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Around Muleshoe

The Lazbuddie Vo-Ag Chapter is in the last stages of planning for their annual awards banquet scheduled at 7 p.m. Friday, April 15. The banquet will be held in the Lazbuddie Cafeteria with the meal being catered by Danny's Catering. Cost per plate for the banquet is \$5.50.

Muleshoe Boy Scouts, Troop 620 will sponsor skating on Friday April 15 from 7 until 9 p.m. in the Bailey County Civic Center. Admission will be \$1.00 each.

High School Coach Kevin Wiseman has notified the Journal that Muleshoe will host a dual track meet with Friona on Thursday and Friday, April 14, 15 here in Muleshoe. Plans are not yet completed. This will be the last competition meet prior to District Meets in Tulla next Tuesday, April 19. By the way, Wiseman says that the Mules have a good chance of taking the District Banner. Stats on the Denver City meet will be published in the Sunday Bailey County Journal.

The Rodeo Cowboy Ministries will have a gospel music jubilee on Saturday, April 16, at the Bailey County Coliseum, beginning at 7 p.m.

The Muleshoe Rotary Club had as its guests on Tuesday Ronnie Gustin and Mike Hahn. Members were reminded of the upcoming fish sale on May 10. Max King was responsible for the program and presented a film distributed by the Texas Cattle Feeders Association pointing out the fact that beef is one of the most nutritious products in the U.S. The film also examined the guests, and

Local Pack 620 Sweeps Annual Pinewood Derby

Local Pack 620 of the Muleshoe Cub Scouts hosted the George White District Scout Annual Pinewood Derby here in Muleshoe Saturday April 9. The Derby was held in the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum.

According to officials, a good turnout of boys made a successful event out of the derby and representation by other Packs in other towns was good.

Trophy winners in the eight year old division were awarded as follows: first place, Jason Zigenfuss, Muleshoe; second place, Michael Porras, Muleshoe; and third place Eric Ward,



THEY'RE OUTSTANDING-Four students received the "Top" awards during the annual DECA-HECA Employer Appreciation Banquet Monday night. Receiving the top awards were from left, standing: Jackie Holmes, Outstanding DECA student; Randall Stevens, Outstanding display and merchandiser for DECA; and seated from left, Abbye Kennedy, HERO student from HECE and Tamara Gilliland Outstanding student from HECE.

Four DECA/HECE Students Are Named 'Outstanding'

"Spring Into The Future" was the theme Monday night for the annual DECA-HECE Employer-Employee Banquet at the Muleshoe High School cafeteria.

Students and their employer guests were greeted in a spring setting featuring streamers of spring greenery and flowers, with butterflies and rainbows. As the guests sat down for the buffet dinner, they were entertained by Krystal Taylor, soloist, accompanied by Laura Leal at the piano. Robert Nowlin welcomed the guests, and

gave tribute to the employers who continue to back the two high school programs, giving the juniors and seniors from Muleshoe High School the opportunity to learn job skills while still students.

Linda Tanksley introduced her HECE officers, Beth Harmon, president; Charli Hawkins, vice president; Tamara Gilliland, vice president; Abbye Kennedy, vice president; Marleea Cox, secretary/reporter; Jeff Combs, treasurer; Scott Ellard, student council representative; Sandra Speck, parliamentarian and Stacy Elder, historian.

She gave the background of HECE and named her top students for the year. Included were Marleea Cox, a senior and high-point individual and junior high point individual, Maria Eynum.

Winning her top awards were Abbye Kennedy, the HERO (Home Economics Related Occupations) award and Tamara Gilliland, outstanding student.

Introducing the DECA officers was Lola Pylant,

instructor. She recognized the outstanding students from her program. DECA officers are Martina Valdez, president; Jackie Holmes, vice president; Ginger Morris, secretary/treasurer; Lynda Bell, historian; Randall Stevens; Chubby Ramos, student council representative and Lori Stroud,

School Enrollment Drop Trims Budgets

Newly elected trustees for the Muleshoe Independent School District board were sworn into office at a regular meeting of the board on Monday, April 11. Superintendent John Fuller was on hand to administer the oath of office to Julie Cage, Dewey Moore and returning incumbent, Ronnie Holt.

Following the ceremonies election of officers was the first item of business. The board voted unanimously to re-elect, by acclamation, the 1982 officers to serve

Skateathon Nets

\$1200 For Fireworks

Some forty hale and hearty youngsters spent the day recently in a gigantic skateathon to raise money

for Muleshoe's annual July 4th traditional fireworks display.

The climax of the event was reached Saturday morning when those participants who had brought in the most amount in pledges were recognized for their hard work by Jennyslipper's President Margorie Merritt, as she presented each one with their particular gift.

The Jennyslippers were able to present a check in the amount of \$1500 to the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce, with Robert Montgomery accepting for the 1983 fireworks fund. The check represented the money collected less expenses for the recent skating event.

Grand prize for the Skateathon, which was a home video Atari, went to Lee Palmer, who turned in a total of \$438 in pledges. Steven Noble turned in \$260.40 in pledges and won a bike. Chanda Kemp turned in \$140.05 and received a television set, while Tanya Wilcox turned in \$100 and won a pair of Nikes and a complete jogging suit.

Other winners included

Area Bank Deposits Increased \$5 Million

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Mullettes Qualify For Regional Meet

Coach Robert Brandon has released the results of the recent girls' district track meet and while Muleshoe only managed to come out with a fifth place overall in scoring their 76 points, three of their girls qualified and will go on to compete in Regional Meets in Odessa on April 22-23. The three girls who qualified include Marylyn Lewis, Juanita Garcia and Teena Sisemore.

In the 3200 meter run at the district meet, Juanita Garcia took second place with a time of 13:22.0. In the 400 meter relay, the team of Ellis, Ellis, McMeans and Lewis placed third with a total time of 53.1.

Vana Pruitt placed third with 16.95 and Adena Lindt placed 6th with 17.86 in the 100 meter hurdles. Teena Sisemore placed sixth with 242.0 in the 800 meter dash. In the 800 meter relay, Ellis, Ellis, McMeans and Logsdon placed sixth as a team with a time of 157.78.

Placing second in the 400 meter dash, Marylyn Lewis' time was 63.5; Julie Sanders placed sixth in the

same event. Teena Sisemore placed second with 6:02.9 in the 1600 meter run and Juanita Garcia placed fourth with 6:11.62. In the 1600 meter relay, Brenda Ellis, Mary Norman, Sherry Bessire and Marylyn Lewis placed fourth with a time of 4:29.0.

In the long jump, Marylyn Lewis placed third with 16'1" and Brenda Ellis placed sixth with 14'9 3/4". In the triple jump, Marylyn Lewis placed first with 34'5 3/4".

Loan Activities Also Show Increase

With a local and national economy beginning to slowly recover from one of the worst financial crisis in years, a survey of eight area banks this week reflected a solid increase in deposits and a substantial decrease in loans at the end of business on March 31, 1983.

Total over all deposits for the eight banks showed \$196,452,296.73 for March, 1983, up by \$5,211,677.73 from the same time in 1982. Loans at the eight banks in March totaled \$86,083,468.65 for 1983, down from the \$90,554,492 of 1982 - a difference of

\$4,471,023.35 for the year. Bankers contacted regarding the difference in deposits and loans explained that "many farmers have been able to sell their PIK Commodities to offset their loan programs some. A spokesman for one of the area banks expressed his idea that a lot of "new money" was being funneled into the economy by various sources.

Bank personnel contacted in all eight banks agreed completely on the effect that the PIK program has had on their towns. "People are taking care of business now, and have a much more optimistic attitude," said a Morton banker.

show a decrease in deposits as of March 31, 1983. With the combined total recorded in March, 1983, being \$62,929,687.02, down by \$2,760,539.97 from the \$65,690,227 of 1982.

Combined Loan totals for the Muleshoe banks are up showing \$34,480,290.37 in 1983; and compared to the \$34,341,897 of 1982 show an increase in loans of \$138,393.37.

Deposits at the First National Bank of Muleshoe reflected a March 31, 1983 total of \$29,260,718.83, down by \$961,508.17 from the 1982 total of \$30,222,227. Loans at the First also reflected a downward trend when the March 1983 figures of \$14,544,993.60 are compared to the \$16,325,897 of

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County Sheriff Gets New Set Of Wheels

The Bailey County Commissioners' Court met in regular session on Monday, April 11, beginning at 10 a.m. in the Bailey County courthouse.

Items on the agenda included a meeting with Ralph Douglas regarding the seal coating of county roads. In Monday's meeting, Commissioners authorized the advertisement for bids on the seal coating project which at this particular point has to do with 11 miles of County pavement. Construction is expected to start as soon as bids can be had.

Bids were also reviewed from three separate dealers on a new automobile for the Bailey County Sheriff's office. A bid from Dutch Wilkinson Oldsmobile in Littlefield was accepted at a cost of \$8,634 for a Delta 88 Olds.

Bids were reviewed on a motor grader for Precinct

Lazbuddie

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WTSU Judging

Lazbuddie vocational agriculture instructor, Rick Copp has notified the Journal regarding the results of the West Texas State University judging contests on Livestock Judging held in Canyon the past weekend, April 9. Lazbuddie's team for livestock judging placed 17th out of 72 teams. Members of the team are Mark Lust, Sean

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One and a bid from John Deere for a total trade difference of \$67,500 was accepted.

The County Treasurer's quarterly report was given to the Court and approved. Funds were transferred from road and bridge funds to officer's salaries funds.

Another item taken care of was the authorization by Commissioners of Judge Green to countersign checks in the absence of the County Treasurer.

The grant application for the Senior Citizens Bus was discussed by the court, however, no decision was made on this item. Other items taken care of at this

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Local Girl Scout Leaders Recognized

April 22 is Girl Scout Leader's Day, when thousands of leaders nationwide will be recognized for their voluntary contributions to Girl Scouting.

Leaders of Girl Scout troops in Muleshoe include: Glenda Duncan, Pat Muddford, Vowery Dodd, Cathy Gable and Sharon Shaw.

These women and men play an important role in our society by encouraging girls to develop their talents, pursue their interests, and serve their local communities. More than 46 million American girls, women, and men have been members of Girl

Scouting since its founding in 1912, and have benefited from the caring guidance of Girl Scout leaders.

Being a Girl Scout leader means being committed to girls, and to the idea that every girl can be made aware of her potential and can be helped to develop that potential in productive, satisfying ways. Being a Girl Scout leader also means having opportunities to make friends, develop civic and professional contacts, and try different kinds of volunteer work.

Girl Scouting is good for everyone: the adult volunteer.

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SKATEATHON CHAMPS-The youth shown here brought in the most money in pledges in a recent Skateathon held by the Jennyslippers here in Muleshoe, putting \$1500 into the fireworks funds for July's celebration. Winners were: (Front L-R) Dusty Lee, Damon Parker, (Second) Steven Noble, Michael Richardson, Ammee Lewallen, Chanda Kemp and Tanya Wilcox. (Back) Galin Latham, Lee Palmer, Terry Snell and Britt Chapman.



BOARD OF TRUSTEES--New school board members recently elected were sworn into office Monday evening by Superintendent John Fuller, as the first board meeting for the new group was brought to order. Officers elected were Ben Roming, President; Ronnie Holt, vice president and Royce Harris, secretary. Shown above are: (standing) L-R Gene McGuire, Gordon Wilson, Ben Roming, Royce Harris) (seated) Dewey Moore, Julie Cage and Ronnie Holt.

A & M Club Offers \$500 Scholarship

The Muleshoe Area A&M Club is offering a \$500 scholarship to any high school senior in this area who is planning to attend Texas A&M University.

Applications for this scholarship have been delivered to sixteen high schools in the area, including those in Bailey, Cochran, Lamb, Parmer and Curry County in New Mexico. Students who have not already made application for this scholarship should do so immediately, since the deadline has been extended just a few extra days. The only requirement that a student must meet is the fact that he or she is planning to go to A&M.

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Interest, Dividend Withholding To Begin; Some Accounts Exempt

Beginning July 1, 1983, payers of interest and dividends must withhold ten percent of each payment

Bullock Reduces Revenue Outlook

State Comptroller Bob Bullock again reduced the revenue outlook for Texas state government Thursday, cutting his official estimate of available revenues by \$953 million.

Bullock explained that even with the latest cuts in his estimate, Texas and Alaska remain the only states with budget surpluses.

"Our surplus has dwindled from the \$1.3 billion we thought we would have last year to about \$630.5 million we expect now. But we still have \$2.3 billion available over and above our present budget."

Bullock said he reduced his estimate because of continued uncertainty in oil prices and because sales tax receipts keep falling.

"Thirty-eight states are having to cut their state budgets below their present levels. We've got enough money to write a budget that's 12.4 percent bigger than the existing budget that we are now operating under," Bullock said.

Narrow-minded people sometimes limit the amount of intellectual progress that can be made in a community.

for federal income tax, the Internal Revenue Service said. Tax will be withheld at the time the interest and dividend payments are made to the individual or credited to the individual's account.

Certain taxpayers will be exempt from withholding if they file certificates of exemption with payers and if they meet any of the following requirements:

Taxpayer last year had a tax liability of \$600 or less (or \$1,000 or less if married filing a joint return);

Taxpayer is 65 or older and last year's tax liability was \$1,500 or less (or \$2,500 or less if taxpayer or spouse is 65 or older and they filed a joint return);

Taxpayer, or taxpayer and spouse, were not required to file an income tax return last year.

However, the IRS noted,

many taxpayers may find the withholding a convenience that will free them of the need to make quarterly estimated tax payments and/or prevent them from being faced at tax time with a substantial tax bill and possible penalties for not having enough tax withheld.

The IRS also said that the withholding will have a very minimal effect on accrual of interest. The Treasury Department estimates that the yield on an asset earning nine percent would be reduced by five one-hundredths of one percent -- to 8.95 percent.

Certificates of exemption should be obtained from payers. If they are not available, request Form W-6, "Individual Certificate of Exemption," by writing the IRS. Those who receive interest or dividends from more than one payer must

file Certificate of Exemption with each payer. Taxpayers with more than one account with the same payer should check with the payer to determine whether separate certificates are required for each account.

West Plains Medical Center

ADMITTED
April 8-Evette Freeman, Vertina Lewis and Gloria Heredia.
April 9-Alfred Steinbock.
April 10-Dora Actkinson, Ivy Wall, Violet Dean and Mercedes Belez.

April 11-LeRoy Sandefur, Gloria Mahaney, Maud Sowder, Jeanette Walling, Geneva Rubio and Murphy Berry.
April 12-Moses Bryant, Callie Campbell, Alma Crim, Efrin Rodriguez and Kerma McGuire.
DISMISSED
April 8-Commie Blain, Marnita Martinez, Raymond Davenport, Roberta Boor, Mary Ann Hall and Alta Tyler.
April 9-Bob Graves and

Nestre Yruegas.
April 10-Scotty Armstrong, Wanda Hutton, Pearl Cox and Nancy Cochran.
April 11-Beth Watson, Gloria Heredia, Vertina Roman, Anthony Roman, Winnie Berry, Bertha Har-dage and Anna Thedford.
April 12-Allen Jones, Dora Actkinson, Violet Dean and Effie Jennings.

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NEWS VIEWS
Caspar Weinberger, Defense Secretary, on president's defense system:
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Only 17% Of DWI Arrests Receive Conviction

"Only 17 percent of persons arrested for driving while intoxicated in Texas in 1981 received a final conviction and a meaningful punishment," according to Colonel James B. Adams, chairman of the Texas Task Force on Traffic Safety and the director of the Texas Department of Public Safety. "The use of deferred adjudication for DWI is a major contributing factor for that percentage," he said.

"Deferred adjudication in effect puts the judicial process on hold, short of the court's pronouncement of guilt, and in the case of DWI, it contributes to a tragic revolving door situation for many habitual offenders," Adams said.

"Of the total 1981 DWI arrests, 10,833 persons received deferred adjudication. It is a significant problem," he said.

"The probation under deferred adjudication may

be unsupervised and is much easier to complete successfully than other

types of probation. The final judgment of the court is based on the known actions of the defendant during the interim. The problem is that the court which is withholding the pronouncement often does not have full information on the actions of the offender. That person can be arrested for DWI and

bring him back into court without having the pending or deferred judicial proceedings affected," Adams said.

brought into a different court without having the pending or deferred judicial proceedings affected," Adams said.

"To further add to the revolving door effect, following successful completion of deferred adjudication, the defendant's court record is either removed or excluded from use as evidence in subsequent offenses. Thus, a person cannot be charged with a repeat offense if the first offense never becomes a matter of record. Some individuals have been charged with first offense DWI as many as 10 or 15 times," he continued.

Adams pointed out that the existing use of deferred adjudication of DWI offenses allows those persons to avoid significant consequences of their illegal and antisocial behavior of drunk driving. Even more important, deferred adjudication for DWI makes it easy for habitual offenders to return to the streets and highways, endangering themselves and others," he said.

Former A&M athletes completing degrees during off season

COLLEGE STATION — The phrase "life after graduation" is taking on special meaning for about 30 former Texas A&M University athletes who are completing their college educations while pursuing careers in professional sports.

Athletes who did not earn a degree are being urged to return to the campus to complete their studies in the off season. The program is the idea of Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Jackie Sherrill who is stressing academics for all Texas A&M athletes.

"We have a commitment to all student-athletes and their families to provide them with the opportunity to succeed in the classroom as well as on the field. Encouraging them to complete their education is our way of helping them into a position to make a living and contribute to society," said Sherrill.

University officials point out, however, the success of the effort depends on the athletes themselves. Working on a degree while participating in college athletics is demanding enough, but the demands are even greater if the athlete is trying to make it in the pros, admit Texas A&M officials.

NOTES COMMENTS
Progress doesn't flow from excuses.

DWI Bill Aimed At Habitual Offenders

Intoxicated drivers involved in an injury-causing accident often go free, with little penalty, to drink and drive again and again, says a safety official.

This happens due to what is called "deferred adjudication," says Dr. Gary Nelson, vice president of the Texas Safety Association and a safety specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. "The practical effect of deferred adjudication is to allow alleged DWI offenders to continue to drive, serve no jail time, receive no insurance penalty and have no record of a drunk driving offense."

The Texas Legislature is currently considering Senate Bill 1 which includes elimination of deferred adjudication. Probation for first offense DWI would still be allowed, but it would be part of a driver's record for future DWI court action. Sen. Bill Sarpalus of Hereford, co-sponsor of the bill, expects strong debate on this issue before a decision is made.

Nelson explains that when deferred adjudication is granted, final determination of penalty is withheld or deferred to a later time.

The court's final judgment is then based on known actions of the def-

endant during the deferment or probationary period, he says. Alleged DWI offenders may serve an unsupervised probation. Successful completion of probation only requires that the defendant avoid being arrested and charged with crimes, including DWI, and not be brought before the same court in which he appeared for the earlier charge.

Sharing of wealth viewed as oppression by weak nations

COLLEGE STATION — Americans can't help weak nations by sharing their wealth because too often others see the generosity as oppression, said a leading Texas business leader and engineer during a two-day program on world hunger at Texas A&M University.

"It's been said that power corrupts, but it's equally important to realize that weakness corrupts too," said H. B. "Pat" Zachry, a distinguished alumnus of Texas A&M and head of a worldwide engineering firm that bears his name. The conference was sponsored by the U.S. Agency for International Development's (AID) Board for International Food and Agricultural Development.

The solution for helping the underprivileged is to help provide them the necessary political background in which to live, to teach them to work and then cease all gifts, Zachry said.

Following successful completion of deferred adjudication, the defendant's court record is either removed or excluded from use as evidence in later DWI arrests. Thus, says Nelson, there cannot be a repeat offense if the first offense never becomes a matter of record. Theoretically, then, a drunk driver

is allowed unlimited "first offenses."

Department of Public Safety records indicate some individuals have been charged with first offense DWI as many as 10 to 15 times. These offenders often go on to cause DWI accidents resulting in serious injury to others, Nelson says.

Exports To Decline For Second Year

U.S. agricultural exports are expected to fall for the second consecutive year, according to reports from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"Current estimates indicate the value of agricultural exports will decline to \$36 billion in 1982-83, down 8 percent from last year and 18 percent from the 1980-81 record level of \$43.8 billion," says Dr. Mickey Faggi, economist in marketing for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Major reasons for the continuing decline have been the worldwide economic recession, large carry-over of commodity stocks, a strong U.S. dollar, and credit problems for many of the developing countries, he explains.

"The economic recession has decreased the demand for U.S. agricultural export; while large supplies have contributed to downward pressure on prices. The strength of the U.S. dollar has diminished the impact of domestic price declines being transmitted to foreign buyers. In addition, declining export revenues for developing countries have led to a deteriorating credit situation and a serious lack of foreign exchange," Faggi adds.

U.S. wheat exports for 1982-83 are expected to fall as shipments to China, Russia, and Western Europe slack off. Wheat exports are forecast to decline to 39.5 million metric tons, down 11 percent from last year.

Additionally, rice exports are expected to fall as stock levels in consuming countries decrease import demand, with the volume forecast to decline to 2.3 million tons, off 20 percent from 1981-82.

Cotton exports are forecast to be at the lowest level since 1976-77, down to around 5 million bales, for a decrease of 25 to 30 percent.

"Feed grain exports may possibly recover from their dismal performance last year, with renewed purchases by Mexico expected to lead the way. Soybean exports are forecast to remain at the high levels achieved last year, with an estimated 25.9 million metric tons for 1982-83," Faggi says.

Many new policy efforts being proposed in Congress are designed to help alleviate the agricultural export problem. Main thrust of the proposed legislation is to counter what is seen as "unfair trade practices" by the European Economic Community, Brazil and other competitors who use various subsidy programs to help market their products.

Problems plaguing engineering schools hamper accreditation

COLLEGE STATION — A critical shortage of engineering faculty, obsolete laboratory equipment and inadequate operating funds are beginning to be reflected in accreditation problems for many engineering programs, according to the Accreditation Board for Engineers and Technologists (ABET).

"The crisis is affecting quality," Dr. Robert Page, dean of the nation's largest engineering school at Texas A&M University and an early leader in calling the crisis to the attention of government, industry and academia, said recently.

A report by ABET, the nationally recognized body for accredited engineering programs, states that from 1980 to 1981, 31 percent fewer engineering programs were given full-term, six-year accreditation.

"Major component of these bills is some form of export payment-in-kind program whereby Commodity Credit Corporation inventories will be used as bonus payments to foreign buyers—or as payment to domestic suppliers to lower export product price—as in the case of the recent Egyptian flour sale," Faggi explains.

Other measures call for increased funding for the USDA "blended credit" programs, expanded market development activity by the Foreign Agriculture Service, and donation of surplus commodities in domestic or foreign relief pro-

Farm Safety Prevent Tractor Overturns

Each year tractors continue to be involved in injury-producing accidents, points out Spencer Tanksley, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. This is especially true during the busy spring farm and ranch season.

According to Tanksley, more than 1,800 disabling injuries and about 25 fatalities related to tractors occur each year to Texas farmers and ranchers.

More than half of all tractor fatalities result from overturns. Other deaths result from falls from the tractor, tractor accidents on highways, and victims being caught in the power-take-off (PTO) shaft.

All of these tractor accidents can be prevented, points out Tanksley.

When stuck in a hole or soft spot, a tractor can easily be upset backwards as the driver attempts to drive forward. The safest way to get out is to back out, if possible. If not, have someone pull you out.

A tractor may tip backwards or sideways when crossing a ditch. Therefore, avoid steep banks and cross ditches where banks have gradual slopes, advises Tanksley. Watch for sudden obstructions or ground depressions that might cause the tractor to tip sideways. Also, stay clear of banks that could cave in.

Tractors are less stable

when operating on a slope. Keep wheels spread as wide as possible and drive slowly, with no sudden turns. On steep slopes, drive up in reverse and drive down forward. Keep mounted equipment on the uphill side if possible.

Tanksley points out that hitching mistakes can also cause overturns. Pulling heavy loads and hitching above the normal drawbar height may raise the front wheels off the ground and cause a backward overturn.

And don't think you can react to prevent an overturn once it starts, cautions Tanksley. After the wheels begin to rise, even on level ground, the operator has less than a second to realize what's happening. Thus, the best preventive measure is safe operation from the start.

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MULESHOE STATE BANK
REPORT OF CONDITION
March 31, 1983

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION
(Including Domestic Subsidiaries)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK			
MULESHOE STATE BANK			
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
MULESHOE	BAILEY	TEXAS	79347
STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DIST. NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
1631	11	March 31, 1983	
ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks	4,420	Mill.	Thou.
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection	106		
3. U.S. Treasury securities	2,710		
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	4,161		
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	4,679		
6. All other securities	40		
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,200		
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$ 31m) (From Schedule A, Item D)	19,869		
9. Lease financing receivables	NONE		
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	630		
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises	NONE		
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding	67		
13. All other assets	1,022		
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)	38,904		
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4,751		
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	26,807		
17. Deposits of United States Government	80		
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States	2,457		
a. Deposits of the State of Texas	974,800		
19. Due to banks	11		
20. All other deposits	NONE		
21. Certified and officers' checks	253		
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)	33,669		
a. Total demand deposits	4,410		
b. Total time and savings deposits	29,259		
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	NONE		
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	72		
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable	NONE		
26. Unearned discount on loans	214		
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding	67		
28. All other liabilities	672		
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)	33,669		
30. Subordinated notes and debentures	NONE		
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses	525		
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 50,000)	1,000		
33. Certified surplus	1,000		
34. Undivided profits	1,685		
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves	NONE		
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)	3,685		
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)	38,904		

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Troy L. Stegemöller
AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO.: (806) 272-4661
DATE SIGNED: April 13, 1983

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Troy L. Stegemöller, Cashier

We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: [Signatures]

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) State of Texas, County of Bailey, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1983. My commission expires 6-6-1985. [Notary Signature]

Journal Files

50 years ago

The sum of \$13,315 has been received to date in Bailey County by farmers making application for Federal seed and crop loans, this sum representing about two-thirds their allowances, according to the County Clerk.

Oklahoma Lane, in Parmer County, last week won first place honors in the Interscholastic League meet. Lazbuddie school scored second and Farwell, third.

30 years ago

Purchase of the Frigidaire franchise in Muleshoe was announced this week by Harvey Bass, who has been a Firestone dealer.

Muleshoe women golfers won over a group of Morton women in an inter-city match here Wednesday. Muleshoe ladies had seven wins, two ties. The Morton ladies came up with one win and two ties.

20 years ago

At a local grocery store, ham was 35 cents per lb.

fryers, 25 cents per lb.; T-bone steak, 89 cents per lb.; swiss steak, 59 cents per lb.; canned hams (5-lb. can) \$3.69; bacon, 43 cents per lb.; sliced bologna, 49 cents per lb.; sirloin steak, 79 cents per lb.; fish sticks, 59 cents per lb.; cheese, 49 cents per lb.; 46 oz. can tomato juice, 5 for \$1; Crisco, 3 lb. can, 69 cents; 10 lb. bag sugar, 98 cents; eggs, 49 cents per doz.; apples, 12 cents lb.; cabbage, 7 1/2 cents lb.; large bunch green onions, 2 for 15 cents and sweet potatoes, 10 cents lb.

Bailey County residents bought a total of 3,045 automobile licenses for their automobiles before the April 1 deadline, according to the Tax Assessor/Collector.

10 years ago

Rhonda King, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle King of Muleshoe, was named the Bailey County Spelling Bee Champion for 1973.

The Kenneth Powell family was named as the "Library Family of the Year for 1973" Wednesday afternoon during National Library Week.

How To Develop A Fitness Habit

With warmer weather and the bathing-suit season drawing near, countless Texans will be joining the rush to trim down and shape up through exercise.

"But the exercise program you start today could develop into a lifetime health habit if done sensibly," advises Dr. Mary Ann Shirer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

To make fitness a habit that is hard to break, start with a physical activity you truly enjoy, says Shirer. That activity might be tennis, swimming, running, dancing, or even walking.

Shirer suggests trying different activities until you find one that is right for you on a regular basis.

Once you have selected an activity, get a friend to join you. Having commitment to someone else can help provide motivation when you're not as eager to exercise.

"The way in which you actually do the physical activity is critical for building the fitness habit," says Shirer. The person who gets muscle aches and injuries or feels exhausted after exercise is unlikely to continue for very long.

You can largely avoid these problems, however, by including a sensible warm-up, training and cooling down period in

each exercise session.

According to Shirer, all fitness programs should include five to ten minutes of warm-up exercises before the activity. Warm-up exercises raise the body temperature and make the muscles and joints move more easily.

A warm-up period decreases the likelihood of straining or pulling a stiff muscle. It also helps you get over the "lead in the feet" syndrome that keeps many people from ever getting started with their exercise.

For the training period, or actual physical activity, plan a reasonable schedule, and always avoid overdoing it, warns Shirer.

A person's circulation, breathing capacity, and muscle mass can improve only so quickly, so let your body set the pace. By setting unrealistic expectations, you may become discouraged about continuing on an exercise routine.

A cooling down period allows the muscles to relax. It gently returns your body to a less active state which helps prevent muscle cramps and sudden dizziness, says Shirer.

Cooling down is accomplished by simply slowing down your activity or doing some stretching exercises for a few minutes.

"Make sure that your physical activities are enjoyable and sensible," says Shirer, "and you will be motivated to make fitness a part of your life."

Best of Press

Terribly

It has been discovered that in giving till it hurts some people are extremely sensitive to pain.

-Star, Montreal.

Largely

Education is largely a matter of choosing one's company wisely, and listening in silence.

-News, Detroit.

Automatic Fuel

Many a flare up between man and his wife has been caused by an old flame.

-Times, Davenport, Iowa.

Unwanted Gift

The Internal Revenue Service people know what to give the man who has everything: an audit.

-Tribune, Chicago.

So We Are Told

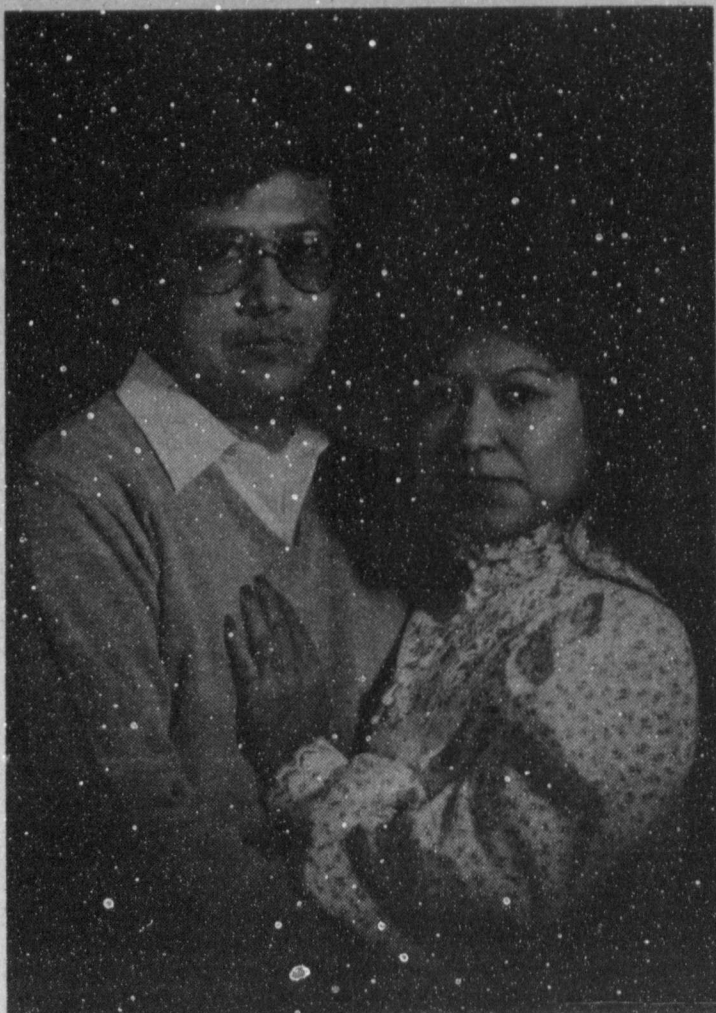
It takes hard work to make easy living.

-Enterprise, Hubbard, Ia.

ERA

If he walks through a door ahead of her, the woman with him is his wife.

-Telegram, Worcester.



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED--Mr. and Mrs. Inez Lozano of Muleshoe announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elva, to Johnny Rivas, son of Mrs. Maria Rivas of Texico, N.M. The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of Muleshoe High School and is employed at White's Cashway Grocery. The groom is a 1972 graduate of Texico, N.M. High School and is a patrolman employed by the City of Clovis Police Department. The couple plan to exchange vows June 25.

TSTI To Host Interior Designers

Many professionals from the design and decorating field including representatives from the American Society of Interior Designers will convene at TSTI-Amarillo for the 6th Annual Interior Design Seminar. This year's theme is "Color and Concepts '83'." The seminar is sponsored by Interior Design Technology and Amarillo ASID (American Society of Interior Design) Association.

The purpose of the yearly activity is to introduce TSTI Interior Design students to professionals in their future vocation. Design and decorating specialist from many parts of the United States, such as Dottee Mella a professional artist, lecturer, author, creative arts advisor and color analyst from Albuquerque, New Mexico, who will be speaking on "What's New in Color Psychology."

"Colors and Concepts '83'" will be held at the Interior Design Building, corner of 6th and Avenue F, on April 21 and 22, starting at 8 a.m. each day. Some of the subjects the seminar will cover are: Solar Energy, Lighting, Wall Upholstery, Architectural Restorations, and Tile and It's Uses.

The general public is invited to attend, registration fee is \$20.00 for both days.

\$12.50 for one day, this includes the lunch meal. For more information or to pre-register call 806-335-2310 ext. 451, you may also register the first day of the seminar.

LATEST ARRIVALS



Natalie Victoria Dalton

Mr. and Mrs. John Dalton are the proud parents of a daughter, Natalie Victoria born at 11:25 a.m. March 31st at Houston, Texas.

The young lady weighed 8 pounds and 13 ounces and was 22 inches long.

She has a 2 1/2 year old sister, Elaine Elizabeth.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mach of Houston and Lowell Dalton of Littlefield, formerly of Muleshoe. Great grandparent is Mrs. Annie Tobala of Houston.

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Lynette Shafer Honored At Pre-Nuptial Shower

Miss Lynette Shafer, bride-elect of Donnie Howard, was honored with a pre-nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Harvey Bass on Saturday, April 2.

Mrs. Bass greeted the guests as they arrived at her home between the hours of 2-4 p.m. and they were registered by Dorinda Shafer.

The honoree was presented a corsage of apricot and blue silk with "kitchen" favors. Special guests also included Marbie Howard, mother of the groom; Pam Cody, Carrie Koher, sister of the groom, Mrs. Morris Nowlin and Mrs. Bub Shafer, grandmothers of the bride.

Cake, nuts and mints

were served by Robbie Kay Collins and Sue Collins from a table laid with an apru lace cloth. Crystal appointments were used and an arrangement of apricot silk flowers centered the serving table.

The hostess gift was a card table and chairs.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. John Stevens, Mrs. Randy Bush, Mrs. Orbie Chandler, Miss Cassandra Cargile, Mrs. Nick Tutt, Mrs. Wade Cargile, Mrs. Harvey Bass, Mrs. Ronald Johnson, Mrs. Thomas Strayhorn, Mrs. Robert Brandon, Mrs. David Gowens, Mrs. Hubert Dykes, Mrs. Marshall Williams, Mrs. Preston Cargile and Mrs. Buddy Buckner.



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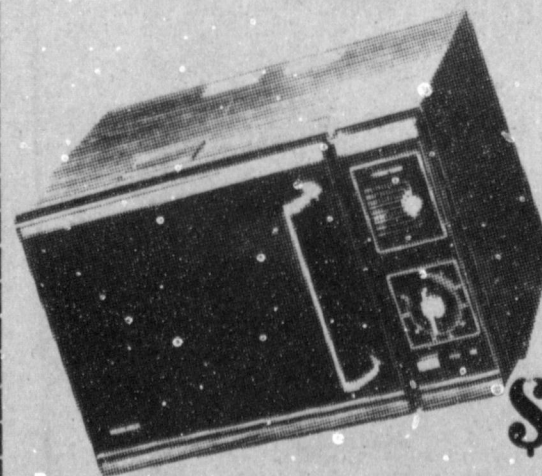
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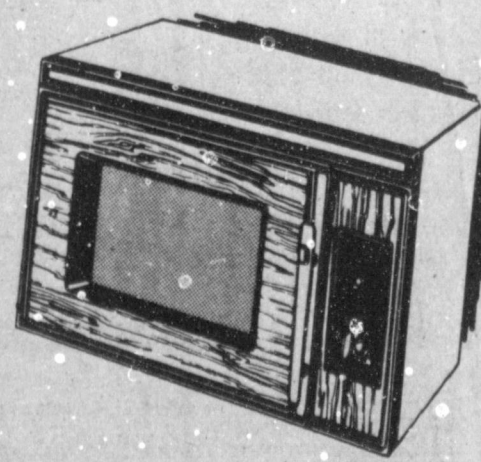
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TOPS Club

TOPS met Thursday April 7th at 6:30 in the Community Room of the Bailey County Electric. The meeting was called to order by Clara Lou Jones, leader. Evelene Harris called the roll with 11 members weighing in.

The best loser for the week was Jewel Peeler. Aurora Mata was the 1st runner up. The best loser for the month of March was Evelyn Moore. The 1st runner up was Lou Knowles. Rose Sain was 2nd runner up. Nan Gatlin was best loser for TOPS.

After the business meeting the officers for the coming year were installed by Lauranette Mason, a former member. The officers that were installed were Clara Lou Jones, leader; Clara Crane, Co-leader; Ann Vinson stood in for her; Treasurer, Ruth Clements, Evelyn Moore stood in for; Secretary, Rose Sain, Evelene Harris and Laverne James, weight recorders.

Clara Lou Jones presented Lauranette Mason a gift of appreciation for installing the officers.

TOPS will have their 20th anniversary, Thursday night, April 14th.

Auxiliary Asks Memorial Gifts To Be Considered

When you are in a quandry, it would be well to remember that the Hospital and Nursing Home Auxiliary has a memorial fund which is a special fund set up to be used for something specific, either in the hospital or nursing home.

A spokeswoman for the auxiliary commented, "It is



NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED--TOPS Club #34 installed their new slate of officers on April 7 at a regular meeting. Lauranette Mason (left) installed the new officers who include: Ruth Clements (Evelyn Moore standing in) for treasurer; Rose Sain, Secretary; Clara Crain V.P. (Ann Vinson standing in); Clara Lou Jones, President; Laverne James Assistant weight recorder and (not shown) Evelene Harris, weight recorder.

Workers Train On Alcoholism Problems

Former Congressman Wilbur Mills, Doc Severinson of the "Tonight Show," and Ralph Waite of "The Waltons" all have at least two things in common: they used to suffer from alcoholism, and they now have much better lives after coming to grips with the disease.

The stories of these prominent people were part of the information provided to more than 65 Green Thumb workers attending a special alcoholism training session at the Senior Center in Levelland, Texas on 4-11-83.

Green Thumb employees about 1,000 persons aged 55 and over in community service projects across the state.

In a film entitled "They Do Recover," Waite, Mills, and Severinson discussed the development of their alcohol problems and the paths they followed to find relief.

"The fact that these well-known people are alcoholics helps to show the disease-and alcoholism is a disease--can strike anyone, rich or poor, lonely or in the spotlight," said Green Thumb district director Susan Armstrong, who conducted the training.

"Mills and Severinson suffered from severe blackouts, and Mills was afraid he had a brain tumor until examinations revealed his problem was alcoholism," she said.

"Waite says he often felt 'dead and alone,'" Armstrong said, "even though he was a national celebrity. Many of our workers--especially widows and widowers--know the feeling. We want to demonstrate that alcohol will only make any existing problems worse."

She said some of Green Thumb's enrollees have lost their jobs because of drinking, and for these people the future is dim. "They've lost their income and their self-respect, and few of them will have the resilience and energy to fight back."

Green Thumbs from Bailey County attending the session were Adele Tompkins and Jake Varela of Muleshoe.

In Fashion

There seems to be a trend towards skirts over pants this spring. Especially popular are front-buttoned poplin skirts of polyester and cotton. Some have contrasting belts while others feature elasticized waistbands. Cool polyester and cotton knit tops complete these ensembles.

Most people are ready to get the highest price they can for what they sell and beef loudly about high prices they have to pay.



MEMORIAL PLAQUE--Auxiliary Dorothy Hanes is shown preparing to affix a memorial plaque to the new television in the Day Room of the Nursing Home. The television is a memorial in honor of the late Ray Griffiths, given by family and friends.

Beware Of Child Safety Seat Bargains

Parents who feel they cannot afford the \$30 - \$40 cost of a new child safety seat may be tempted to search the garage sales and want ads looking for a bargain.

"But a used child safety seat that is defective is no bargain," says Dr. Mary Ann Shirer, a health education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension System, Texas A&M University System.

"Parents need to shop very carefully to avoid buying a defective used seat which can endanger the life of their child if they are involved in an accident," she adds.

The first test of a child restraint device, says Shirer, is whether it has a label stating that it "meets or exceeds all federal safety standards."

Beginning in 1981, the federal standard governing child safety seats required crash testing of the devices to insure their safety. All seats that meet the standard can be considered good ones.

Some car seats manufactured prior to 1981 meet these requirements, while others do not. "Many seats now on the used market were made before 1981, so parents should always look for that label," warns Shirer.

In addition to the federal safety label, Shirer recommends that parents look for

the following defects in used child restraint devices.

Check the harness to see if it is torn at any point. A torn belt system can be easily repaired on most safety seats with replacement ordered from the manufacturer.

Also examine the padding to see if it is torn. If so, it should be replaced with new padding from the manufacturer.

A child restraint system with these defects will not adequately protect a child until the belt system and padding are replaced. Parents should not purchase a used seat with these problems unless they actually intend to repair them, notes Shirer.

If the device has a metal frame, check to see if it rattles. Ask the owner if you may tighten the screws on the frame. If the frame is still loose after tightening, do not buy it.

Also, check the seat b.c.s. If they are twisted or bent, do not buy the seat, since full protection cannot be guaranteed.

According to Shirer, the manufacturer's directions for using the safety seat should be provided by the owner. Most seats made after 1981 have a space on the seat to store instructions. For effective use of the seat, Shirer recommends that parents carefully follow the manufacturer's

instructions. Finally, try the seat in your car before buying. Certain types of safety belts may cause installation problems. Bulky seat-belt buckles, for example, will not fit through the belt slots on some safety seats.

"When it comes to the safety of our children,"

Home Ec Alumni To Convene

The annual spring luncheon and business meeting of the Home Economics Alumni Association of Texas Tech University will be held on May 7, 1983, at ElCentro in the Home Economics Building at 11:00 a.m.

Speaker for the meeting will be Dr. Elizabeth Haley, Dean of the College of Home Economics. Small group tours of the facilities will be conducted after the luncheon.

The cost of the luncheon is \$5.00. Send reservations and checks to Vickie Chance, Chance's Country

Shirer, "a 'bargain' may not be the best buy." Simply using a child restraint device is not enough. "Parents must also make sure that the device itself is safe and used properly in order to protect their children from injury or death in an accident," she adds.

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK

REPORT OF CONDITION

March 31, 1983

REPORT OF CONDITION

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the

First National Bank of Muleshoe

In the state of Texas at the close of business on March 31, 1983 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

Charter number 14745 National Bank Region Number 11

Statement of Resources and Liabilities Thousands of dollars

ASSETS		Thousands of dollars
Cash and due from depository institutions		5,155,095.
U.S. Treasury securities		4,013,682.
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		None
Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		5,492,137.
All other securities		39,000.
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		2,325,000.
Loans, total (excluding unearned income)	14,544,993.	
Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	271,643.	
Loans, Net		14,273,349.
Lease financing receivables		None
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		1,084,917.
Real estate owned other than bank premises		None
Intangible assets		N.A.
All other assets		834,679.
TOTAL ASSETS		33,217,863.
LIABILITIES		Thousands of dollars
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		5,388,320.
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		21,916,088.
Deposits of United States Government		47,408.
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		1,747,887.
All other deposits		None
Certified and officers' checks		161,014.
Total Deposits		29,260,718.
Total demand deposits	5,963,424.	
Total time and savings deposits	23,297,294.	
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		None
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other		None
liabilities for borrowed money		None
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases		None
All other liabilities		516,999.
TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)		29,777,718.
Subordinated notes and debentures		None
MEMORANDA EQUITY / CAPITAL		Thousands of dollars
Preferred stock	No. shares outstanding	None (par value) None
Common stock	No. shares authorized	50,000
	No. shares outstanding	50,000 (par value) 500,060.
Surplus		800,000.
Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves		2,140,144.
TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL		3,440,144.
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL		33,217,863.
Amounts outstanding as of report date:		
Standby letters of credit, total		46,875.
Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more		4,550,852.
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		None
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:		
Total deposits		12,425,583.

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Ted Barnhill

Vice President & Cashier

s/ Tommy Gunstream

s/ Clayton Myers

s/ Paul Poyner

Directors

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ted Barnhill
Signature

April 12, 1983

Date



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DECA-HECE

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reporter. Outstanding DECA student for the classroom was Jackie Holmes, and Randall Stevens won the top designation for marketing and merchandising.

Students Jimmie Lee and Shawna Kelton will be competing in state April 22 and Randall Stevens and Jackie Holmes will be the state voting delegates.

Members of the DECA/HECE Advisory committee were introduced by Chubby Ramos, Chairman Steve Thrasher was out of town, but members Alex Williams, Hugh Young, Cleta Williams, Jerry Hernandez and Linda Marr were introduced to the group.

DECA members and their employers include Edie Balentine, A&B Plumbing; Lynda Bell, Rheata White Accents; David Castorena, A&M Farm & Ranch Supply; Steve Cavitt, Shafer's Bell Station; Donna Crenshaw, Harvey Bass Appliance; Mike Foss, Lambert Cleaners; Rosa Garza, City Hall; Kris Gibson, Thriftway; John Kevin Harris, Five Area Telephone; Jackie Holmes, Muleshoe Journal and Jimmie Lee, KMUL.

Also, Shawna Kelton, Decorators Floral; Sherri Kinard, Muleshoe State Bank; Ginger McCreis, Pay-N-Save; Shannon Nieman, Leal's; Robert Nowlin, Pay-N-Save; Hector Orozco, White's Cashway Grocery; Randall Stevens, Anthony's; Lori Stroud, KMUL; Martina Valdez, Williams Bros. Office Supply; Kathy Killingsworth, Muleshoe Motor; Lisa Killingsworth, Chamber of Commerce and Chubby Ramos, White's Cashway Grocery.

HECE students are Sandra Agundis, Leal's; Maria Bynum, West Plains Medical Center; Jeffrey

Derby...

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Robert Revas, Sr. Littlefield, and third Robert Revas, Jr., also from Littlefield.

The derby was conducted by Track Master and Cub Master Ronnie Kidd of Pack 620 with the members of Troop 620 and members of the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club assisting.

Combs, Bailey County Journal; Marleea Cox, Lookin' Good; Stacy Elder, First National Bank; Scott Ellard, Thriftway; Tamara Gilliland, Dr. David Hamblen; Beth Harmon, West Plains Medical Center; and Charli Hawkins, West Plains Medical Center.

Also, Tori Hunt, Muleshoe Floral; Abbye Kennedy, Lamar D. Treadwell; Berna Lopez, Antiques & Junk; Cathy Lopez, Buddie's Shoes; Annette Ponder, KC Mufflers; Misti Prater, West Plains Medical Center; David Pruitt, Bob Bomer; Dana Rasco, Williams, Adair & Sudduth; Paula Snell Thriftway; Sandra Speck, KMUL, Pam Tandy, B&B Stovall Printing and Kristen Wanner, Thriftway.

J-Slippers...

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Dusty Lee who turned in \$88.43 and won a \$75 gift certificate from Lee's; Danaon Parker turned in \$84 and won a \$70 gift certificate from Anthony's; Galin Latham turned in \$80.60 and won a waikie talkie. Ammee Lewellen and Terry Snell both tied by turning in \$80 each and were each rewarded with a camera.

Brent Chapman who turned in \$78 won a basketball, Michael Richardson who turned in \$77 won a radio and Davy Claybrook turned in \$75 which was good for a watch.

Although the youngsters previously listed were award winners, there were a number of other children participating and according to Jennyslipper President, Marjorie Merritt, "You kids did a great job and really helped to do something for your community. You are to be congratulated for your hard work."

Robert Montgomery, Chamber President expressed the Chamber's thanks for a job well done, to both Jennyslippers and to all the youth assembled.

Lazbuddie...

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Mason, Joe Dan Tarter, and Danny Powell. Lazbuddie also had a dairy judging team entered comprised of Scott Holt, Scotty Coker, Todd Daniels and Kirk Miller. Their placing however was unknown by Copp.

Area Banks Report Deposits, Loans

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1982 - a difference in loans of \$1,780,903.40.

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A & M...

corded in 1982. The State also reflected a decrease in loans for the period. Total loans in 1983 reflected \$19,935,296.77 as compared to the \$20,016,000 recorded in 1982 - a difference of \$80,703.23.

Court...

In Morton, the First State Bank reported an increase of \$419,865.78 in deposits at the end of business on March 31, 1983. Total deposits recorded in 1982 showed \$26,318,598, as compared with 1983 deposits recorded of \$26,738,463.78. Loans at the Morton bank also reflect an upward trend. In 1982 total loans in March were \$4,745,031 as compared to March '83's total loans of \$5,651,012.52 - an increase of \$905,981.52 in loans.

Scouts...

At Earth's Citizen's State Bank deposits in March, 1983 amounted to \$12,131,039.46 up by \$9,829.46 from the \$12,121,210 of March, 1982. Loan activity at the Earth facility also reflected increased activity with March 1983 total loans reaching \$9,086,795.64. When these loans were compared with the 1982 March loans of \$6,732,005 showed to be increased by \$2,354,790.64 for the years time.

School Board

Friona State Bank also showed a marked increase in deposits during the year period ending March 31, 1983. Total deposits in March at close of business reached \$41,445,371 and when compared to 1982 deposits of \$38,722,842 show-

ed an increase of \$2,722,529. Total loans at Friona were decreased by \$5,337,841 - compiled by comparing 1983 figures of \$16,847,826 with the \$22,185,667 recorded in 1982.

Bovina's First State Bank reflected an increase in deposits and loans. Total deposits on March 31, 1983 were \$12,977,646.92 and when compared to the 1982 total of \$12,896,722 reflected an increase at Bovina in the amount of \$80,924.92. Loans for the Bovina establishment in March, 1983 were \$8,258,768.54 as compared to 1982 loans of \$8,007,085 shows a difference of \$251,683.54.

The First National Bank of Sudan reflected a down trend in deposits at the end of business on March 31, 1983 with a total of \$9,099,303.22, showing a decrease of \$1,423,696.78 from the \$10,523,000 of 1982. Loans at Sudan however were up by \$844,222.48 when 1983 figures of \$2,037,000 were compared with 1982 figures on loans of \$2,881,222.48.

teers, the community, and, of course, the girls themselves. Girl Scout Leader's Day provides a welcome opportunity to honor these important leaders.

their successful efforts in reducing their instructional budgets by ten percent from the amount allotted in the 1982-83 school year.

Facing a lengthy agenda, the Board continued with a review of bank balances in each school fund. Reports of short term investments, reviews of expenditures in each function and payment of bills were items considered.

A tax report was presented by Tom Jinks who noted that 85.17 percent of the current taxes have been collected compared to 84.43 percent at this same time last year. Changes were also approved to the tax roll.

The School Board passed a resolution to tax automobiles in 1983 and gave its approval for the Bailey County Appraisal District to re-appraise property for the year of 1984. Three buses were approved for renovation by the Texas Department of Corrections during this summer.

Other items under consideration included the approval by the Board of a Special Education Graduation policy.

A request from the Muleshoe Little League for the purchase of old bleacher seats was approved at the price of \$10.00. A report on the progress of the high school renovation project was given by Tom Jinks.

In relation to insurance for the schools, the Texas Association of School Board property insurance plan was discussed a request authorized for solicited bids. The Board voted for candidates for the Board of Directors of the Education Service Center Region XVII Lubbock, Texas.

A request from the Bailey County Ministerial Alliance for use of the high school auditorium for a crusade from July 31, 1983 to August 4, 1983 was approved by the Board Monday.

Board members were reminded of the Texas Association of School Boards workshop for Board members on Thursday, April 14 at Texas Tech.

Julie Cage and Ronnie Holt were selected to hand out diplomas at graduation exercises on Friday, May 20, 1983.

Security State Bank in Farwell has shown a substantial increase in deposits for the March, 1983 bank call. Deposits at the Farwell facility were increased by \$6,162,765.33 as a comparison was made of the 1982 figure of \$24,968,020 to the \$31,130,785.33 at end of business on March 31, 1983. Loans at Security State were down by \$1,628,253.90 when the 1982 figure of \$10,505,807 was compared with the 1983 one of \$8,877,553.10.

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The concert will be presented during the church's regular Sunday evening worship service, which begins at 6:30 p.m.

Under the direction of W. Duane Harris, chairman of the Division of Christian Communication Arts in Wayland's College of Christian Leadership, the 40-member choir recently returned from its annual

Spring Tour across East Texas, Arkansas and Missouri.

Harris joined the Wayland music faculty in 1977 after nine years as a high school choral director. A 1967 Wayland graduate, he received the master of music degree from Hardin-Simmons University in 1975, and his 1973 high school choir at Carlsbad, N.M. won a trip to Eastern Europe through the National Education Scholarship Foundation.

Rev. Brock Sanders is pastor of Richland Hills Baptist Church.

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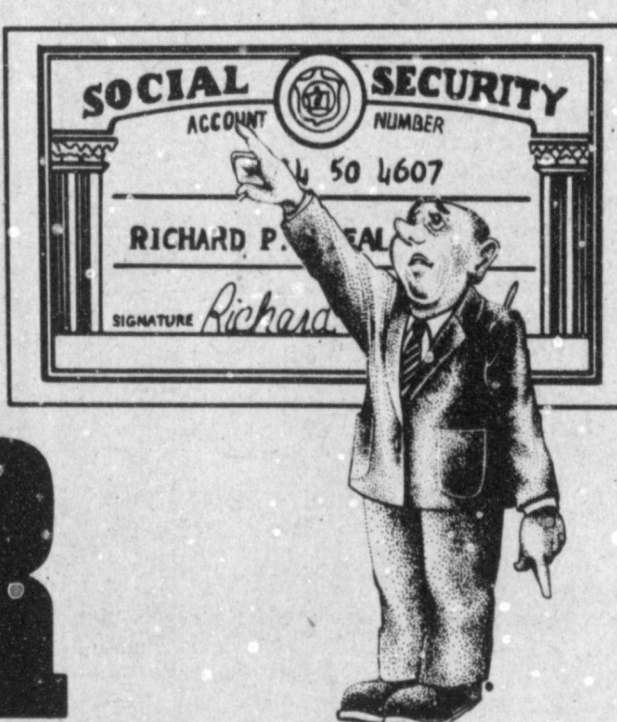
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18. LEGAL NOTICES

NO. 1549
COUNTY OF BAILEY)
CITATION BY)
PUBLICATION ON)
APPLICATION FOR)
PROBATE OF WILL)
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED)
IN THE ESTATE OF)
ALBERT CARROLL, deceased, Cause No. 1549, in the County Court of Bailey County, Texas:
On March 30, 1983, FRED M. BURCH and C. D. MARTIN Applicant, filed in the County Court of Bailey County, Texas, an application for the probate of the last Will of Albert Carroll, deceased. The will accompanied the application.
The Court will hear the application on the first Monday after 10 days from the date of posting this citation, that date being Monday, April 25, 1983, at the county courthouse in Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas. All persons interested in the estate are cited to appear before the Court at the time and place mentioned above by filing a written answer contesting the application if they desire to do so.
Given under my hand and seal of the Court at my office in Muleshoe, Texas, this 11th day of April, 1983.
BARBARA McCAMISH
CLERK OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS
/s/ Vicki Black
Deputy
18-15t-2tc

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Ewell Owen Battles, deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 7th day of March, 1983, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said estate which is being administered in the County below named, are hereby required to present the same to me, respectively, addressed to R.E. Battles, P.O. Box 1655, Hereford, Texas 79045, before suit upon same is barred by the Statutes of Limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law.
DATED this 8th day of April, 1983.
/s/ R.E. Battles
Independent Executor of the Estate of Ewell Owen Battles, Deceased, No. 1544, in the County Court of Bailey County, Texas
18-15t-1tc

Enochs News
By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton of Dell City came Friday and spent till Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Etta Layton she also visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cox, they attended services at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders drove to Seminole Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seals and see their new nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. E.N. McCall visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mosser and children, Friday, and Mr. McCall saw his Dr.

Mrs. Lorella Jones spent a week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jones at Nocona to take care of the children, when they had the chickenpox while their parents taught school.

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Three Way News
By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Meeks visited the S. G. Long Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sowder spent last week in Wyoming visiting their daughter the Jack McCarty family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hinds from Farmington, N.M. spent Sunday night with her mother Mrs. Bulal Toombs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson were in Portales, N.M. Saturday shopping.

We wish to express our sympathy to the family of Ruth Terrell who died at Methodist Hospital Thursday with funeral services at Three Way Baptist Church Saturday with burial in Morton Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Simpson spent the weekend in Phoenix, Arizona visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Barbara from Lubbock spent Sunday with her grandmother Mrs. Minnie Dupler. Also visiting in Mrs. Minnie Duplers home Sunday was Bill Dupler and girls from Maple.

Mr. W.E. Latimer is a patient in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Moxon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinkle spent the past week in Childress to be with his sister who underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Simpson were supper guests in the home of his grandmother Mrs. J.S. Simpson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Long visited his aunt Mrs. H.W. Garvin Sunday afternoon.

Aaron of Lazbuddie, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Bruton of Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Roberts and Torrey and Arnold Archer were Easter guests.

Machelle Autry of Midland spent Thursday night in Lubbock with Shonny Autry and moved back home Friday.

Mrs. Etta Layton and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton drove to Crosbyton Saturday afternoon to be with the Earnest Ellison family who had lost a brother, Duward Ellison they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Halcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler at Littlefield the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Autry of Pep, N.M. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crume went to Hereford Sunday and brought her mother, Mrs. Irene Parker home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard were dinner guests in the home of a daughter, Ray and Barbara Kinnison at Olton Easter Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Abney and children Koby and Kristen of White Deer spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Peterson.

NEWS VIEWS

Ralph J. Acampora, technical analyst, Kidder, Peabody and Co.
"I think stock prices are saying the economy will be stronger than most people expect."

CAPITOL UPDATE

John Tower
U.S. SENATOR for TEXAS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510



The question of restricting sale and possession of firearms is a difficult one in our modern society. The Constitution guarantees "the right of the people to keep and bear arms;" yet no one wants criminals to have guns. How to preserve the constitutional right for law-abiding citizens while controlling illegal use is a question which has plagued Congress for the past 20 years.

The Gun Control Act of 1968 is the law currently in effect. Its aim is to aid federal gun enforcement agencies in stopping criminal misuse of firearms, but it contains a number of provisions which have served to penalize legal buyers and sellers rather than to reduce violent crime.

I have joined in sponsoring legislation which would make a number of changes in the Gun Control Act to make it less burdensome to those who buy and sell legally and thus concentrate our resources on fighting the illegal use of firearms.

Other proposed changes are designed to clarify licensing requirements for manufacturers, importers and dealers and to simplify record-keeping requirements.

Congress would be given closer oversight on regulations developed from the law through a 90-day comment period before a regulation went into effect and a provision to allow congressional veto of new rules.

Finally, this legislative package would prohibit federal agencies from issuing any regulation designed to create a central registry of firearms transactions.

All of us are alarmed at the number of crimes committed with firearms, particularly hand guns. Stopping this national disgrace must be a priority of government at all levels.

No one wants to see guns sold without question on every street corner. But we must be sure that the regulations we impose effectively address the problem of their being used in criminal activity and don't simply harass law-abiding citizens.

Cumbersome paperwork requirements and restrictions which determine in which state a gun can be purchased do not keep firearms out of the hands of criminals.

So while we keep some common-sense restrictions on firearm sales and purchases, we must realize that the only truly effective gun control will be quick, severe and sure punishment for anyone who used a firearm to commit a crime.

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 Choice of Potato 8 oz. **\$5²⁵**

Sunday Buffet

Chicken - Roast Beef **\$3⁹⁵**
 Potatoes - Green Beans

Dinner Bell

2103 American

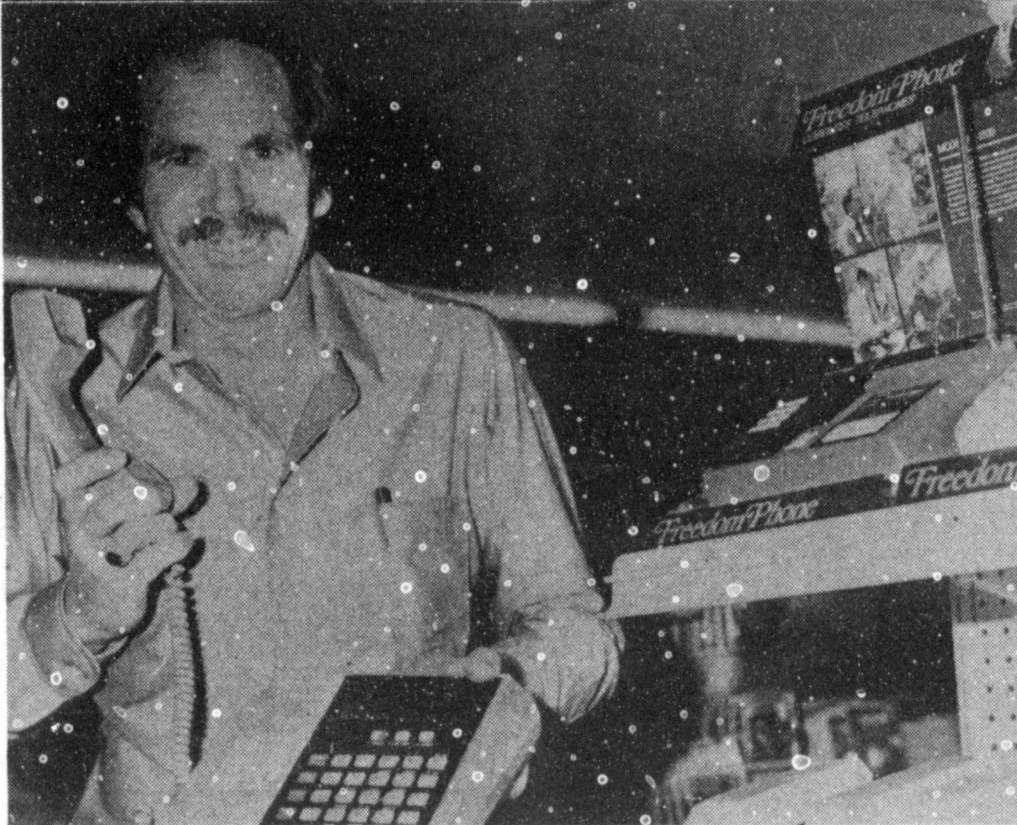
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Reynolds & Young Inc.

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Roy Simpson At Fry & Cox

For all your shopping needs, for your home, shop or business, be sure to visit the store that provides "One Stop Service" -- Fry and Cox, Inc.

Established in 1921 as a blacksmith shop, then adding bolts, sweeps along with plow shares, and other items needed by the farmer, Fry and Cox has continued to enjoy a steady growth -- and has steadily added to the merchandise featured in the store.

A dealer for Massey-Ferguson and White Farm Equipment, Fry and Cox features both sales and service.

"We try to have a good coverage of merchandise so you can continue to shop in town, in Muleshoe," said a spokesman for the long-established business.

Along with the multi-line of merchandise, Fry and Cox features one of the best paint supplies stores in this part of the country. Plumbing and electrical supplies can be found, along with home, garden, lawn and a complete line of cleaning supplies.

A recent, and popular, addition to the line of merchandise offered is the largest selection of phones in the area. Featured are various types of phones, including the cordless phone.

Friendly, helpful and efficient personnel are to be found at the popular store, where the customer rules. "We are always happy to order special merchandise for any shopper," said the spokesman. "Special orders are never a problem with us."

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