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'The Community of Opportunity-Where Water Makes the Difference'

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Rev. Herman Schelter, pastor of St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat, said he and the church members would like to invite all interested persons to a New Year's celebration at the church.

The special services are scheduled at 7 p.m. at the church on December 31. Communion will be conducted during the services. ****

Mrs. Cordie Taylor is reported to be at home and recuperating from surgery at University Hospital in Lubbock over four weeks

Following her surgery, she spent some time with her daughter and son-inlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Osborn, at South Plains.

Coach and Mrs. Jim Leach are spending Christmas at Andrews, Colorado City and San Angelo. *****

Marine Sgt. Walter W. Coburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Coburn, Muleshoe, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with Marine Wing Support Group 27, 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing, with Marine Corps Air Station Beaufort, S.C.

He joined the Marin Corps in March 1974. ****

The family of Ovie Mar asco had their Christms supper on December 131 the home of Mr. and Ms James Manasco at Clovis

Among the 32 perso attending the special ocsion were all of the chiren, grandchildren and e great-grandchildren.

Santa made a surpe visit for the children d gifts were exchanged.

Pre-Christmas visito in the home of Mr. and IS Buck Creamer on Moa! night were Sgt./1 Cm Mrs. Jim Champlin of Benning, Ga. and Herzog of Columbus,1-

Following an over visit, the trio went the home of the Creit daughter and her hun the Jerry Champli Las Vegas, Nev.

Ray Manasco wasir prised with a birthda'n ner December 15 ill Con't on page 6, Col

Area Invited To Reception For Retiree

Corrdinators public reception fo ing Bailey County Dee Clements hav they would like persons in the area. ially Bailey Count attend the reception honor Sunday.

Scheduled from p.m. in the cor room at the State Bank, the sheriff and his wife will be honored for years of service residents of this col

A money tree according to one coordinators for the



AWARDED FOR SERVICE--At the annual City of Muleshoe Christmas luncheon Monday. City Manager Dave Marr, center, presented a certificate of appreciation to Lorene Sooter, left, librarian for the now-defunct Bookmobile and Ruby Henderson, assistant librarian and driver, right. He praised them for their 'dedicated service' since the Bookmobile opened in the 1960's. They were also presented the Christmas arrangements shown in the foreground.

Sales Tax Increases Through This Year

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said late last week that December city sales tax payments to Texas cities will bring 1980 totals to more than \$500 million.

Bullock said his office is sending \$33.5 million in payments to cities who levy the one percent optional city sales tax.

The rebates to Texas cities is \$93.5 million more than was distributed among Texas cities during 1979, an average increase of more than 20 percent.

Muleshoe's rebate check shows the largest increase in this area, at 16 percent. For December, the City of Muleshoe receives a rebate check of \$7,018.51, a decrease from the \$25,611.82 received as a rebate at the same time last year. But, for the year, Muleshoe re-

'80 Farmer Tax Guide Available

The 1980 Farmers Tax

Guide is now available at the County Extension office in the Bailey County Courthouse. The Farmers Tax Guide explains how federal tax laws apply to farming. It gives examples of typical farming situations, and discusses the kinds of income you must report and the different deductions you are allowed. Sample forms and schedules show you how to fill out the federal tax returns you may have to file for your farming busi-

This year some of the chapters have been revised to make discussion of tax laws more understandable. Some of the more important changes to the tax law this year are: (1) Investment Credit (2) Business Energy Investment Credit (3) Residential Energy Credit (4) Standard Mileage Rate (5) Alcohol Fuel

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Credit.

flects an overall increase, with the December check bringing payments for the year to \$175,733.29, up from the \$150,201.68 at the same time last year.

Morton shows percentyear, with payments of \$46,783.20 through this year, down very slightly from the \$47,156.47 at the same time last year. In December this year, Morton received a payment of \$1,224.34, and in December last year, the rebate check was \$7,349,53.

At Littlefield, a 10 percent increase for the year was noted. In December last year, the total received during the year at Littlefield was \$209,516.96, in-December this year. Their rebate check was \$6,047.98 for December 1980 and last year at this time, the payment was \$36,349.06.

From Friona, an 11 percent increase was noted with a total of \$80,232.39 Con't on page 6, Col. 2

Cattle Lice Control Should Start Now

It's the time of year when the nation's cattlemen need to put up their guard against a pest that annually pilfers their pocketbooks of \$100 million.

Lice are the culprits, and they begin to reproduce rapidly with the onset of cool weather, says Spencer Tanksley, county agent with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

FFA Receives 'Top' Honors At Meeting

Muleshoe FFA took third in senior chapter conducting and second in FFA Quiz at the recent Littlefield District FFA banquet hosted by South Plains College, Levelland.

Muleshoe FFA also took a fourth place in junior chapter conducting and fourth in senior, farm skills and seventh in radio broadcasting.

About 300 participants from 15 chapters in the Littlefield District attended the festivities last Monday night in SPC's Texan Hall. Ted Harrison and Dan

Throckmorton, both of Muleshoe, also were named honorary state Lone Star Farmers for

1980 include Curby Brantley. Benton Glaze, Kelly Harrison and Thurman Myers, all of Muleshoe.

They reach peak populations in late winter and early spring. Uncontrolled, lice can

soon infest a whole herd, because with cold weather, cattle tend to bunch up more and the pests can easily move from one animan to another. Heavy hair coats on animals during cold weather also afford protection for the parasites and allowed increased reproduction.

Costs to the cattleman--both in control efforts and dramatic production losses--increase as lice populations build.

There are two types of lice--bloodsucking and biting--and both infest cattle, says Tanksley. Sucking lice pierce the animal's skin and suck blood while biting lice feed on particles of hair, scale, scab and skin discharges.

Lice infestations irritate animals, causing itching, scratching and rubbing on fences or anything else available. This produces denuded areas, bruises and lacerations on the affected animal. Heavily infested animals will have an unthrifty appearance and will suffer weight reduction, decreased milk production, anemia or even death, points out Tanksley. Lice infested animals may also be more subject

to respiratory diseases.

such as penumonia. Heavy lice infestations also often Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

Cold Lingers, Snow **Evades Entire Area**

Mule Basketball Evens Out 6-6

Last Thursday night, the Muleshoe Mules took on the Lockney Longhorns in the Muleshoe Junior High gym and downed the basketball team by a score of 53-47

On their way to the victory column, the Mules hit on 18 of 47 attempted field goals for 38 percent and Lockney made 22 of 71 attempted field goals for 33 percent.

In the free throw column, the Mules hit 88 percent, with 17 of 25 tries, while Lockney hit three of nine for 33 percent. Muleshoe had 12 fouls, to 23 for Lockney and had 41 rebounds to 33 for Lockney.

Scoring for Muleshoe, Felix Norman was high, with 18 points. Next was Carroll Precure with 14 points; Wesley Rasco, ele- season at 6-6. ven points; Michael Isaac, 10 points and Ronnie Angeley, six points.

Felix Norman leads in the basketball season so far with a total of 138

points in field goals and 23 free throw points; Wesley Rasco has 116 field goal points and 20 for free throws; Carroll Precure has 78 for field goals and 16 on free throws; Michael Isaac has 78 on field goals and 13 on free throws; Ronnie Angeley has 76 on field goals and 18 free throw points; Monty Hysinger 42 field goal and eight free throw points; Mickey Long, eight field goal points and Trent Kirven has two field goal points and two free throw points.

The Mules have scored 251 field goals, while giving up 314 field goals and have scored 100 free throw points while giving up only

At this time, the Mules are all evened up for the

Next game for the Mules will be January 2, when they travel to Lockney to take on the Longhorns on their home territory.

No White Christmas Say NWS Forecasters

Chances for snow and a white Christmas lessened during the early part of this week when a lingering mass of frigid air moved out of the area. However, by today, Christmas Day, the National Weather Service predicted another cold front from the north would keep Christmas very cold, but dry.

Last weekend, there was no doubt it was finally wintertime, when the temperature lingered in the low 20's for at least three days, and did not even reach as high as the freezing mark for the afternoon

Cloudy skies accompanied the weekend cold front, but no moisture was reported other than some very light snow early Friday morning in southwestern Bailey County.

NWS said a slow warmup through Tuesday would be turning back to the colder air for Wednesday and Thursday, today.

By the weekend, the air was expected to warm again with the afternoon highs expected to move back into the 60's.

Sunday, with the official arrival of winter, the temperature failed to even make 30 degrees for the afternoon high, and winds made the air more frigid during the day. By Sunday afternoon, the clouds finally broke, and a cold sun failed to warm the air before sunset.

A slow moving warm front extended southward from central New Mexico into far West Texas earlier in the week, causing the cold air to slightly loosen its icy grip on the South Plains.

The warm southwesterly winds on Monday helped to slightly warm the air, although some high clouds were again moving into the area, still without the promise of any moisture.

Following record breaking weather extremes during 1980, from the recordbreaking extended heat to the lack of moisture, two snowfalls in November also caused other records to fall for the year.

Two ten inch snowfalls Cont. Page 6, Col.





Jeff Meeks Chosen For Super Team

Although Clovis dominated the 1980 Globe-News Super Team as chosen by the Amarillo Globe-News, one player from Muleshoe was named to the elite team. Chosen as the only player from District 2-3A on the team was Jeff Meeks, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Meeks.

He was one of only two junior students named to the team for this year, sharing that honor with Aubrey Richburg of Here-

Mecks is 6-2 and weighs 188, and was named to the offensive team as a tackle.

Members of the Super Team were chosen from teams in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, with Clovis receiving six of the honor spots.

Despite early injuries, Mecks made his mark with the Muleshoe Mules during regular season play, and became well known for his hard hitting tackles.



And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for behold, I bring you good tidings of great jou. which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

LUKE 2:8-11

home from visiting Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Coldiron were in Guymon, Oklahoma for the Thanksgiving holidays. ****

Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Knox returned home Monday from vacationing the past several days.

Among recent visitors with Mrs. Radney Nichols were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols and children of Spring, and Mrs. Margaret Ball of Amarillo. They were all in Lubbock on Thanksgiving Day for dinner in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E.N. Nichols. Also joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nichols also of Amarillo. ****

We wish to say Happy Birthday to the following whose birthdays are coming up or have just passed: Julie Lampher, John Chester, Mark Baker, Ernest Legg, Nathan Lowe, Joe Kent, Cheryl Kinnie, Marie Allen, Holly Franks, Brad Hanna, Clay Carr, Barbara Bond, Mack Lowe, Mike G. Nix, Danny Allen, Dewayne Phillips. We also wish to extend anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Pal Legg, Mr. and Mrs.

West Plains Medical Center Report

ADMITTED Dec. 18, Caroline Barela, Oscal Allison, Leona Bailev. Raymond Bollanger, Kathy Jones Dec. 20, Damon Davenport, Galil Gibson Dec. 21. Manuel Gonzales, Ruth Black, Todd

Holtt, Melinda Mejia Dec. 22, Julia Allmand DISMISSED Dec. 18, Sandra Sutton and baby girl, Wanda Gabble Dec. 19, Tom Smith, Leon Warren, Nina Glasscock,

Caroline Barela, Kathy

Dec. 20, Enrique Tascano, Euna Reed, W.F. Creamer Dec. 21, Lee Kimbrough Dec. 22, Virgie Harding, Damon Davenport, Todd Holt, Sherri Shipman, Manuela Gonzales, Ruby



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Freddie Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tollett.

Homer Morris has been

released from the Amherst Hospital and it was reported that he is doing very ****

Raymon Maxwell has returned from the Amarillo hospital where he was in serious condition for several days and it has been reported that he is doing well. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Drum and children of Caddo Mills flew in to be with hime and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell. Due

to Raymon's illness, they

12 oz. Box Kellogg's

28 oz. Bottle

Graham Crackos

Downy.....

10 lb. Bag Ken-L-Ration Dog Food

Tender Chunks

64 oz. Bottle Fabric Softener

Mr. Clean

32 oz. Bottle Blackburn-Made

Waffle Syrup...

No. 300 Can Ranch Style

Peas

Texas

Black-eyed

Green Cabbage

Washington - Golden Del

Apples

Texas - Ruby Red

Grapefruit

California - Large Heads

Cauliflower

No. 300 Campbell's Pork and Beans.

46 oz. Hawaiian Fruit

Punch Drink

enjoyed a later Thanksgiving celebration. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Art Lynch, Amy and Ann have returned home from Kerns, Herst and Waco. ****

Jerry Ray is a surgical patient in the Methodist Hospital where he underwent surgery Tuesday. ****

Mrs. Roby Lynn and infant daughter returned home from the Methodist Hospital Tuesday evening. ****

Mrs. Carroll Legg and Courtney D'Ann were released from the Littlefield Medical Center and are now home.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hanna were in Lubbock last Tuesday to attend the funeral services for Mrs. Nannie Garvin.

Addis Williams has been placed back in ICU at the Methodist Hospital it was reported Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Mayfair Graves has been a medical patient in the Littlefield Medical Center several days this

**** Sara Woods and Mrs. Reed Markham have returned home from vacationing last week.

Sam Burnett has been released from the hospital following heart surgery and it was reported that he is doing well.

Truman Lee Willingham and Marshall Lucas were in Levelland for Thanksgiving Day dinner in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. M.R. Slaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell accompanied Mary Lena to Amarillo one day last week to visit their son, Raymon, who was hospitalized there.

A special happy birthday to Mrs. Mae Baker on her 80th birthday. We hope you have a great day and many more to come. ****

Mr. and Mrs. Dick West have returned home from Hemphill where they have been for several weeks. *****

Mrs. Wareena Roark has returned home from visiting with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay House were Sudan visitors one day last week.

Buddy Pickett of Ruidoso has been a Sudan visitor some this week.

Mrs. J.W. Olds was in Lubbock Saturday to visit Mrs. Addis Williams who is seriously ill in the Methodist Hospital.

Definition

Modesty: The feeling that others are bound to discover for themselves how wonderful you are. -Tower, Edenton, N.C.

A OCCURA Longest Year Had 445 Days Most of us know which is the longest day of the year. What about the longest year? Believe it or not, one year contained 445

The longest year was 46 B.C. but we have to go back to the seventh century B.C. to find out why it was so long. That was when Numa Pompilius supposedly created the Roman calendar. Despite being revised several times, this calendar still fell some two months behind the sun by the time of Julius Caesar.

Caesar put his experts to work revising the calendar. They came up with a calendar, but couldn't decide what to do with the two months needed to catch up with the sun.

The only way they could find to solve the problem was to insert two months between the months of November and December to give the year 46 B.C. a total of 445 days

We now mark time by the Gregorian calendar, instituted by Pope Gregory in 1582 and, despite efforts to substitute other methods of marking time, the Gregorian system will probably be with us for some time. Mathematicians guarantee the method will remain accurate

until 2500 A.D. The Gregorian calendar takes into consideration the solar year which actually consists of 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 46 seconds. These extra hours,

minutes and seconds are accounted for by a well-regulated system of leap years, which keep the calendar and the solar equinoxes congruent.

The Gregorian calendar provides that the years divisible by

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four, exclusive of the years numbering centuries, shall have 366 days. The century-marking years are leap years only if they are divisible by four after the ciphers have been removed.



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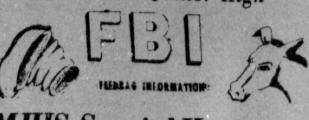
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At Muleshoe Junior High



MJHS Special Honors

The MJHS student body has been holding elections for 8th grade special honors, Mr. & Miss MJHS and class favorites. Teachers selected an 8th grade boy and girl as Outstanding Students.

Louise Lopez and Smiley Orozco were elected as Mr. & Miss MJHS. Louise is on the basketball team and Smiley is on the football team and is a basketball manager.

The teachers selected Kristi Campbell and Preston Scoggin as Outstanding Students. Kristi enjoys snow and water skiing, cheerleading, and is on the basketball team. Preston

Three Way News By Mrs. H.W. Garvin-

The Three Way basketball teams played in a tournament at Lazbuddie the past weekend with Three Way High loosing, Three Way Junior Varsity winning consolation and the High school boys winning consolation.

W. E. Latimer was a medical patient in Methodist Hospital if Lubbock the past week.

Mrs. Jack Furgeson visited her daughter, the Jim Greens, the past weekend in Shallowater.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvn Long from Amarillo spat Sunday with the

spent Tuesday in Mon visiting her daughter, Ns Bob Vinson.

The Three Way Bais Youth put on their and Christmas program Sula night at the church wi good crowd present. 16 had refreshments aftethe program.

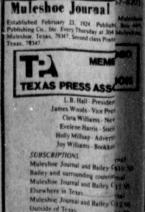
**** Mr. and Mrs. To Durham from spent the weekendy her parents the O Tysons.

The Enochs Me Church held their mas program Sunda a good lunch and a by their pastor, Revia vin Gregory. The several guests from ton and Mr. and MC McCormick from N.M.

Mr. and Mrs Toombs attended neral Monday at Gi of their brother in ' Rev. Joseph Yates

Mrs. S.G. Lon Bulah Toombs a H.W. Garvin atter Cochran County S tizens meeting at Friday. A group several songs fron Criswell of Morton

Mr. and Mrs. T from Lubbock visi community Sunda



plays both football and basketball.

Each year the eighth grade students select people to receive special honors. Winners this year are: Most Likely To Succeed: Kristi Campbell and John Isaac; Wittiest: Zonell Gatewood and Louise Lopez (tie) and Smiley Orozco; Most Attractive: Laurie Kelton and Smiley Orozco; Friendliest: Louise Lopez and Smiley Orozco; Most Athletic: Mary Norman and Mark Moton; and Most Studious: Tracy Tunnell and Betty Lunsford.

The 8th grade class favorites are Lori Ellis and Smiley Orozco. The 7th grade class selected Laurey Grand and David Vela as their favorites; and the 6th grade class favorites are Lisa Black and Darren Al-



DAVID VELA

LORI ELLIS

Bobcats Stopped Mules

The Muleshoe 7th grade Mules played the Dimmitt Bobcats in their third district game. The Mules short 29-16.

LISA BLACK

LAUREY GRANT

DARREN ALBERTSON

Scoring points were Loy Triana, with 5 points; Lester Burks with 5 points; Mike Holt, with 2 points; Monte Horne, with 2 points; and David Vela with 2 points. Monte Horne received a star with

MJHS Coaches Comments

Dimmitt beat both our 7th and 8th grade basketball teams Monday night. We didn't play as well as I thought we were capable of playing with either team. However, with a week coming up without a game to worry about we work on many much needed fundamentals. What both teams really need is practice and improvement in ball handling, jumping and especially in the area of shooting the ball would make both teams much better. We have some boys in both grades and will decide to have confidence in themselves, things will be alright. Both teams compete pretty well.

Mulettes Stung By **Bobcats**

Last Monday, December on the 7th grade Mulettes. tough game but lost 33-15. High scorer was Leonor Danial with 5 points, followed by Meichelle Logsdon with 4.

Coach Winegeart committed that the girls have improved a wholed lot and they are shooting more. All of it is paying off. Their next game will be January

Mules Lose

The 8th grade Jr. High Bobcats last Monday, Deplayed tough but came close game even though the Mules didn't play as well as they could have. The final score was 21-30.

15, the Dimmitt Bobcats came to Muleshoe to take The Mulettes played a

To Bobcats

Mules met the Dimmitt

Mark Moton received 2 stars--one for 100 percent shooting and 5 steals. Rob Donaldson received a star for 100 percent shooting and John Isaac received a star for 12 rebounds.

The Little Match Girl

Hans Christian Andersen

It was terribly cold; it snowed and was already almost dark, and evening came on, the last evening of the year. In the cold and gloom a poor little girl, bareheaded and barefoot, was walking through the

Shivering with cold and hunger, she crept along, a picture of misery, poor little girl! The snowflakes covered her long fair hair, which fell in pretty curls over her neck; but she did not think of that now. In all the windows lights were shining, and there was a glorious smell of roast goose, for it was New Year's Eve. Yes, she thought of that!

Her little hands were almost benumbed with the cold. Ah, a match might do her good, if she could only

cards.

Have the children cut out

holiday motifs from the cards: a Santa face or a

Christmas tree, for ex-

ample. Then, have them

fold 9x12 paper in half and

once again in half, to form

Next, have them draw a

circle on the front of the

card, using a round object

such as a coaster or cup to

define the circle. (Make sure

their circle will accom-

modate the motif that has

been selected.) Have chil-

dren cut out the circle and

the circle, gluing motif to

the second sheet of the

The inside sheets can be

crayoned or penciled in.

folded paper.

the basis for their cards.

draw one from the bundle and rub it against the wall and warm her hands at it. She drew one out. R-r-atch! how it sputtered and burned! It was a warm, bright flame, like a little candle, when she held her hands over it; it was a wonderful little light!

She rubbed another match against the wall; it became bright again, and in the brightness her old grandmother stood clear and shining, mild and

And she hastily rubbed the whole bundle of matches, for she wished to hold her grandmother fast. And the matches burned with such a glow that it became brighter than in the middle of the day; grandmother had never been so large or so beautiful. She took the little girl in her arms, and both flew in brightness and joy above the earth, very very high, and up there was neither cold, nor hunger, nor care-they were with God.

We All Love The Music of, Christmas!

What would Christmas be like without music! Can you imagine Christmas Eve without the strains of "Silent Night" to evoke thoughts of the tender mother and the Holy Child?

Indeed, music has been a part of the holiday tradition ever since the angels performed the first Christmas "concert" for a group of awestruck shepherds.

Since then, simple carols and great oratorios alike have expressed humanity's joy and wonder over the events of Christmas.

Interestingly enough, many early carols were actually folk songs without Christian content . . . so today's newer, secular compositions have a tradition of sorts behind them. But, the most meaningful Christmas music is, of

course, religious in context. Handel's Messiah has inspired generation after generation since it was first performed before George II in



is as awesome, however. The simplicity of Franz Gruber's "Silent Night" has made it one of the most loved Christmas carols. Joyful hymns such as "Adeste Fideles" and "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing" are other Christmas

Let Youngsters Make Holiday Greetings Cards One way to keep youngsters occupied while they're counting the days until Christmas is to let them make their own greeting cards for special people such as grandparents or a favorite teacher. All you need is construction paper, glue, scissors and some old greeting

To make an envelope for the greeting card, take another 9x12 sheet of construction paper and fold it 41/2 inches from the bottom, lengthwise. Then, fold along the lengthwise edges, approximately 11/4 inches in. Glue edges along 41/2inches, leaving top edges

After the youngster's greeting card has been fold over the top of it and seal it with a decorative

open for card to slip in.

Have your youngsters used for a personal message hand-deliver their greeting from the youngster, to be cards to admiring family



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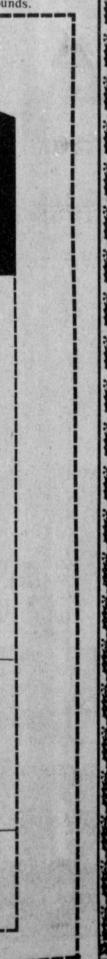
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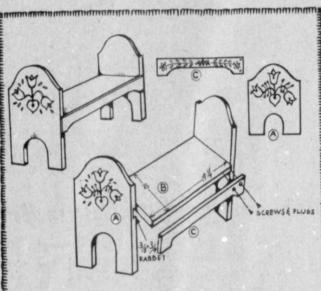




Miss Hysinger Feted With Bridal Shower



MISS KANETHA HYSINGER



Dutch child's bench

This colorful bench is simple to make and will be welcomed with much delight come Christmas morning. It requires a minimum of time and effort in a home workshop, with a quick trip to your local lumberyard for the pine

MATERIALS:

18-11/2" flathead wood screws 34" -#2 pine in the following sizes: Part "A"-Sides, 2 pieces, 10" X 20" X 1/4"

Part "B"-Seat Board, 1 piece, 10" X 194" X 4" Part "C"-Side Skirts, 2 pieces, 31/2" X 20" X 3/4"

Following pictured diagram, lay out and cut part "A" to size, if not already cut at lumberyard, and shape as shown. Cut %" and %" grooves where indicated to receive and hold part "B'

Lay out and cut part "B" and insert into precut grooves. Secure with wood screws through part "A" and cover heads with

Lay out part "C" and cut to size and shape. Secure it to parts "A" and "B" with wood screws. Cover screw heads. Paint or stain any color, sanding after first coat. Repaint evenly Paint on Dutch designs in bright colors.

Miss Kanetha Hysinger was feted with a bridal shower December 21 from 2:30-4 p.m. in the Community Room of Tri County Savings and Loan.

Officers Installed Thursday

A.A.R.P. met Thursday at noon in the Bailey County Civic Center, with 23 members and three visitors, Mrs. Julia Wire of Meridian, Miss,; Mrs. Lelah Adams of Lubbock and Mrs. Hazel Reeder of Muleshoe, present.

Mrs. Clara Lou Jones called the meeting to order, Clarence Wilhite gave the invocation. The pledge to the flag was given.

Lelah Adams, Mrs. Assistant State Director, gave a short history on the founding of N.R.T.A. (National Retired Teachers Association) and American Association of People. Dr. Ethel Percy Andrus founded both of the programs.

New officers were installed, they are Myrtle Creamer, president; Lena Hawkins, vice president; Mary Farley, secretary and Beatrice Blackburn, treas-

Members of the nominating committee were Lee Pool. Mrs. Fave Lambert and Mrs. Dement.

Board members elect4ed Board members elected were Clarence Wilhite, one year; Buck Creamer, two years and Jewel Pool, a three year term.

Tuneful arrival of the Yuletide

In pagan times it was thought that noise would drive away evil spirits. Today, in many areas of the Scandinavian countries and in Germany, a delightful (though somewhat noisy) holiday custom is observed, that probably stems from that pagan belief.

A group of musicians take their instruments into the belfry of their local church where they play four Christmas carols, one in each direction of the compas

Their music is played loud and clear and the finale is a joyful pealing of the church bells, announcing the arrival of Christ-

Kanetha, her mother and the prospective groom's mother greeted the guests. JoRhonda Rhodes registered the guests.

Gina Wilkerson served assorted breads, cider, and coffee from crystal and silver appointments. The serving table was covered with a pink satin cloth overlaid with white net and edged with scalloped felt. An arrangement of silk roses in shades of pink and baby's breath enhanced the table.

Special guests were the bride's grandmothers; Mrs. Freddie Mae Hysinger and Mrs. Lorene Stewart, both of Olton; the bride's great grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Stewart of Hale Center; bride's aunt, Center; great aunt and uncle of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Loveless of Olton. Also the groom's sister in law and niece, Beverly and Michelle

The hostesses gift was a kitchen center. Hostesses for the occasion were Martha Young, Mary Brantley, Margaret Stevens, Frances Burrows, Ruth Williams, Rowena Meyers, Phyllis Angeley, Nelda Hunt, Donna Shaw, Anna Copeland and Janette Burden.

Also Donna Black, Ella Dunbar, Gina Wilkerson, Stephanie Barrett, Lauranette Mason, Darla Rhodes, Margaret Epting, Susie Hamblen, Wanda Frankie Griffin and Lunsford



MRS. SANTA...Gladys Wilson was selected as Mrs. Santa by the listeners of Channel 6. Mrs. Wilson received the most votes out of a toal of 100 cast. There were eight other nominees, Beth Webb, Mary Nell Chapman, Grace Morris, Sally Ellis, Dorine Harbin, Mary Farley, Dorothy Green and Rene Hutton. These ladies were all nominated by listeners of the local cable station. Mrs. Wilson, the mother of nine children, received gifts from Diet Center, Flowers Unique, Imagination Plus, Pizza Hut, Ana's House of Beauty and Charlie's Espree Cosmetics.



25th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION...The children of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kube will be honoring them Sunday, December 28, at the St. John Lutheron Church of Lariat, at 3 p.m.

Kappa Kappa Jota Meet In Home Of Lanelle Skaggs

Kappa Kappa lota met December 11 in the home of Lanelle Skaggs, Phyllis Woods and Debbi Hutto served as co - hostesses. President Lena Hawkins conducted a short business meeting. Finger foods, tea and coffee were served. Shortly after the members began eating, a surprise visitor appeared--Ole Santa Claus and his little elf. Santa read letters from each member and presented each one with a long awaited requested gift. Games were led by Santa.

Members attending were Dorine Harbin, Joyeline Costen, Esther Marie Dillman, Imogene Tiller, Lena Hawkins, Ehtel Allison, Phyllis Woods, Lanelle Skaggs, Debbi Hutto, Mabel Wolfe,

Wrinkle, Izetta Shain, Pat Black, Janna Wartes, Renee Taylor, Jane Cornelius and Jean Allison.

Places named for holiday

A close look at your atlas will reveal many cities and other geographical locations named for the most loving holiday of the year To name a few Mistletoe, Kentucky Noel in Missouri and Virgini

Holly in Colorado, Michigan and West Virginia. Bethlehem in Connecticut Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky Maryland, New Hampshire, and Christmas Cove, Maine.

"Week Before Christmas" and read from Luke 2:7 and also read "Story of The Christmas Gift." Others attending were

exchanged.

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Class Party

The T.E.L. Sunday School Class of the First

Baptist Church held their

Christmas party Monday.

December 9 in the home of

Mrs. Louise Parrish. Co-

Dudgeon, Ruth Baker.

Thelma Vinson and Ruby

The rooms and tables

were decorated in Christ-

mas motif and tables were

covered with Christmas

cloths and centered with

opening prayer. Following

the meal of ham and cov-

ered dishes, gifts were

Dottie LaGrone brought

the devotional and read

Jean Harvey gave the

Christmas wreaths.

hostesses were Winona

Elsie Cate, Louise Gatewood, Louzelle Serratt, Rene Cole, Rosie Snow. Wareena Roark, Precious Johnson, Hazel Savage, Ouida Parrish, Dee Carmichael and Marie Beckett and the hostesses.

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Muleshoe T.O.P.S., TX 34 chapter met in Bailey County Electric Co-operative meeting room on December 18, with 25 members present.

Carlene Stroud, leader, called the meeting to order. The T.O.P.S. song was sung and the pledge recited. Linda Vinson called the roll.

Best loser for the week was Evelene Harris; Janie Patton was first runner-up and Leavell Parker was second runner-up.

Wanda Kemp and Evelene Harris received mat-

Bette Freeman celebrated her birthday and received a gift from the birth-

The meeting was dismissed with the singing of the goodnight song.

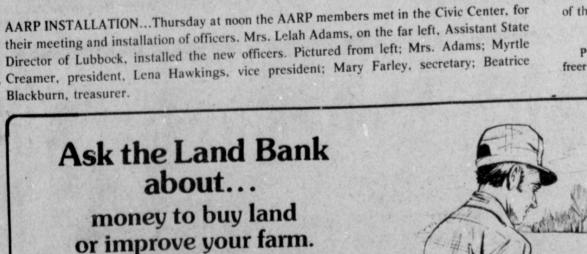
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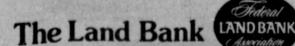


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'Visit from St. Nicholas'

written as Christmas gift



CHRISTMAS PARTY...Santa Claus paid a visit to the Muleshoe Nursing Home Thursday, When a party was held for the residents. Pictured with Santa is Dr. McDaniel, who is a resident at the nursing home.

************ CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MONDAY

12 p.m. Jaycees, XIT Restaurant (every) 3:45 p.m. P.T.A. Mary DeShazo or Richland Hills School Cafeteria (second)

7:30 p.m. Rainbows, Masonic Hall (second & fourth) 8 p.m. Fine Arts Boosters, Band Hall

12 p.m. Rotary, Civic Center (every) 2 p.m. Art Association, Muleshoe State Bank (second) 7:30 p.m. O.E.S., Masonic Hall (first)

7:30 p.m. Progress 4-H, West Camp Community Center

7:30 p.m. Llano Estacado (second) 8 p.m. Athletic Boosters, Muleshoe High School Cafeteria WEDNESDAY

12 p.m. Lions, Civic Center (every) THURSDAY

11:3(.m. W.O.T.S. (every)

12 p.m. Optimist, CorralRestaurant (every) 2 p.m. Hobby Club, Mushoe State Bank (first & third) 6,30 p.m. T.O.P.S., Biley County Electric Community Room (every)

7:30 p.m. Odd Feliows Ddd Fellows Hall (every)

11:30 a.m. A.A.R.P., Gie Center (fourth) 6:30 p.m. Kiwanis, Coal Restaurant (every)

7 p.m. Muleshoe Singg Group, Trinity Baptist Church

If you would like yo club or organization listed on the calendar of events, plse furnish the information in with

Iran threatens actioner detention of students.

Israel seems ready to make good-will gestures.

Twistens Attend Gymnasts Meet

Ten out of the thirty one gymnasts from Hawkins and Purdy's School of Dance and Gymnastics won first place at the Briercroft Invitational Tumbling Meet in Lubbock last weekend, December 13th.

In the 2-3 year old category, Leslee Treadwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Treadwell won a first place ribbon and trophy in tumbling. Keetha Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Glover, won a second place ribbon and Jennifer Winders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Winders. also placed second.

In the 4-5 year old category 1 A, Janae Zamora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zamora, placed third. Gail Copley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Copely, placed 3rd. Jeanne Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox, won 4th place. Jodi Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Morris, won 2nd place. Jarah Redwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Redwine, won third place. Amanda Ashford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ashford, won second in the 1 B category of the 4-5 year olds. In the same category,

WOTS Weekly Meeting

The W.O.T.S. (Women Of Tolk Station) group met Thursday in the meeting room of Tri County Savings and Loan, for a covered dish luncheon. Hostesses for the day were Jckie Self and Lee Ann Lee.

Members present were Zellma Toler, Delores Gibbons, Helen Williams, Mildred Williams, Mary Williams, Dee Merryman, Doris Williams, Faye Welborn, Kay Madry, Lois Martinec, Doris Fightmaster. Tammy Fletcher, Lee Ann Lee, Kathy and Becky, Theresa Todd and Jackie Self. Also two visitors, Lucy Brock and Mickey Louck, both of

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Gymnastics of Lubbock.



Norma Mejia

The young lady has been fifth child for the couple. Other children are Ermilin-Anabelle, five and Rov.

Grandparents are Mrs. Esperanza and Mr. and Mrs. Juan Majia all of Loredo, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Legg are parents of a daughter, Courtney D'Ann who was born Wednesday at 10:30 p.m. at the Littlefield Medical Center.

D'Ann Courtney weighed seven pounds and eight and one half ounces and was twenty one inches

Candace Tara Lynn

Mr. and Mrs. Roby Lynn are the proud parents of a new daughter, Candace Tara, who was born December 7 at 10:18 p.m. at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

three fourths inches long. Grandparents are Mr.

month old sister, Jennifer.

Gymnastics, New Home Gymnastics, and Sunshine

Christy Shipman, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Danny

Shipman, won third place

and Jenna Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary

Glover, won third, Angie

King, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Max King, won a first

place ribbon and trophy in

In the 1 B category of 6-7

year olds, Tina Copley,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Wayne Copley, won sixth

and Tiffany Angeley,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Tub Angeley, won fifth

In the Boys 1 B category,

Jay Hawkins, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Richard Hawkins

won a first place ribbon

and trophy and Van

Gregory, age 10, also won

a first place ribbon and

trophy. He is the son of Dr.

In the 2 A category,

Tisha Young, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Young

won third place and Laurel

Dillard, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Don Dillard, also

Robin Moore, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey

Moore, won a first place

ribbon and trophy, in the

eleven year old category 1

Casey Estep, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Johnny Estep

won a second place ribbon

in the boys category 1 B for

Jill Actikinson, 4 year

old daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Johnny Actkinson,

won a fourth place ribbon

In the advanced category

3 A boys, Kevin King, age

9, and Lance King, age 11,

both sons of Mr. and Mrs.

Max King, won first place

ribbons and trophys. A.J.

Liles, 8 year old son of Mr.

and Mrs. Bill Liles, won a

second place ribbon and

Winston Stice, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Kenneth Stice,

won a first place ribbon-

and trophy in the 11 year

In the advanced category

3 B for girls, Cynthia Lane,

10 year old daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Lane

won a first place trophy

and ribbon. Krystal Ange-

ley, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Tub Angeley, won a

Michelle Finney, daugh-

ter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Finney won a first place

trophy and ribbon in the 8

year olds. Britt Engelking,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Jerry Engelking won a

In the advanced category

4. Chandra Engelking, 13

year old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Jerry Engelking,

won a third place ribbon.

category, Caroline Liles,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Liles, won second

Mrs. Cindy Purdy ac-

companied her students to

the meet. Other teams that

were present were Brier-

croft of Lubbock, Shallo-

water Gymnastics, Idalou

place.

In the power tumbling

second place ribbon.

second place ribbon.

old division.

the five year olds.

in the 1 B category.

won a third place ribbon.

and Mrs. Jerry Gregory.

her tumbling.



West Plains Medical Cent-

named Norma. She is the da, ten; Sylvia, seven; three years of age.

Courtney D'Ann Legg

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest (Pal) Legg, all of Sudan and great grandparents include Mrs. Teresa Baccus of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Welkener and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Baccus, all of Sudan and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moss of Littlefield and J. C. Turentine of Rogers, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lynn, all of Sudan and great grandparents include Mrs. J.W. Olds and Mrs. Mable Reed, both of Sudan and Ed Ray of Littlefield and Mrs. Ethel Poteet, also of Littlefield.



Mr. and Mrs. Rogelio Mejia of Earth are the proud parents of a new daughter born December 21, at 11:49 p.m. in the

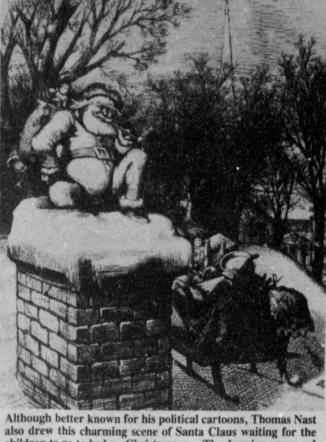
Great, great grandmothers are Mrs. Ola Baccus of Sudan and Mrs. Merle Moss of Lubbock.

Candace Tara weighed in at seven pounds and eleven and one half ounce and was twenty one and

and Mrs. Jerry Ray and

Candace has a fourteen

Anwar Sadat, Egyptian President, on Canadian visit: "Canada is a common friend to Israel and to



children to go to bed on Christmas eve. The drawing appeared in Harper's Weekly, January 3, 1874. Courtesy of the New York Historical Society, New York City.

times. Almost every American A collection of verse printed in 1837, called The New York Book of Poetry, carried Dr. Moore's poem with his name. And it was so included in a volume of Dr. Moore's poems, printed in 1844. Although he did not consider A

Visit from St. Nicholas a significant poem, it eclipsed all his other writings on the Bible and classical

There is no estimating how many people have read or heard it in the dozens of languages in which it has appeared.

Dr. Clement Clarke Moore has

child, and millions of other chil-

dren all over the world, have been

delighted by this endearing clas-

been likened to the kindly, Clement Moore never received humorous figure he gave to the single penny in royalties from world, a man who brought joy to his poem, although it has been reprinted countless thousands of the happiness he left as his legacy.

Shaping Distinguguishes Christmas Breads

There's great satisfaction in making a yeast dough fashioned "from scratch," brimful of raisins, snipped apricots, butter and spices. Shape dough into a frosted Christmas tree, a sugary wreath or colorful candle.

by Marjorie Miller

to all a good-night."

from St. Nicholas.

"Happy Christmas to all, and

These heart-warming and

familiar words, so dear to all,

complete Clement Clarke

Moore's beloved poem, A Visit

Dr. Moore, a classical scholar

and part-time poet, wrote his im-

mortal and whimsical poem on a

cold Christmas Eve in 1822, as a

present he had promised to his

Clement Clarke Moore is best

remembered for having created

the now popular image of Santa

Claus, that happy, portly, white

bearded figure, dressed in fur,

smoking a pipe, and carrying a

bulging sack of toys over his

Moore's sleigh the night the poem

was written was the model for the

Imagine how delighted the

Moore children must have been

with this colorful tale. How capti-

vated, as their father read, "Now

Dasher! now, Dancer! now,

Prancer and Vixen! On! Comet,

on! Cupid, on! Donder and

The young family memorized

the poem they loved so, although

Dr. Moore thought little of it and

family acquaintance, intrigued

with the fascinating and spell-

binding tale, sent a copy to her

local newspaper, where it was re-

printed. Unfortunately, she forgot

to say who had written the de

lightful poem, and for some years

Later, in the 1860's, Thomas

it was reprinted "anonymously"

in other papers and magazines.

Nast, an American political car-

toonist, created the rotund, kindly

Santa we know, in his fur-

trimmed red suit

relegated it to a desk drawer. Sometime after the holiday, a

cherubic Santa figure.

Blitzen

oulder. It is thought that an old Dutch handyman who drove Dr.

For variety, make a Cheese-Filled Sour Cream Coffee Cake. This dough has a wonderfully light texture because of the dairy sour cream and a delectable filling made of cream cheese, accented with currants and lemon

CHRISTMAS TREE COFFEE CAKE Dough

41/2-5 cups all purpose 2 packages active dry yeast

11/4 cups milk 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter 1/4 cup sugar 1 teaspoon salt

2 teaspoons grated orange 2 eggs 1 egg yolk

1 can (8 oz.) almond paste 1/2 cup finely chopped almonds

1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter, softened 1 egg white

Icing 11/4 cups confectioners sugar

2-3 cups milk 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract To prepare dough: In a

large mixing bowl combine 2 cups flour and yeast. In a 1 quart saucepan combine milk, butter, sugar and salt; heat until very warm (120-130 degrees F.). Add orange peel. Add liquid to flour. Add eggs and egg yolk. Beat 1/2 minute at low speed, scraping bowl constantly; then 3 more minutes at high speed. Add 1 cup flour and beat 1 minute longer. Stir enough remaining flour to form a soft dough (about 11/4-11/2 cups). Turn onto lightly floured surface; knead 5 to 10 minutes or until dough is smooth and satiny. Add only enough more flour to keep dough from sticking to the board. Place in buttered bowl, turning once to butter top. Cover bowl with waxed paper and towel and let stand in warm place (80-85 degrees F.) until double bulk, about 1-11/2 hours. (TO raise dough: Fill a large pan thw-thirds full with hot water; place a wire reck on top and set the bowl of dough on the rack. Place in an unlit oven.) Meanwhile prepare filling: Blend together almond paste, almonds, butter egg white. After dough has doubled, punch down by pushing center dough with fist. then pushing edges of dough into center. Turn onto lightly floured surface; cover with towel and let rest 10 minutes. Roll dough out to form a 16 x 14

inch rectangle. Cut off a strip 14 x 2 inches; set aside for trim. Roll out to make a 14 x 9 inch rectangle. Cut off a strip 9 x 2 inches, divide this strip in half and set aside to use as bases for trees. To form trees: from the long side of dough, cut a triangle from top edge center point to bottom outside edges. Remove this tree to cookie sheet. Place to half trees remaining on another cookie sheet, straight sides together. Pinch seam to seal. Place bases at bottom of tree and pinch to seal. Decorate trees with remaining dough, making ropes or ornaments. To make ornaments, wrap small balls of dough around red or green candied cherries. (Brush dough with a little water so decorations will stick.) Brush melted butter over trees. Cover with waxed paper, then a towel. Let rise in a warm place until doubled (about 40 minutes). Bake in preheated 350 degree oven, 15-20 minutes. Carefully slide oneo wire racks to cool. Decorate before serving. To prepare icing: Combine sugar and milk until smooth; add vanilla. Use a pastry brush to brush on icing.

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Cattle...

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stunt calves. Undernourished cattle of any age usually have the heaviest infestation.

Some cattle appear to be physiologically more susceptible to lice than others and thus have higher pest populations. Such animals are called 'chronics' or 'carriers' and are usually instrumental in reinfesting the herd annually in spite of repeated insecticide treatments. Culling 'carrier' animals is a helpful management practice in reducing lice problems, Tanksley explains.

Insecticide control of lice is not difficult to achieve, but there are some problems. Most insecticides don't kill eggs; therefore, retreatment is required in two to three weeks to prevent another buildup. However if the initial treatment comes late enough in the season, there may not be enough time for lice to build to economic levels again before warm spring weather.

Spraying and dipping infested animals with proper insecticides is an effective means of controlling lice. However, control measures are usually required when winter conditions are most harsh--a time when cold stress is a good possibility and respiratory diseases prevalent. Some of this problem can be prevented by treating animals on a day when they can be dry before sundown, says

Tanksley.

Pour-on and spot-on grubicides for lice are effective and considerably reduce the problem of cold stress associated with dips and sprays. However, the possibility of a host-parasite reaction is always a threat if the material is

applied after the cut-off date for grub control.

Systemic grubicides labeled for lice control usually recommend a lower rate than that to control grubs, which would help reduce the host-parasite reaction.

Use of nonsystemic dust applied by hand or in dust bags would eliminate the possibility of host-parasite reaction. But because of a lack of penetration of

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received through December this year, compared to the \$71,828.13 at the same time last year. Friona is receiving a rebate check of \$4,284.96 during December this year, and last December, the rebate for that city was \$11,569.22.

Houston's final check for this year will be \$7.8 million, bringing that city's 1980 total to \$116.1 million, a 19 percent boost over 1979.

Dallas will get \$4 million, raising that city's total for 1980 to \$65.1 million, a \$10 million increased over the previous year.

Fort Worth will receive \$1.1 million this month, for a 1980 total of \$21.6 million, up 16 percent over 1979.

San Antonio will get a \$1.8 million check this for this month, for a 1980 total of \$31.1 million, a \$5.2 million increase over last year.

Muleshoe...

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home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bookout in Clovis.

Attending the birthday dinner were his mother, Ovie Manasco, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Manasco, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Manasco, Christie and Kevin; Susie, Vanessa and Mandy Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bookout.

heavy hair coats, dusts do not provide an effective lice control as dips or sprays, the county agent explained.

But, when used in a preventative program, properly placed and maintained dust bags offer effective control of lice. Bags should be humg in areas that cattle frequently use or hung in such a manner that cattle are forced to use them. One dust bag station should serve about 30

The spot-on formulation of chlorpyrifos is a new product that has been effective against lice. The product kills all stages of lice -- eggs, nymphus and adults. One application is adequate for season-long control if the entire herd is treated and no untreated animals are later introduced into the herd.

Only a small amount of chlorpyrifos is required, thus eliminating cold stress from soaking animals with sprays and dips. The insecticide is not a grubicide, so it can be used anytime without fear of a host-parasite reaction. However, this product is not labeled for dairy animals.

Tanksley cautions that whichever lice control program is used, the cattleman should be certain to read label directions and pay particular attention to warnings, restrictions, and pre-slaughter intervals.

Additional information on control of lice and other external parasites of cattle is available in the publication "Suggestions for Controling Parasites of Livestock and Poultry" at the county Extenstion office.

Howard Buker, Senator (R-Tenn), on tax cut:
"Whether it should be

"Whether it should be done now or in January, I think there should be tax relief without waiting."

'Horns District Season Starts Against Happy

Staring out the district season in basketball, the Lazbuddie girls defeated the Happy girls, but, the Lazbuddie Longhorns fell to the Happy team.

In varsity boys' action, Lazbuddie fell 64-70 to

High scorers in the game were Todd Gregory, 14; Johnny Gonzales, 14 and Steffan Moore, 12.

The Lazbuddie JV defeated Happy, 43-38.

For girls' action, the score was Lazbuddie 66 and Happy, 53.

High scorer in the girls game was Sherri Seaton with 24 points. Lori Ivy had 19 points.

Next action for the Lazbuddie players will be at Amherst on January 9. Action gets underway at 5 p.m.

> CHEMICAL WEED CONTROL ALONG COUNTY ROADS

Herbicides can drastically reduce the cost of controlling weeds and brush along county road rights-of-way, points out an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. When comparing mechanical methods of weed and brush control with the use of chemicals, savings ranged from more than \$1,000 in a Washington County precinct to more than \$62,000 in a Wharton County precinct. These savings resulted mainly from reduced labor and fuel use when only her-



AUSTIN — The Texas Legislature will be appropriating more money to build update prisons this session, an expenditure it has long avoided.

Last week a federal judge ruled the Texas prison system, largest in the nation, violates the constitutional rights of its inmates in virtually every aspect.

Among the violations cited by U.S. Dist. Judge William Wayne Justice of Tyler are routine beatings, other forms of violence, poor medical treatment, unsafe working conditions, and unsanitary living and eating

The cost of making the sweeping changes ordered by Judge Justice is expected to run into millions.

Spokesmen for the Texas Department of Corrections point out they have not been able to initiate improvements on their own because the Legislature has repeatedly turned down requests for higher budgeting.

Justice's findings are not unexpected in a state where soft treatment of criminals is an unpopular stance with voters. Still, the depth of his court-ordered reform caught many Texas officials offguard.

His 248-page opinion, which he took over a year to write, notes that the TDC system also violates several state laws and many of its own rules and regulations.

In apparently the first such ruling in Texas, the judge held that state job and safety laws apply to the 18-unit,

Cold...

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in less than two weeks, accompanied by extremely cold temperature, caused moisture records to fall for the month, and according to some 'old-timers' herald a harsh, cold winter for the area.

25,000-inmate system.

His latest ruling is not the first controversy in Judge Justice's long legal career. In the past his rulings have desegregated Tyler schools, forced a Tyler junior college to accept students with long hair and forced a Tyler high school to stop using the Confederate flag for school emblems. Recently he ruled a Tyler school district must educate the children of illegal aliens without charging tu-

Texas Atty. Gen. Mark
White said he will wait until
a final judgment is handed
down in February before deciding whether to appeal the
TDC case.

\$536 Million

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said the Legislative Budget Board is recommending the Legislature approve \$536 million for TDC over the next two years.

"The prison system is overcrowded. Basically, it is a system built for 16,000 prisoners and it now has 29,000," Hobby said.

"That there are deficiencies in the system is unquestioned."

Texas is not the only state to come under heavy criticism for its penal system Eleven other states have been similarly chastised by findings.

Election Miscues

The outcomes of some state elections are still up in the air.

State Rep. Al Brown, D-San Antonio, who lost his reelection bid to a retired military man, has charged discrepancies among the election's mailed in absentee ballots. The House of Representatives will decide which candidate to seat when it convenes next month.

Another legislator who won a state district judgeship may have to go to court to keep his new post. State Rep. Melchor Chavez, D-Harlingen, was declared incligible to occupy the bench by Texas Secretary of State George Strake. Strake said Texas law prohibits Chavez from holding the judge's office, since as a member of the 1979 Legislature he voted for a 19 percent pay hike for district judges.

Chavez may seek an appointment from Gov. Bill Clements or a ruling from the Texas Supreme Court.

Clements has already called a Jan. 10 special election to fill the House seat being vacated by Rep. Chase Untermeyer, R-Houston. Untermeyer, a well-respected legislator, is resigning to become an aide to Vice President-elect George Bush. Several candidates are expected to seek that office.

Legal Funds Get Nod

Strake ruled last week that House Speaker Bill Clayton can use contributions from his officeholder's fund to defray legal and other expenses incurred in his defense in the Brilab prosecution.

Clayton had sought the ruling because of his \$500-a-plate dinner a week earlier, which was well attended by state political movers and shakers to pay off Clayton's Brilab costs.

shakers to pay off Clayton's Brilab costs.

Strake said the fact that Clayton was acquitted rather than found guilty enabled him to use the funds for activity in connection with his office, since illegal activity is

Origin of Xmas

unquestionably not a part of

official duties.

Many people take offense at the term "Xmas," suggesting it is an attempt to take Christ out of Christmas, when actually it is merely an abbreviation of the word itself. In modern times the letter X is a way of crossing out unwanted information . . . and so, the misconception.

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land for 1981. Tom Little Farms 272-3802 272-4086. 7-48t-13tc

WANT TO RENT: Dryland farm around Baileyboro and Stegall area. Call Aubrey Heathington at 272-4766 or Don Heathington ut 272-4351. 7-50s-tfc

8. REAL ESTATE **************

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Square Dance lesson iff certificate -- \$20 per peon full session. \$25 Christmas. 272-4457,122 West 9th. 1-50t-4tc

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Muleshoe Indepee

School District is accepting application male and/or female 18 fied bus drivers. cants must be al obtain, prior to ment, a Texas Chifel License, pass a PS Examination provid by the School, have's driving record fre Texas Department lic Safety, and com't twenty hour driving provided by the sch-

Salary range is \$10 \$16.00 per day with time being two thin hours per day. Application form

be picked up fre Willoughby at the ! age or at the SchoBu ness Office. 3-52t-4tc

Town & Country Store now hiring p help for evenings al ends. Apply 1900 ne can Blvd. 272-5337. 3-51s-2tc

The Texas Migrant is accepting applicas Center-Director. Call 272-3992 3-35s-tfc

HELP WANTED: Payroll clerk - computer experience desireable - excellent fringe benefits. Closing date - December 29, 1980. Apply at Bailey County Electric, 305 E. Ave. B. Muleshoe, Texas. Equal Opportunity Employer.

I need a baby sitter in my home -- Good Pay -- Short

WANTED: Clerical assistant. General office work. some bookkeeping knowledge helpful. Send resume o Box 449 c/o Clerical Assistant, Muleshoe, Tx. 3-51t-tfc

WANTED: Irrigated farm

REID REAL ESTATE

Dianne Nieman 965-2488 Lucille Harp 272-4693 8-19s-ttfc

FOR SALE: 80 acres, irrigated. 21/2 miles northwest Muleshoe. Phone 272-3658 or 272-5578. 8-42s-tfc

ESTATE SALE-EARTH 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den, couble fireplace, extensive landscape, circular drive on 1 acre lot. Or will sell entire city block totaling approximately 21/2 acres. Shown by appointment only. Call Ken Hite 806-799-3660 Lubbock, Texas. 8-50s-5tc

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den, fenced, garage, ref. air, central heat, garbage disposal and dishwasher. Convenient to schools. Call 272-4496 or 806-794-5245. 8-48s-tfc

For all your real estate needs call: GLAZE & GOFORTH 112 Ave. C 272-4208

************* 9. AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE **************** FOR SALE: Good clean 1977 Chev. Bonanza pickup Big 10 pack, loaded, 47,000 miles, ready to go. Call Bill Darnell 272-4825. 9-46s-tfc

SMALLWOOD

11:00

96 acres, 3 miles northwest of Muleshoe, elec tric circular sprinkler. Will take house in trade

REAL ESTATE

232 Main 272-4838

Joe and Ricky

Smallwood

160 acre farm, 5 miles from Muleshoe on 1760. 2 wells, water drive Valley Sprinkler.

We need listings. See or call Joe or Ricky. 8-51t-tfc

SALE OR RENT: One bedroom house. Will sell for small down, balance like rent. Adults. Write Box 563, Capitan, N.M. 88316. 8-51t-7tp

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bedroom, brick, double garage, 2 bath. 1916 West Ave. H. \$55,000.

3 bedroom, 2 bath, carpet, central heat and refrigerated air. 1733 W. Ave. B. \$44,000.

Modern home with 3 bedrooms and a lot of improvements. miles west of Muleshoe \$40,000.

2 bedrooms, 1 bath, stucco. Good location. \$21,500.

Richland Hills Lot. 103 foot front on West Ave.

John W. Smith, Broker 806-272-4678 806-272-3725 8-47s-tfc

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FOR SALE: Lot #6 Block #8 Pool Addition, replat. 125 X 75, 600 block facing Ave. K Call 272-4536.

> KREBBS REAL ESTATE 122 W. Ave. C Ph. 272-3191

1200 A. good grass and farmland.

34 A. irrigation - nice

160 A. - 2 wells - row crop.

Nice 3 bedroom home for rent in Muleshoe.

320 A. - Good dry land. 160 A. - Wheat, sprinkler.

************* 10. FARM EQUIP. FOR SALE

************** Farm Equipment For Sale: 1 ERCO side-roll, 1280 ft. length, self - leveling nozzles, 6 ft. wheels and wind tie downs. \$3000. Call 946-3471. 10-50t-tfc

************** 11. FOR SALE OR TRADE ****************

FOR SALE: Portable Black and White TV, 2 years old. Catalina Brand. \$150. Call 272-4323 after 6 p.m. 11-48s-tfc

J.B. SUDDERTH REALTY INC. Box 627 109 Fifth St. Farwell, Texas 79325 Phone [806] 481-3288 or 481-9149

148 Acres irrigated on highway. Lays good with super nice, extra large 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick home. 2 miles south of Bovina.

320 Acres irrigated, 2 wells. Priced right. 5 miles southeast of Farwell.

60 Acres west of Muleshoe on highway. One 6 inch well, side - roll sprinkler. Steel building. 2 sets of nice improvements.

160 acres northwest of Muleshoe, 2 wells, lays good on FM highway.

320 acres irrigated with 2 electric wells and circles all wheat, fenced excellent water area. Near Bovina Feeders.

1285 acres, circle sprinklers, 7-8 inch wells, corrals and feed pens, trailer house. Priced to sell. Owner will finance. 29 percent down or will take cash. 8-49s-tfc

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Used 14X75 Astro Mobile Home to be moved. 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath and fireplace. Call 806-825-2618 11-38s-tfc

FOR SALE: Go cart. 1 year old. Good condition. Call 481-9256. 11-49t-6tc

FOR SALE: 160 acres, 4 miles north of Muleshoe, 2 wells. Phone 965-2200 after 11-48t-tfc

FOR SALE: Young goats. Call 965-2913 after 6 p.m. 11-50s-tfc

Sewing Machine Sale Viking, New Home, Dressmaker, and others. New, used and repairs. Pope Viking Sewing Center, 600 Prince, Clovis. 11-50t-4tc

Corn stalk stacks for sale Call 272-3278. 11-50t-tfc

BURROWS UPHOLSTERY AND FURNITURE REPAIR 118 W . Ave. C in the rear Phone 272-4255 12-39s-tfc

FOR SALE: Water bed. 51/2 ft. headboard and pedistal. Call 272-3015.

************* 15. MISCELLANEOUS **************

12-48t-tfc

Make that old metal barn or shop look new with a fresh coat of aluminum paint. We also do inside and outside painting, blow acustic ceiling, and do out-

side plaster work.

Serving the Muleshoe area, for more than twenty five years. Free estimates. Lowery & Sons Paint Contractors Call 272-4952 or 385-3003

Litlefield 15-52t-4tp Want a propane system?

Check with SMITH LP GAS MULESHOE. 15-30s-tfc

Nursing Home News By Joy Stancell

Merry, Merry Christmas to all our families and friends from the Staff and Residents of the Nursing Home. *****

Thursday afternoon the Muleshoe Young Homemakers came and decorated the nursing home throughout for Christmas. I t certainly gave us the Christmas spirit.

Judy Watson brought her cub scouts to the nursing home Monday to sing carols to the residents. ****

E.B. Wilson came to have Bible Study with the residents Sunday morning.

The Needmore and Circleback singers came to sing to the residents Sunday afternoon. Fourteen residents attended. *****

The nursing home and hospital auxiliary came to shampoo and set the ladies hair Tuesday afternoon. About 20 ladies had their hair done. *****

Glenda Jennings from the Lazbuddie Methodist Church came to have a sing a long with the residents Wednesday after-

Elaine Stout brought her group of Mission Friends

100 acres of maize for grazing with water and electricity. 385-5610 Littlefield. 15-50s-4tp

Want to do cotton stripping Call 925-6775. 15-51s-3tc

and a group of G.A. girls to the nursing home Wednesday afternoon. They caroled the residents up and down the halls stopping in to visit each resident and leaving them gifts and good wishes for a Merry Christmas.

Ruby Clark hosted a birthday party in the Day Room for her mother. Ora Roberts, Wednesday, December 10th. All the residents were invited to help eat her beautiful birthday cake and drink punch. ****

000000000000000000 Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSE Ronald Gene Osterdock and Reba Sue Rodgers, both of Earth Gerald Lee Ganoe and Lou Sandra Canfield, both of Muleshoe

WARRANTY DEEDS Juan J. Delgado and wife, Maria G. Delgado to Arthur L. Graves and wife, Margrette Graves----All of Lot Number (6), and the (NW/2) of Lot Number (5), in Block Number (6), Highland Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Graydon Eiland and wife Judy Ruth Filand to Donnie Bradshaw----All of the easterly 60 ft. of Lot Number (25), Block Number (3), Muleshoe Park Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Mary Jane Cazarez to Rafael Paez and wife. Andrea Paez----All of Lots Numbered (23 and 24). Block Number (31), Original Town of Muleshoe. Bailey County, Texas. **COUNTY COURT**

Captain J. Gatewood --DWI -- \$200 Fine and 20 Days Jail

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I am more than 80 years of age, a veteran of World War One, and am writing in the particular interest of all World War One veter-We do not believe that

we have always received fair treatment -- and World War One veterans do not receive the benefits they should have now. Thus, if the President, together with his Cabinet, the Senate, and House of Representatives, want to do something good and patriotic for a very deserving group of people, they will provide more benefits for them. But they need to act promptly, for the average age of those veterans is about 86 years. And time is running out.

Personally, I fought all across France and Germany with the 36th Division during 1916 and 1917. Not only so, but I have children and grandchildren that have served in the armed forces. So we have done our part toward the defense and protection of our country. And there are thousands of others in similar circumstances.

But we do not have the benefits that other people have, such as food stamps, welfare payments, and other types of assistance. Even our social Security is counted against us as income -- often causing our veteran's pension to be lowered.

Futhermore V.A. hospitals have been closed which makes it much more difficult to obtain medical attention.

So I strongly recommend to President - elect Reagan that he give these matters his immediate attention. He and his cabinet together with the new Senate and House, can correct the wrongs if they so desire. To do so will be a noble

deed, it will be only a just reward for those who have given the most for our nation, and it will earn them the everlasting gratitude of the entire country.

If others want to use this letter they may feel free to do so.

Sincerely, Clyde Newell (S.) Clyde L. Newell

P.S. I also served in the Texas National Guard in Paris, Texas Battery 133rd Field Artillery in 1916-1917. Was a Lieutant Colonel on the Governor's Staff from 1946-1951.

Purchasing a home is still a good idea, notes economist

COLLEGE STATION -While some families will find it harder than ever to purchase a home in the next decade, a home will remain their best investment, says a Texas A&M University real estate expert.

"It used to be that gathering several thousand dollars for a down payment was the biggest problem people faced when wanting to buy a house," said Dr. Arthur Wright, a research economist for the Texas Real Estate Research Center at Texas A&M. "Now the problem is continuing increase in monthly

By rule of thumb, house payments were about 25 percent of the monthly household income, Wright said, but today people can expect the percentage to be higher. In some instances, it has been as much as 35 percent of the monthly household income

I can resist everything except temptation. -Oscar Wilde

How High Is Your Agricultural IQ??

Facts About U.S. Agriculture, World's Super power Of Food

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• Nations's No. 1 Employer - 14 to 17 Million People

• Nation's No. 1 Inflation Fighter - Rate Of Productivity Double That Of Non-Farm Industry.

• Nation's No. 1 Exporter *32 Billion In 1979

In The Next 7 Weeks We Will Be Having A Contest To Find Out How High Your IQ is. The Correct Answers Will Be Put In A Box, Then At The End Of 7 Weeks, Prizes of *25, *15 & *10 Will Be Given To 3 Winners.

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From The Following List Choose The Item You Think We Import Because It Is Not Grown In This Country.

Circle your answer.

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Answer to last weeks question: a-b b-c c-a

Wooley International Inc. W. Hwy. 84



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