high quality. Quality is mainly dependent on the age at cutting and on proper fertilization.

"Nitrogen fertilizer will increase protein content of a grass, but its effect on protein is not as great as its effect on total production," points out the Texas A&M University specialist.

"Protein content and digestibility are highly dependent on when forage is cut. Protein will be high because of a good fertilizer program, but it can be increased if grass is cut at a young stage."

Digestibility, however, is not affected by a fertility program, notes Dorsett. Grass digestibility decreases as the amount of fiber increases with the age of the grass.

Cutting three- to four-week old grass can produce hay with 10 percent or more protein and a digestibility of 55 to 60 percent, depending on the grass variety, contends the specialist.

"Animals fed high quality hay will maintain themselves or gain weight because it is more digestible. On the other hand, those receiving poor quality hay, especially growing animals with immature stomachs, will not be able to maintain themselves with this hay alone," notes Dorsett.

A cow's rebreeding ability is also affected by the hay she eats. If given high quality hay, a cow will be in better shape when she calves, will recycle quickly and will therefore rebreed faster. One fed poor quality hay may not have a calf every year.

Hay can be a balanced diet for a dry cow in the winter, but it must be high enough in protein and digestibility to meet the animal's requirements.

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**Lazbuddie Longhorn Stampede**



**District Meet Offers Honors For Junior High**

The Lazbuddie Boys' Track Team ran in their District track meet Wednesday, April 18. The meet was held at Sundown. Those qualifying for regional are:

Discus and Mile Relay  
Keihm Smith

Pole Vault, Long Jump, Mile Relay, 220 Yard Dash and 440 Yard Dash  
Charleson Steinbock.

Longjump, 330 hurdles, 120 hurdles and Mile Relay --  
Russell Windham.

Mile Relay --  
Quinton Mimms.

Those placing in their events were:  
**Lazbuddie FHA Elect Officers For 1979-80**

The Lazbuddie FHA held their monthly meeting during 5th period Tuesday, April 17. This was a business meeting to elect officers for the 79-80 school year. Those elected were, President, Angela Matthews; first vice president, Terri Clark; second vice president, Jalayne Collins; third vice president, Angie Jesko; fourth vice president, Susan Glover; secretary-treasurer, Elve Gonzales and Historian - Parliamentarian, Jeanette Collins.

The self defense program has been rescheduled for May 1, all area women are invited to attend. The program will begin at 2 p.m. and refreshments will be served.

The explanation of the younger generation is to be found in the older generation.

- Discus --  
2. Keihm Smith  
3. Dennis Steinbock  
4. Robert Stanley
- Long Jump --  
1. Charleson Steinbock  
2. Russell Windham.
- Pole Vault --  
1. Charleson Steinbock  
4. Dennis Steinbock.
- 220 yd dash --  
2. Charleson Steinbock.

- Shot Put --  
4. Keihm Smith  
6. Robert Stanley

- High Jump --  
3. Reggie Trider  
4. Russell Windham.

- 100 yd. dash --  
6. Keihm Smith  
7. Appolonio Sanchez

- 330 hurdles --  
1. Russell Windham  
4. Johnny Gonzales  
6. Keith Hicks

- 120 hurdles --  
1. Russell Windham  
5. Keith Hicks  
6. Dennis Steinbock.

- 880 yd dash --  
3. Quinton Mimms  
5. Salvador Chavez  
7. Areil Sanchez

- Mile Relay --  
second place

- 440 yd dash --  
1. Charleson Steinbock  
7. Appolonio Sanchez

- Mile Run --  
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8. Reggie Trider  
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**FHA Members Will Attend State Meeting**

Representatives of the Lasting Rose Future Homemakers of America Chapter will be attending the 1979 state meeting of the Texas Association of FHA, along with over 7,000 members and advisors from across the state.

"Today's Youth Forming Tomorrow" is the theme of the 1979 meeting, which will be held at the Tarrant County Convention Center, Fort Worth, April 26-27. Attending from Lazbuddie will be Tresa King, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Matthews and Pam McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. McDonald.

**Track Team Places In Sundown**

The Lazbuddie Junior High boys also ran their district track meet this week in Sundown.

Those placing in their events were:

- 440 yd. dash --  
3. Noe Gonzales  
4. Jose Trevizo

- 880 yd. dash --  
5. Jimmie Garcia  
7. Mark Lust  
10. Jo Dan Tarter

- Mile Run --  
2. Martin Mendoza  
5. Danny Schacher  
8. Rafael Gonzales

- 120 hurdles --  
1. Jeff Jesko  
2. Martin Mendoza  
5. Evaristo Sanchez

- 330 hurdles --  
2. Jeff Jesko  
4. Bart Elliott  
5. Danny Schacher

- Mile Relay --  
Third place

- 440 relay --  
Second place.

recognition will be held. The business of the Texas Association will be conducted at the House of Delegates session Thursday evening followed by a talent show featuring representatives from Areas VI-X.

The theme of the show is "The Challenge of the Stars." Future Homemakers who have accomplished the completion of all levels of Encounter, a special growth and development program, will be honored at the Friday afternoon session. A state choir, composed of 130 Future Homemakers, will be featured. Marion Nevada, Director of choirs Tarrant County Junior College, North East Campus, will direct the group. Installation of the 1979-80 state officers will climax the Friday evening session. At this time, eleven officers elected through chapter participation throughout the state will be placed in office. A newly elected president will receive the gavel from Suzanne Knight, San Antonio, Texas, outgoing president. The FHA is a vocational student organization sponsored by Homemaking Education Agency, with Mrs. Elizabeth F. Smith, director and Mrs. Betty Romans, state advisor.

Resolution for Congress to support free Taiwan proposed.

**Consumer Food News**

Best buys this week at Texas grocery markets include poultry products, canned features and frozen items on special.

Also, dairy products bask in the limelight this week, says Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

This week's price-quality trends are the following: **POULTRY...** Whole fryers, fryer legs and mixed parts are economical.

Some stores offer turkey features, and eggs offer budget-stretching protein, although prices are slightly higher.

**GROCERY MARKET AISLES...** Features include canned fruits and vegetables, pink salmon, pasta and tomato products, along with pickles and peanut butter.

**FROZEN FOOD...** Specials include vegetables, pot pies, ice cream, french fries and hash browns.

**DAIRY...** Limelight items are milk, yogurt and a variety of cheeses.

**PORK...** Prices, although they are not low, offer more reasonable buys than beef, because pork supplies are more ample. Features include whole

joins, chops, loin roasts, rib-end roasts, shoulder steaks and pork liver. In cured meats, expect moderate prices on semi-boneless hams, sausage and frankfurters.

**BEEF...** Features are few. Most reasonable prices appear on ground beef with soy protein, sirloin, round and chuck steaks, chuck roasts and liver.

**FRESH VEGETABLES...** Prices are lower on asparagus, carrots, celery, corn and head lettuce. Fresh spinach has good quality and attractive prices.

**FRESH FRUITS...** Prices are down on Red Delicious apples, avocados, grapefruit and pineapple. Strawberries and Temple oranges have somewhat higher prices.

**CONSUMER WATCHWORDS...** Save meat and flavor by avoiding "overcook." In oven roasting meat, roast it at 300-325 F. and use a meat thermometer.

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### Fall Cattle Supply Will Increase

Relative to feedlot demand, there should be considerably more feeder cattle available this fall, causing some important price adjustments. "In other words, things will be considerably different than what they have been so far this year," said Dr. Ed Uvacek, livestock marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University. While the West Coast states, Illinois and Kansas reported gains, Texas and Oklahoma accounted for 26 percent of this year's drop in feeder cattle numbers. Other major reductions came from Gulf Coast states, indicating tight feeder cattle supplies throughout the southern U.S. The total number of feeder cattle outside of feedlots on Jan. 1 was 38.1 million head. Included in this total were 12 million steer and heifer yearlings along with 26 million calves. "This total was 7 percent less than last year and the lowest level since 1970," notes Uvacek. "The decline reflected lower calf crops of recent years. These light feeder supplies have given us extremely high feeder prices so far this year." Uvacek believes certain factors may radically alter feeder supplies the second

half of this year. Recent cattle on feed reports show sharp reductions occurring in feedlot replacements. This has come even though feedlot profits have been good. By summer, losses at the feedlot level may be more frequent. And the 1970 calf crop could be as large as a year ago. Higher calf prices have also caused a tremendous drop in calf slaughter. "All this means feeder cattle supplies might increase during the second half of the year," points out Uvacek. "That, together with increased feed costs, could pull feeder prices down much closer to feed slaughter cattle prices."

### Cities Decide For Sales Tax On Utilities

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said over 200 Texas cities have not notified the Comptroller's Office of their decision to exempt or continue the one percent local option city sales tax on residential use of natural gas and electricity. Bullock said these cities have until May 1, 1979 to adopt an ordinance keeping the one percent tax on utilities and to notify his office. He said the one percent tax will be automatically abolished effective October 1, 1979 unless an ordinance continuing it is enacted and forwarded to the Comptroller's Office. Records in the Comptroller's Office show that 556 Texas cities have voted to retain the one percent tax and 155 cities have adopted ordinances repealing it. There are 201 cities who have not made their intentions known Bullock said. The 65th Legislature during the second session enacted legislation exempting residential use of natural gas and electricity from the four percent state sales tax and provided for repealing or keeping the city sales tax. The residential use exemption of the state sales tax took effect last October.

**ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ**

1. Who won the Greater Greensboro Open Golf Tournament?
2. Who won the LPGA Dinah Shore Winners Circle Tournament?
3. Fred Lynn plays pro baseball for what team?
4. Who won the Rebel 500 stock car race?
5. Dan Issel plays pro basketball for what team?

**Answers to Sports Quiz**

1. Ray Floyd.
2. Sandra Post.
3. Boston Red Sox.
4. Darrell Waltrip.
5. Denver Nuggets.

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## STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Gov. Bill Clements, sticking to his unpredictable ways, said this week he will veto any measures passed by the Legislature designed to raise interest rates on home mortgages. Piling one surprise on top of another, Clements didn't just say he would but actually did veto a bill that would have let truckers set their own rates before bringing them to the Railroad Commission for approval.

Clements described the trucking legislation as "bad public policy," and said the bill could have exempted the trucking industry from state antitrust laws.

The governor saved his heaviest criticism for legislation that would have raised the home loan interest rate allowed by law from 10 to 12 percent. Clements said it took a certain amount of "audacity" on the part of the savings and loan industry "to come to the Legislature asking for more money" when S&L institutions are already reporting record-high profits.

Sen. Bill Meier, the sponsor of legislation to raise the home loan interest ceiling, predicted a recession because of Clements' move "and more probably a depression in the Texas housing industry."

But Clements said he had heard no convincing arguments to raise interest rates "when the average Texan is fighting just to keep his head above water financially."

Spokesmen for the savings and loan industry said first-time home buyers and sellers of used homes would find fewer mortgages on the market and higher down payments on those mortgages that were available.

Clements said he would consider calling a special session if there is a serious housing slump.

Consumer groups warned to beware of a "backdoor" strategy that might be used to, in effect, get the interest

rates increased by reducing the penalties for charging more than the 10 percent now allowed by the law. A bill reducing penalties for savings and loan institutions that charge more than the legal limit has already passed the House.

Meier, who last week managed to pass legislation that will weaken the Consumer Protection Act, said Clements' announcement of a veto means his legislation is "dead."

A veto can be overridden by a two-thirds vote but it hasn't been done since 1941 and up until that time, the Legislature has seen fit to overturn only 25 gubernatorial vetoes.

#### Teacher Pay Raises

Now that legislators know how Clements feels about interest rates, they can get on to other more pressing matters such as teacher pay raises. The governor has kept no one in the dark about how he feels on this subject.

From the outset, Clements made clear that he favored only a 5.1 percent pay boost for all state employees, including teachers.

This week, seven of the state's largest school districts sent representatives to an hour-long meeting with the governor, and Linus Wright, Dallas school superintendent, said Clements made clear "he was not going to change his position" on teacher pay raises.

All of the superintendents said the governor's proposal of a 5.1 percent increase was unacceptable. "That is not going to be sufficient to meet the needs of our teachers," Austin superintendent Jack Davidson told reporters after meeting with the governor.

The superintendents said local school districts will have to come up with the money for bigger teacher pay raises if the Legislature goes ahead with Clements' plan to

boost salaries by only 5.1 percent. Wright, Davidson and other superintendents felt a 7 percent pay hike was justified.

School officials said Clements wasn't all that receptive to their pleas for teachers to be treated differently than other state employees. But the superintendents found the governor "very receptive" to the suggestion that large metropolitan districts like Dallas and Houston be treated differently.

Most of the larger school districts have already put in to effect some of the changes Clements called for during his gubernatorial campaign last year, such as competency testing for students.

The governor also assured the superintendents that they will have a voice in school matters through Clements' education task force.

#### Short Shorts

The government has hoisted the warning flags again, telling American motorists there may not be enough gas to run their cars on by the time summer rolls around. Despite the warnings, consumption is up by four percent over this time last year.

One demand that Gov. Clements has been making this session is that legislators vote into law some kind of proposal that would give the voters initiative and referendum rights. Such legislation, for all practical purposes, has been beached in both houses, but Clements has threatened a special session if no such bills reach his desk.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and Speaker of the House Bill Clayton seem to have come up with a proposal that will pacify the governor—indirect initiative powers. Under such a plan, voters would be able to present laws to the Legislature and have them considered like any other major piece of legislation. Clements said he would support indirect initiative powers as long as voter-proposed laws have to come up for a vote in the Legislature. Bingo was a loser in the House of Representatives this week.

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# Food Poisoning Can Become Nightmare

Getting food poisoning is a sure way of turning a fun excursion into a sudden nightmare. When planning spring outings, the Texas Medical Association urges you to observe adequate caution in preparing and handling food.

Bacteria are the prime culprits in food poisoning. Present throughout nature, bacteria are usually harmless. For growth and reproduction, they require a food source, moisture, and temperatures between 45 and 115 degrees F.

Salmonella is one bacterial organism which can produce illness. Most frequently found on raw animal products such as meat, poultry and eggs, this bacteria can be transmitted from one food to another. For example, if the knife used to cut contaminated raw meat or poultry is not washed before being used to peel potatoes or dice onions, all of the food items can be contaminated. The bacterial growth is accelerated if food is then left at room temperature or cooled very slowly. The results can be diarrhea, vomiting, fever and abdominal cramps.

These pointers will reduce the chances of salmonella poisoning: 1) Before preparing other foods, use hot, soapy water to wash hands and utensils which have been in contact with raw meats, poultry and eggs; 2) Thaw meats and poultry in the refrigerator rather than at room temperature. If pressed for time, use cool running water; 3) Wait to stuff poultry until immediately prior to cooking. Use a meat thermometer to avoid undercooking; 4) Immediately refrigerate leftovers and heat them thoroughly before eating.

Another common bacterial menace is Staphylococcus, often called 'staph.' Staph organisms are commonly found on the hair and skin, in the nose and throat, and in skin infections. Staph bacteria produce a toxin which cannot be destroyed by cooking. Certain foods such as gravies dressing, meat, eggs and poultry are most prone to contamination.

There are ways to prevent staph contamination. Avoid keeping susceptible foods at room temperatures or at warm holding temperatures. Never use the hands to mix foods. Be cautious to keep the hands

## Bula News By Norma Bellar

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P.R. Pierce over the Easter weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Jones of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jackson and Mike of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Walls and Heather of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter and sons, and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Nieman, all of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pollard, Tanya and Lance of Tahoka and Wade Pollard of Whittharral visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brannon of San Antonio and his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edwards of Dickens visited with Mr. and Mrs. V.C. Weaver Thursday, Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vernwright of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gilbert of Fort Worth visited Friday. Marie Suggs visited Sunday from Lubbock.

Jeryl Bellar celebrated his birthday Tuesday and his family took him out for supper.

Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Bellar had Easter dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jeryl Bellar, Jeryl Jr. and Cheryl Ann. They all returned to the E.C. Bellar home where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Bellar of Littlefield. Later they returned to the Jeryl Bellar home for dinner and the children had an Easter egg hunt.

and poultry. The high temperature required to kill botulism spores is not possible by other home-canning methods. Pickled vegetables and fruits are often sufficiently acidic to prevent bacterial growth and may be canned with boiling water. To be certain, obtain canning instructions for all foods from the United States Departments of Agriculture and make sure your equipment is working properly; 2) Throw away any foods which have an 'off' odor. But sometimes poisoned foods do not smell bad; 3) Never taste food that is suspect. When in doubt, throw it away. 4) Throw away food from cans that leak or bulge. Be sure to dispose of such food in a way which will protect other people and pets from its accidental use.

## West Plains Medical Center Report

**ADMISSIONS --**  
April 19-- Maria Castaneda.

April 20-- Kathryn Embry, Margaret Green, Helen Jean Price, Gayle Williams.

April 21-- Ethel Webster, Anita Fortes, Laura Albright, Earl Ladd.

April 22-- Robert Wariner, Lou Hail, Elizabeth Black, Oscar Allison, Ted Millsap, Trudy Butler.

April 23-- Doris M. McVicker, Gary Benjamin Allison, Annette Stevenson.

## DISMISSALS--

April 20-- Ted Millsap, Jodie Wheeler, Viola Layne, Esther Contreras, Mary Billingsley, Mary Villanueva and baby boy, Travis Collin.

April 21-- Billie Hull, Maria Castaneda and baby boy Bertha DeLeon.

April 22-- Kathy Embry and baby boy, Earl Ladd, Helen Price.

April 23-- Ronnie Morris, Opal Lambert, Ira Smith, Frankie Black.



Shirley Bassey, night club and concert singing artist, picks up the Sword of Hope—symbol of the American Cancer Society—to urge everyone to support the fight against cancer with a checkup and a check.



FINISHING TOUCHES...Bellinda Wheeler receives some assistance in preparing for the final competition in the Miss Tri-County Beauty Pageant.

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