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The West Texas Pork Producers Association will meet Tuesday, January 14, at 7 p.m. at the Ollie Liner Center in Plainview.

Plans will be made for the 1992, West Texas Barrow Classic to be held in March.

Officer elections will also be held.

All pork producers are encouraged to attend this meeting. For more information you are asked to contact Curtis Preston, County Extension Agent, for further information.

The Muleshoe Mules basketball team played Sudan Saturday night in the Sudan Booster Club Holiday Classic for the tournament championship. Sudan defeated the Mules 72 to 54. This was the first time in the history of the Sudan tournament Sudan has won. ***

According to official records the Muleshoe area was wetter than normal in 1991. Muleshoe officially received 19 inches of rainfall in 1991.

The board of directors of Muleshoe Area Hospital District" will meet in special session on Thursday, January 9 at 7 p.m. in the dining room of the hospital. The following matters of business will be reviewed:

I. Open Meeting

II. New Business

Consider Proposal for Physician Assistant

Consider Proposal for Man Power Analysis and Review III. Executive Session in

Accordance with V.T.C.S.,



STATE COMMANDER VISITS MULESHOE --- Members of the local Post of the Muleshoe American Legion hosted a reception Saturday morning and welcomed Patsy L. Palmquist, State Commander, to Muleshoe. Those attending the reception include: Elmer Waugh, Gerry D. Dukes, Troy Page, James Duncan, Hough Young, Jose Ambriz, Arnold Gross, J.R. Copley, Ansel L. Ashford, Eldridge Graves, Cecil Mills, Leslie Lambert, Robert Clark, Jerrell Otwell, Patsy Palmquist, Wayne Rowden, Tom (Journal Photo) Tuly, Hugh Hansen, Clara Lou Jones, Helen Kukes and Ron Hayes.

American Legion Commander **Honored With Reception**

Patsy Palmquist, Commander of The American Legion Department of Texas, was among the members of the American Legion in Muleshoe Saturday. She was on her Tornado Tour, enlisting members.

Rocky Viera, 19th District Commander, said, "We are not going to beg or plead anyone to join, but all veterans, men and women, are welcome to join the American Legion." Members of the Muleshoe Post 403 hosted a reception at the Legion Hall. Also present for the reception were members of the American Legion from Pharr, TX, Big Spring, Morton, Littlefield and Lubbock. Gerry Waugh of Slaton, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, also attended. Ms. Waugh was in Muleshoe organizing an auxiliary for the local Post. "Any lady, who has a relative who has served in the military, can become a mem-

ber, said Ms. Waugh. "If you men and women served our are interested, you may contact Evelene Harris at 272-4536 during the day or 272-3172 at night.

Ms. Palmquist lived up to her campaign theme, "Let's make some Department history," by becoming the first female Commander of The American Legion Department of Texas. She was elected Commander* on July 13

country in a time of need, and we owe them so much for the freedoms we enjoy today.'

"I am happy to announce that The American Legion is embarking on a very special project that incoporates our philosophy of veterans helping veterans,' said Ms. Palmquist. "This program, Heros and Holidays, is a fund raiser utilizing

First Livestock Sale To Follow Show

Bailey County's annual Junior Livestock Show is scheduled for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, January 16,17, and 18, at the Bailey County Coliseum. The show is open to all 4-H and FFA members in both Muleshoe and Three Way.

The first annual Bailey County Junior Livestock Sale will be held Saturday, January 18 at 2 p.m. in the coliseum. Prize winning livestock will be auctioned off to the highest bidders.

The objective of promoting youth in agriculture has not changed. The livestock show attracts hundreds of people to see and admire the youth's dedicated efforts, but the show is only the beginning. The culmination of all the work, training, grooming, and preparation is the Junior Livestock Sale.

At the sale these young people receiving recognition through show awards are given the opportunity for monetary reward in a specifically designed environment. Here the 4-H and FFA members earn money that, to many, is absolutely necessary for futhering their education.

You are the one that can help them along the way to success. Through your participation, no matter how large or small, these young people will be able to look forward to a brighter future.

As a bidder you will have the pleasure of taking a direct part in the sale bidding against others and, if successful, having the satisfaction of rewarding a champion. There is no fus on your part. Animals will be auctioned by dollars per animal; this way you know exactly how much you paid for the animal. This is a premium sale which means the buyer is paying a premium to the youth for exhibiting the animal. The

You might ask, What is in it for me? You have the satisfaction of knowing that you have made a meaningful contribution toward some dedicated youngster's future. During the sale the names of the buyers are announced after each animal is sold. Each 4-H and FFA member will be allowed to sell only two animals.

Prospective buyers are welcome to attend a luncheon beginning at 1 p.m. Saturday, January 18, prior to the sale.

All animals are to be in place at the coliseum by 6 p.m. Thursday, January 16. The showing of the animals will get underway at 9 a.m. Friday, January 17 with the Barrows, followed by the sheep at 4 p.m.

The showing will get underway at 9 a.m. Saturday, January 18 with the Heifers followed by the Steers.

Belt buckles will be awarded for the best Showmanship for each species. Those showing the Grand Champions and Reserve Champions will receive trophies. Ribbons will also be awarded. The Jimmy Dale Black Award will also be given.

Curtis Preston, Bailey County Agent, told the Journal Monday morning that they were expecting 200 Barrows, 58 Steers, 10 Heifers and 50 Sheep.

Judges for this year's stockshow will include: Bert Williams, County Agent at Spearman, Swine; Marvin Ensor, Cont., Page 6, Col. 3

GED Test

Article 6252-17 Section 2, Item (g)

IV. Board action resulting from Executive Session V. Adjournment

The Texas Corn Growers Texas Corn Producers board will hold their 19th annual meeting on Tuesday, January 14 in the Exposition Building in Dimmitt. The meeting will get underway at 9:30 a.m.

Lunch will be prepared and served by WIFE (Women Invol-Cont. Page 6, Col. 3:

Water District Election

Polling Places Announced

Bailey County residents living within Director's Precinct Three of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 may cast ballots for a director and county committee members during a special election, Saturday, January 18.

Poles will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at two Bailey County locations.

J.C. Snitker is the presiding election judge for Polling Place No. 1 at the Farmers Co-Op Gin in Enochs.

Polling Place No. 2 is the Bailey County Courthouse with Margrethe Taylor as the presiding election judge.

A.W. "Web" Gober of Farwell is the incumbent Precinct Three Director seeking re-election to a four-year term. District Director's Precinct Three consists of Parmer county and the portions of Bailey and Castro counties within the High Plains Water District boundaries.

District Directors are elected to serve four-year terms by the voters living within the Director's Precinct that they represent. The five-member board of directors meets monthly to oversee the district's business, legal, and financial matters.

Candidates for County Committee members at large are Jay Herington and James L. Wedel, both of Muleshoe. Other Bailey County Committee candidates include Lloyd Throckmorton of Muleshoe, Precinct One; eugene Shaw of Muleshoe, Precinct Two; and Clif Heinrich of Maple, Precinct Three.

The Water District's County Committees meet regularly to recommend the approval or denial of applications for water well permits to the Board of Directors. They help keep the district directors advised on the water-related needs of their communities. They also serve as local liaisons between the residents of their county and the Water District's Board of Directors.

Following the election, returns will be submitted to the Secretary of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District Board of Directors for canvassing in accordance with the Election Code of the State of Texas.

during the final session of The Department Convention in Mc-Allen.

"The American Legion included women from its inception," Ms. Palmquist said. "Within The Legion, men and women have worked together as one since our beginning in 1919. I have never experienced any form of sexual discrimination in all the years I've been with The Legion."

'The job of Commander is a challenging one," Ms. Palmquist said, and added that she loves a challenge. She has established a plan of action for her year of service.

'My main goal this year is to communicate to the public the fundamental philosophy of The American Legion, which is veterans helping veterans," Ms. Palmquist said. "My greatest love is for our veterans. These

Cof C Plans Appreciation **Breakfast Set**

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's Membership Appreciation Breakfast is scheduled for Thursday, January 23 from 7 to 8 a.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center.

Breakfast is free to all members and their employees. A special program is scheduled to begin at 7:30 a.m. Door prizes will be given.

"Please come and support your Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture," said Carolyn Johnson, chamber manager. "Where the strength of the community is in the people."

The breakfast will be sponsored by G.T.E., American Valley, Inc., Farmers Insurance Group and West Camp Gin.

Christmas cards designed by veterans who are patients at VA hospitals. I cannot adequately convey to you how this program has fundamentally changed the lives of some of our participants."

Ms. Palmquist said one veteran, who cannot speak or hear, Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

Pine Wood **Derby Set** January 25

The annual Boy Scout Pinewood Derby has been scheduled for Saturday, January 25 at the Mary DeShazo Gym. From 10 to 10:30 a.m. scouts are to register their cars and have them weighed. Registration fee is three dollars and this fee may be paid to Betty Griswold, Scout Master.

Special judges will judge the cars between 11:30 and 12 noon.

The opening ceremony will get underway at 12 noon. Races will begin between 12:30 and 1 p.m. The Tigers will be the first to race, followed by Wolf, Bear, Webelos, Den Chief Special and Aduits Unlimited.

Awards will be presented following the races.

A concession stand will be available and Mrs. Griswold stated that workers are needed.

Race car regulations include: Car must have been made this year. The car's width must not exceed 23/4 inches and the length should not exceed 7 3/8 inches. The car must not weigh more than five ounces. Axles, wheels, and body must be of wood as provided in the kit. Wheel bearings, washers and bushings are prohibited.

The car shall not ride on any kind of springs. Details added Cont. Page 6, Col. 3

bidder is not buying the animal. Anyone attending may participate as a bidder, it will be a rewarding financially those you

support in a meaningful manner and encouraging their future participation and development. Your moral support is important to recognize the occasion as

significant. It encourages and motivates those who have given so much of themselves to earn the right to participate.



January 17-18

The General Educational Development (GED) test will be given in Muleshoe on Friday. January 17, and Saturday, January 18, at Muleshoe High School. Individuals interested in testing for a certificate of high school equivalency will need to be present at both sessions to take the required five (5) tests.

Testing will begin at 5:30 p.m. on Friday and continue at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday.

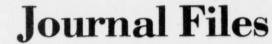
Further information concerning registration may be obtained by calling Linda Marr, GED Test Administrator at Muleshoe High School, 272-3020.



FIRST BABY IN BAILEY COUNTY ... The first baby born in Bailey County in 1992 was Luis Angel Alonso, son of Diane Alonso of Sudan. The young man was born at 1:20 a.m. January 5 in Muleshoe Area Medical Center. He weighed seven pounds and four ounces and was 21 and a half inches long. The young man has two brothers and two sisters. Luis' grandparents are Carlos and Erma Mendez of Sudan and Ciprano and Maria Luisa of Mexico. (Journal Photo)

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Part-time farmers, farm laborers and every rural family with experience in food raising and land resources can enlist in the Food for Victory production program, J.W. McDermett, rural rehabitation supervisor for the Farm Security Administration said today. Financial assistance is immediately available to all eligible families through this agency, according to Mr. Mc-Dermett, who urges those wishing complete details to contact him at his office in the courthouse at Muleshoe.

"Every acre and every man is needed to produce the food America must have to win this war," said Mr. McDermett. "Rural families with land and farming experience, regardless of whether they are regular farm owners or operators, can start all out food production now by using the services and loan assistance of the FSA.

1952

Wallace Baby is the first in 1952. Robert Anthony Wallace II is the first 1952 baby born in Green Hospital and Clinic in Muleshoe and presumably in Bailey County. Robert Anthony arrived at 12:15 a.m. Tuesday, January 8 and weighed in at 7 pounds, 6 oz. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wallace of Muleshoe and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roland Matthiesen of Muleshoe.

1962

Blizzard-like weather caused a light turnout in the annual election of officials for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District Tuesday. Bailey County was to elect two representatives, but in Precinct 3 there were no votes cast, so the two nominees running, Doyle Davis and Rayford Mas-

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ton, will have to make another try at a later date. Elected from Precinct 1 was Leon Lewis of Route 1, Muleshoe.

Lamb County's committeeman at large was Troy Moss. Precinct 2 representative from Lamb County is Roger Haberer. Parmer County elected Ralph Shelton from Precinct 1 and precinct 2 was incomplete at the time of the report.

1972

The week of January 16-22 will be "Jaycee Week" in Muleshoe and the local Jaycees have several projects planned during the week. A Radio Day will be held with Jaycees taking over the station for a day. Joe Pattie is chairman of this event with Corky Green as co-chairman. On January 20, the annual Jaycee Bosses Nigh Banquet will be held, John Martin and Curtis Walker are co-chairmen of this event.

1982

Coach Kevin Wiseman, who is the track coach at MHS, is attempting to compile a top ten list of Muleshoe High School athletes, in track, from the years between 1942 and 1981. Anyone having information regarding this record is urged to contact Coach Wiseman. Items needed include the name of the student, the event they excelled in their performance (time-distance), grade classification and the year that the event was performed.

Democrats On Bush

Senate Democrats have accused the Bush Administration of sabotaging programs that could help break the recession's hold on rural America.

LVNs Meet At St. Mary's

Licensed Vocational Nurses of Texas, Lubbock Division 18 will meet Monday, January 13 in the Arnett Room of St. Mary's Hospital. The meeting will be from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Registration will begin at 6:30 p.m. There is no charge for the class.

Featured speaker will be Kelly Finley, R.M., B.S.N., M.S.N. of University Medical Center. Miss Finley is an oncology specialist. Her topic will be "Care of the Oncology Patient."

Division 18 urges all nurses to begin the New Year by attending classes given by Division 18 each second Monday of the Month. The upcoming months will be filled with information and very informative speakers. One (1) C.E.U. is obtainable each month.

L.V.N.A.T. is your professional organization and we urge every nurse to be aware that we are here to bring you information and help you get continuing education units. (C.E.U.).

For further information contact W.M. Coverdell, president at 828-4565.

Masonic Lodge

Honors Ladd

The Muleshoe Masonic Lodge #1237 will honor Earl Ladd, Sr. with the Golden Trowel Award Thursday January 9. This award is one of the most prestigous awards in service to Masonry. Established in 1989, the Golden Trowel award has been awarded to only three other Muleshoe Masons. The other recipients of this award are Wayne Williams, Frank Hinkson and Elbert Nowell.

All friends of Bro. Ladd as well as all Masons are urged to attend. A salad supper will be served. This awards presentation and meal will begin at 7 p.m. on January 9. Ladies of the Eastern Star will provide the meal.

group.

Progress Group Assists Needy

DECIDING TO HELP THE NEEDY -- has been a long time

commitment of the members of the Progress Circle, now affiliated

with Muleshoe's First United Methodist Church. Here Mrs. Byron

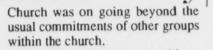
Gwyn takes her coffee time to explain some of the efforts of the

(Journal Photo)

Knowing how to assist those who live in areas of great need is often difficult and time consuming. One of the local groups who have taken large strides in this direction is the Progress Circle of the First United Methodist Church.

Starting with eight members in 1949 when the group was still a part of the then-established Progress Methodist Church, the group has now grown to 15 members.

Primary emphasis of the group as it got started as part of the activities of the overall women's society of the United Methodist



"From the beginning we could see a need and we started supporting things that we thought should be supported," Mrs. Byron Gwyn, leader of the group comments.

"How happy as a group we have been to hear from these people we've supported," she said.

"We have been thrilled with how little we have really contributed to these projects and how much good we were able to eventually do. With an expenditure of only \$15 a month that we have gradually raised to \$18, we have begun to support the activities of McCurdy School in Espanola, New Mexico. This school is established for all racial groups and serves a large area of the United States. The greater part of its enrollment is made up of the Spanish speaking population.

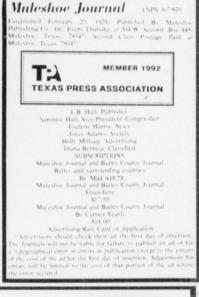
The Progress Circle has provided dormitory quilts for the last three years for the school. These are denim and double knit and help the students considerably.

Another project that the Progress Circle is making headway with is the efforts they are making to defray the expenses of the Bell Choir at McCurdy School. Using money collected from the use of soup coupons, the group sends funds for use by the choir. This choir performs at the conference meetings and at Disneyland as well as several churches in California. The Bell Choir has recently been invited to perform in Hobbs and may possibly perform here in Muleshoe in the near future.

"Our extra projects have meant our life to us," says Mrs. Gwyn of the circle's endeavors. "We are a close knit organization. Out of our 'ellowship grows ideas. We have had lots of good response. There are still five members of the original group that became rganized back in 1949. We onsider this an excellent record," *Ars.* Gwyn notes.

One week before Christmas the Progress Circle learned of a need for quilts and coats that could be donated to a local box set up.

The project is headed by Leonard and Betty Griswold here. The Progress Circle plans to continue efforts in this direction.





Flu Season Comes Early

Flu season came early in much of North America, and a second surge may be on the way.

"People who caught influenze earlier in the season could get it again, especially if a different strain hits," said Dr. W. Paul Glezen of the Influenza Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "But people who have been vaccinated are likely to be protected. The two influenza A viruses circulating are similar to those included in the current vaccine."

Flu season generally peaks in late January or early February, but an unusually early round peaked in November.

Those most at risk for potentially fatal flu complications are the elderly and people with heart disease, lung disease, asthma, chronic bronchitis, diabetes, chronic kidney disease, chronic anemia, sickle cell anemia and immune-system disorders.

"It is still not too late for people in the high-risk groups to get flu shots," Glezen said. "Such patients can be protected by taking the prescription drug amantadine during the 14 days it takes for the vaccine to provide full protection."

Most of the influenze this season has been type A, and the symptoms and duration of an influenza A attack can be minimized by amantadine.

Influenza usually strikes suddenly and brings fever, generalized muscle pain, weakness and a dry, hacking cough.

Flu sufferers should get plenty of rest and drink lots of liquids, Glezen said.

Adults may take aspirin or an aspirin substitute to reduce fever and pain, but people younger than 21 should use only aspirin-free products.

Aspirin has been associated with Reye's syndrome, a flu and chicken pox complication that can cause vomiting, convulsions, brain damage and even death in children, said Glezen, an epidemiologist and pediatrician.

As bad as this current season has been, it pales by comparison with the 1918 worldwide flu epidemic that afflicted 500 million people and killed 20 million. More than half a million



PROVIDING PRISON--update at a recent meeting of Rotary is Jay Messenger, at right. He was introduced to the noon luncheon by Randy Field, president. (Journal Photo)

Rotary Group Hears Update On Prison Proposal

Muleshoe's chapter of Rotary met Tuesday, January 7 in the Bailey County Civic Center with about 50 attending. Sam Harlan gave the invocation and Nick Bamert led the pledge of allegiance. Terry Hutto led the group in singing and Barry Cowart accompanied at the piano.

President Randy Field introduced eight visitors. He then introduced Jay Messenger who gave the group an update on the prison system proposal in this county.

He noted that they were in the process of writing the finished proposal and designing the verbiage for the packet that will promote the idea statewide. He expects that they will use every day until Sunday for this effort.

The optioning for 480 acres of land has been completed. This is 180 more than the minimum required to bid.

Messenger says that they are looking for the area to benefit Texas when selecting the site. The department of criminal justice was consulted. The promoters of the project talked to people in various departments at the state level, he says.

"We were looking for ways to utilize the agricultural resources of this area. Every aspect of agricultural production here was looked at," Messenger said.

Yields that could be attained in the area of potato production were especially scrutinized. This was done because the state runs its own cannery enabling them to grow for themselves, being self-sufficient and keeping the inmates busy with the farm production.

A study was obtained completed by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and Texas A&M University.

It was found that the Justice Division needs vegetable operations in the northern part of the state because of the rains in south Texas that interfere with the growing season there.

It was also found that it was possible to produce higher yields in

support services. "In my mind, progress could not have gone better," Messenger said.

One hundred and ten communities are looking at bidding on the project. Among them are Hereford, Plainview, Levelland, Littlefield, Amarillo and 9 communities in the Amarillo area are included. Seventy communities will probably submit packets on the proposal.

Messenger said that many communities where prisons are already located are asking for expansion and other facilities.

Bidding will be conducted for ten sites out of a pool of seventy communities. "Our bid won't stack up financially against those of Amarillo and Lubbock," he said, "but we have made a point of the abundance of our resources.

One example of this is the ambulance service that Muleshoe has and the mobile intensive care unit. Production of vegetables for retail or the cull market from local producers is a real attraction in connection with the prison proposal. Cabbage for kraut, peppers and, as mentioned, potatoes are all needed by the prison system.

Luther Thompson, assistant district attorney of the 287 Judicial District in Farwell, asked Messenger if the site that we are proposing has possibilities for expansion later, in case we want to offer space for a larger or additional facility. Messenger answered that we could double a 1000 bed unit on the site we are proposing and still allowing them to run two irrigation circles. Focusing on the lay of the land and irrigation requirements is crucial, noted Messenger.

Roald Johnson asked a question relating to the price that the land for the proposed project will cost. He asked for clarification on why the land costs so much. Messenger replied that the proposal looked at two to three things, among them the leveling costs but utilities costs were more reasonable than expected. Gas line cost was a major expense, he said. Also, the moving of a sand dune was necessary. The biggest single cost was that of water and sewer tie ins. Messenger said they also looked at the lay of the land and the tremendous earth moving costs. A lot of sites had to be eliminated. At first, the proposal focused on a site that was not for sale. Messenger said they went to people who had land we wanted, asked what they wanted in the way of a purchase price and went from there. "We negotiated a compromise. Prices are substantially below industrial use prices for this area. The land was optioned at no cost to the Industrial Foundation. The proposal did not want to overlook the natural resources, both ag and otherwise, of this region.

Research ShowsWinter DrivingEffective AnginaTipsFor many people, winter

Treatment

from The Lubbock Avalanche Journal

Putting balloons into the heart to squeeze open clogged arteries works better than medicine alone for relieving chest pain, a new study finds.

The research provides the first rigorous scientific evidence to support the widely held belief that angioplasty is effective for treating angina resulting from uncomplicated heart disease.

In a randomly chosen group of men, the doctors found that angioplasty relieved angina in 64 percent, while medicine alone worked well in 46 percent.

The research does not answer the question of whether angioplasy or medicine should be the first choice for treating people with coronary artery disease.

Some doctors believe that people with chest pain should be routinely started on common heart drugs, such as beta blockers or calcium-channel bloc kers. Angioplasty or coronary bypass surgery should be used only when this conservative approach fails.

Others maintain that for many people, immediate angioplasty makes sense, because it can quickly provide relief from pain and can eliminate the need to take medicines that may have unpleasant side effects.

Angioplasty is considerably more expensive than drug treatment, and it carries a small risk of serious complications or death.

"If someone wants early relief and a greater likelihood of complete relief, then angioplasty is the preferable procedure," said Dr. Alfred F. Parisi of Brown University.

Parisi was co-director of the latent study, conducted on 212 men at eight Veterans Affairs hospitals around the country and published in Thursday's New England Journal of Medicine. All had a single clogged heart artery, and they felt chest pain when they exerted themselves.

Of the 100 who got angioplasties, two required emergency coronary bypass operations because of complications during the procedure. One death occurFor many people, winter driving ranks right up there with visiting the dentist. "But it's much easier to handle the unpleasantries if you're properly prepared for them," advises Tony Nicely, president of Government Employees Insurance Company.

To help you relax and drive more safely this winter, Nicely offers the following tips.

Clear ice and snow from all car windows and headlights. Good visibility is essential for a safe ride.

Drive with your headlights on when it's snowing so you can easily be seen by other drivers.

If you expect road conditions to be bad, allow extra time for your trip. When you don't have to rush you can concentrate on getting to your destination safely.

When roads are wet, snowy or icy, allow extra space between your car and other vehicles and reduce your speed well in advance of an anticipated stop. Pump the brakes gently. Sudden, hard braking will cause your wheels to lock and your car to skid.

If your car starts to skid, don't brake. Take your foot off the accelerator and turn the steering wheel in the direction of the skid.

Carry emergency equipment such as flares, a shovel and a bag of sand in your trunk in case your car gets stuck in the snow.

"And finally, remember to buckle your seat belt every time you get in the car and require your passenger to do the same," Nicely said. "A seat belt is your best protection against injury in those sometimes unavoidable winter weather pile-ups."

Bush Awards Civilians

President Bush presented the Medal of Freedom, the nation's highest civilian honor, to former first lady Betty Ford, retired House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill, baseball great Ted Williams and seven others.

Sends Haitians Home Hundreds of Haitian boat people, unable to find a safe haven after fleeing their troubled homeland, are returned Drive carefully and enjoy 1992.

Character is never established in a single year.

A newspaper, like a friend, is missed when not available.

An executive is one who cannot work unless he has assitants.

Are there those who will make and keep some New Year's resolutions?

It's time for everyone to look out for new calendars.

Most of the people who are in a hurry have nothing else to do.

Your time is of no value to anyone but yourself; why not use it wisely?

Do you try to get all the facts before criticizing someone or something?

TDA Urges Five Servings

Through its Project TEACH program, the Texas Department of Agriculture is encouraging elementary students to increase their consumption of fruits and vegetables to five servings a day, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry announced today.

Called "5 a Day for Better Health" the nationwide health promotion program was launched by the National Cancer Institute and the Produce for Better Health Foundation. The program's goal is to increase fruit and vegetable consumption to five servings a day by the year 2000. Currently, Americans consume on average 2.5 servings of fruit and vegetables each day.

TDA is incorporating the "5 a Day" concept into Project TEACH or Texas Education and Agriculture Cooperating for Health, which is designed to teach elementary children about Texas agriculture and the importance of good nutrition.

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"Texas producers provide a bounty of produce to choose from to meet the '5-a-Day' guidelines," Perry said. "Just this month, Texas-grown fresh produce includes broccoli, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, eggplant, green onions, greens, lettuce, mushrooms, peppers, spinach There's some difference between the appearance of fairness and the intent to be fair.

died in the U.S.

The 1918 epidemic killed more people in less time than any other disease in modern history. It ranks with the Black Death of the 14th Century as one of the few events in recorded history to reduce the earth's population by as much as 1 percent.

WASHINGTON NOTES

Gray Whale Recovering

The government has proposed removing the California gray whale from the list of endangered species, citing a surprising population recovery. this area and predict lower cull ratios.

Messenger commented that when a group like the prison system needs agricultural production the standards are different. The produce only needs to be edible, it does not demand attractive cosmetic qualities.

He said that the number of tons of potatoes plowed under in this part of the country last year would have fed all the prisoners in the state of Texas.

"This is a compliment to the potential of our area," Messenger notes. Local politicians, state representatives and senators are working together well at this time to promote the overall proposal.

Funding in the amount of \$110,00 has been obtained by what Messenger calls a low key what that went to the local businessmen rt

that went to the local businessment in Muleshoe who stand to benefit most from the proposal passing. Commitments have been obtained from the city and county April 15 is the date that the proposal will seek passage.

Libya given official charges in bombing Pan American Flight 103. red, but it was in a man who was randomly assigned to receive medical treatment and demanded an angioplasty instead.

More than 200,000 Americans undergo angioplasty annually. During the procedure, doctors thread a balloon on the end of a tube into the clogged artery. They inflate the balloon briefly. When it works, blood flow is restored. But in about a third of cases, the artery quickly clogs up again.

> Food Ald What began as the Keating Five case two years ago ended finally with a stern reprimand for the Keating pol: Sen. Alan Cranston, whose political career is essentially at an end.

to Haiti or to the big U.S. naval base in Cuba.

It's good, no doubt, to love mankind but it is better to help those around you who need assistance.





Sew On & Sew Forth Is Moving To A New Location In Clovis, N.M.

And Is Having A Reduction Sale January 9-18

They Are Open Mon. -Fri. 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 2103 W. Amer. Blvd. 272-5433 IRA? Check with State Farm

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Children Made Aware Of Africanized Bees

A statewide campaign to help school children cope with the Africanized honey bee began Dec. 10 with the distribution of hands-on teaching materials to elementary schools in Hidalgo County.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is providing a honey bee "show and tell" kit--400 of them in all -- to every public elementary schools throughout South Texas.

"As a group, young children are perhaps the lest informed about the Africanized bee and yet are among the most vulnerable to it," said Dr. John Thomas, an entomologist with the Extension Service at Texas A&M University. "We hope these kits will give teachers the tools they have been requesting to help instruct children about the myths and realities involving this insect."

Africanized bees look like regular honey bees, but they are much more defensive in protecting their hives. As a result, they are more likely to sting in greater numbers, with less provocation, and at greater distances from their nests.

"These bees also will nest just about anywhere they can find cover, so children playing in their backyards and in the fields and woods are likely to encounter them," Thomas explained.

The first swarm of Africanized bees was found in Hidalgo County in October 1990. To date, the insect has been found as far north as Del Rio and Corpus Christi. By next fall, the bees are projected to have reached San Antonio and be within 50 miles of Houston.

"The message we want to get across to children is to be careful when around bees, period," said Brad Cowan, Hidalgo County Extension Service agent. "But this isn't a bug that's going to change

our way of life, especially if we understand it. Like a rattlesnake, it's a nuisance that we have to learn how to avoid and what to do it we encounter it."

Cowan and the other Extension Service agents in the 18 quarantined counties will be distributing the kits to schools over the next two months.

Make A Resolution!

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Each blue cardboard box, the same trap scientists hang in trees to monitor the movements of the Africanized bee, has a complete setup for teaching children in grades K-4 how to live with the new creatures: large photos of honey bees, an Africanized honey bee preserved in resin, a color slide set with scripts and audio cassettes in Spanish and English, a plastic honeycomb, capsules of the scented pheromones bees use to communicate with each other and a teaching guide with cartoons and handouts to color.

The kits are the centerpiece of a general public information campaign on the Africanized bee in Texas supported in part by a \$45,000 grant from the Extension Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The grant also is supporting development of materials on the bee in Spanish to reach low-income Hispanics in the Rio Grande Valley.

Other elements of the campaign, all of which will be completed and distributed by spring, include:

A general brochure on the bee in English and Spanish, available through county agents;

A slide show on the bee for general audiences in English and Spanish, available through county agents;

Television public service spots in Spanish and English about the bee for children:

Radio public service announcements designed for Spanish radio Corpus Christi--\$1.2 million loan stations

for school children in English and company plans to expand its Spanish:

Camera-ready slicks of all print additional copies, and

designed for low-literacy audiences. The materials were developed by a beans and rice. team of writers, video producers, A&M operation. with consultation entomologists.

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The campaign is being kicked off in December to allow distribution of materials before the upcoming spring honey bee swarming season. Materials initially used in Texas will be made available for use in Arizona, New Mexico and other states that are gearing up for the bee's arrival there.

Currently, 18 counties in South Texas are under quarantine in an effort to slow the spread of the Africanized honey bee. More than 1 million people, about 90 percent of whom are Hispanic, live in those counties. About one-third of the population are children under the age of 14 years. The region's per capita income is less than \$6,000.

TAFA Approves the need for further controls and Guarantees

The Texas Agricultural Finance Authority board has approved six loan guaranties to agribusinesses in regions throughout the state.

The loan guaranties, which are contingent on certain financial conditions, were granted to:

Mrs. Crockettt's Kitchen of Fort Worth--\$2.2 million loan by Comerica Bank-Dallas. Mrs. Crockett's Kitchen is expanding its operation, which supplies prepared salads such as tuna and chicken salads to restaurants and cafeterias.

Southwest Mariculture Inc. of guaranty on a \$1.4 million loan by A 5-minute video about the bee Alice National Bank. The redfish-raising operation.

En Casa of San Antonio-printed information made available \$585,000 loan guaranty on a to any organization that wants to \$650,000 loan by NCNB-San Antonio. En Casa plans to expand Cartoon strips about the bee its production of canned Mexican food products such as carne guisada,

Green Valley Exotic Ranch of artists, editors and marketing Ingram--\$67,500 loan guaranty on specialists in the agricultural a \$75,000 loan by First National communications department at Bank-Kerrville. Green Valley plans Texas A&M University, in to expand its venison production

> Loan applications are expected to be distributed in the spring of 1992, once the rules are finalized. Completed applications will be due in the fall of 1992, with the first funds expected to be available for the loans in the spring of 1993.

Already the program has generated tremendous interest--TDA has received some 4,000 inquiries about the application process for the loans, which will be highly competitive due to the availability of funding. The program is to be funded by a \$5 fee on farm vehicle license tags, which will be collected beginning in January. About \$900,000 is expected to be collected for the first year of the program.

Vehicle Inspections Reduce Pollution

Amendments will subject nearly 100 million vehicles to annual emissions inspection programs. The White House, in consultation with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), will soon decide on a performance standard for the required inspection programs. This decision will affect every major urban area of the country as well as many suburbs.

Five Governors recently wrote to the EPA in support of a strong standard using the best available technology for vehicle inspection programs. These Governors favor the more effective inspections because they feel they will help preserve the public's freedom to use their vehicles and will help prevent burdens on small business and industry. Federal Clean Air Act requirements, in the absence of a strong vehicle emissions inspection program, include very costly additional controls on small business and industry which can cost our economy over \$5,000 per ton of pollutants eliminated.

According to the EPA, hightechnology vehicle emissions inspection programs are the most cost effective clean air strategy available. EPA estimates that hightech inspection programs will cut vehicle emissions by 30%, at a cost of about \$10 per vehicle per year and a total cost of \$ 500 per ton of pollutants removed. Vehicle inspections can also eliminate restrictions on vehicle usage.

There is significant public support for strong emissions inspection programs. The Coalition for Safer, Cleaner Vehicles (CSCV), a group of consumer, environmental and industry organizations, today released a survey showing that the vast majority of car owners support stronger vehicle emissions inspection programs in order to meet strict requirements in the federal Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990. Seven out of 10 respondents (71%) in the survey favored more effective annual emissions testing.

Survey respondents rejected by a wide margin alternative methods to meet clean air requirements, including restrictions on automobile usage such as mandatory car pooling, parking and alternate day driving limitations and tolls on heavily traveled roads during commuter hours.

The results send a clear message to the Environmental Protection

The 1990 Clean Air Act Agency and the White House that the public is willing to spend money on properly maintaining their cars to reduce air pollution. 'Drivers support taking steps to clean the air as long as the new requirements don't limit consumer's ability to use their automobiles for commuting, shopping or pleasure," said Gary Huggins, Executive Vice President of CSCV. "The programs must be more effective to survive," Huggins added, "The public, having invested both personal time and fees for inspections, will not continue to accept any failure to achieve significant improvements in air quality." The random telephone survey of more than 1,000 adult car owners who had experience with vehicle emissions inspection programs, was conducted in Maryland, California, Wisconsin, New York and Texas.

Public support for tougher, more cost-effective emission inspections should influence EPA, in most areas high-technology emissions inspections alone can achieve larger emissions reductions than the combined elimination of all emissions from entire categories of area sources such as, bakeries, tire manufacturers, printers, plastic manufacturers, inorganic manufacturers, bulk gasoline terminals, dry cleaners, polyethylene manufacturers and rubber manufacturers.

EPA says excess emissions from motor vehicles are responsible for over 50% of the volatile organic compounds which pollute our air. Since vehicle emissions are more than 50% of the problem, it makes sense that they should be over 50 % of the solution. According to the EPA, high-tech vehicle emissions inspection programs are seven times more cost-effective than tighter new car tailpipe standards and at least ten times more costeffective than additional controls on stationary sources.

The CSCV survey also shows that a majority (66%) of the public

support inspection of the vehicles safety-critical items while performing emissions inspections. Huggins noted that government studies and experience with current safety in-spection programs show that about one-third of the vehicles on the road are in need of brake repair.

A copy of the survey as well as additional information on the Clean Air Act requirements are available from CSCV. CSCV is a national non-profit organization committed to assisting states in adopting and improving vehicle inspection programs. CSCV also provides public education on the benefits of vehicle inspection.

BENEFITS OF VEHICLE SAFETY AND EMISSIONS **INSPECTION PROGRAMS**

Air pollution is reduced. Inspection and Maintenance programs are an effective strategy for reducing emissions from vehicles-in-use (Source: U.S. EPA).

Vehicle crash rates reduced. Acci-dent rates are up to 17% lower in states which have vehicle safety inspection programs than in states without them (Source: U.S. General Accounting Office).

Deaths, injuries and related costs are reduced. The 46,000 deaths, 3.4 million injuries and \$75 billion in economic losses annually resulting from vehicle crashes are significantly reduced by effective inspection programs.

Fuel economy is significantly improved. Emissions inspection programs have resulted in reductions in fuel consumption (the state of Arizona reports an estimat-ed 30-50 million gallons annually saved due to the I&M program). If the program includes safety inspection, the fuel savings can be significantly higher.



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Maybe So

"I'll have you know that I'm nobody's fool." "Cheer up, boy. Maybe someone will adopt you."

Explained

Two young women were chatting when one noticed something odd and said to the other, "You're wearing your wedding ring on the wrong finger.

"Yes, I know," was the reply, "I married the wrong man."

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Lady (to marine sentry)--1 left my pass at home, but I am one of the regimental commanders' wifes.

Sentry--Sorry, ma'am, but I couldn't let you pass even if you were his only wife.

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A New System

"Give me an example of unrenumerative outlay of captial," the pro-fessor of political eco-nomics said to his class. While the star students hesitated, a young man at the back of the room suggested: "Taking your sister out on a date."

WASHINGTON NOTES

Wetland Revision?

The Bush Administration will have to redo proposed new definitions of wetlands in light of evidence that vast wetlands tracts would be lost under the proposals, EPA chief William Reilly said.

A team of American and Soviet scientists, working side-by-side on an ozone measuring project, said that their collaboration has been highly successful and is providing data to both countries.

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NEWS VIEWS

William Berry, of Delta Airlines:

"It makes no sense to keep putting money down a black hole," (commenting on Delta's hole," withdrawal from negotiations to buy Pan American).

Douglas Laughlin, auto ana-lyst, on 3rd quarter upsurge in U.S. auto sales:

These figures are up against a weak number (for the same quarter) last year, which help them look good."

Newt Gingrich, Republican Whip in U.S. House:

People believe that the core institutions of our democracy are not working right."

Lanc Kirkland, President of the AFL-CIO:

"The latest job lost figures clearly document the need for programs to get people back to work."

BRIEFS

N. Korea agrees in principle on nuclear weapons ban.

Soviet Union gets 3.6 billion reprieve from bill collectors.

Oil, auto industries draw battle line over auto fumes.

American airlines is bailing out of flights to Austria, New Zealand.

Yeltsin seeks renewal of economic relations with Eastern Germany.



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311 TORNADO TOUR --- Patsy Palmquist, State Commander of the American Legion, stopped in Muleshoe Saturday on her Tornado Tour, recruiting new members in the American Legion. (From Left) Robert Clark, Eldridge Graves, Ms. Palmquist; Rocky Vieira, 19th District Commander, Big Spring; Thomas (Journal Photo) Ivey and Hugh Hanson, both of Morton. 123

American Legion

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made a remarkable recovery because of his involvement in the program. Another veteran, who is blind, complemented his submission using only his sense of tourch." The cards are available from members of The Legion.

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Increasing Legion membership is another important goal for Ms. Palmquist. She said she is especially interested in recruiting women and military personnel who served in Operation Desert Storm. The American Legion in Texas has more than 101,000 members. Ms. Palmquist said I would like to see that number grow to 250,000 or more.

""There are more than two million veterans in the state who are eligible to join The American Legion. And I am convinced they would join if they new The American Legion Story," Ms. Palmquist said.

The story of The Legion is remarkable, Ms. Palmquist said. It grew from a few men and women into the largest, most active veterans' organization. Legionnaires assist veterans in every possible way. The Legion has two full-time service officers whose only job is to help all veterans with their benefits. This help comes without strings. Veterans do not have to be members of The American Legion to receive help. The Legion also gives veterans a chance to continue their service through many worthwhile community projects, like Legion baseball, Boys State, Boy Scouts and sponsorships of The Special Olympics."

Ms. Palmquist became eligible for membership in The American Legion through her service as a sergeant in the Women's Army Corps during World War II. Since joining The Legion, Ms. Palmquist has been making history with a string of firsts.

She was the first woman veteran to join Harlingen Post 205. She was also the first woman commander of the Vermund G. Hansen Post 101 in Pharr, where she is a life member. She was the first chairman for the Women's Veterans Recruitment Program for the Legion and was the first woman president and one of the founders of the Texas American Legion Press Association.

In 1970, Ms. Palmquist was elected vice commander of the Third Division. She organized and chartered eight et 40 Salons in Hidalgo and Cameron Counties. She is a member of the Legion Auxiliary and a charter member of Echelon 31 and 20/4 Honor Society of Women Legionnaires.

Ms. Plamquist is a certified service officer and coordinated the VAVS Program at the VA Outpatient Clinic in McAllen. She was appointed Deputy Representative of the VAVS Service by the National Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation Commission. She also served as chairman of the American Legion Oratorical and Boys State programs and served on the National Almericanism Council and the Membership and Rehabilitation Commission.

Pharr area schools and the chamber of commerce honored Ms. Palmquist as Outstanding Citizen and Citizen of the Year.

Ms. Palmquist was married to the late Roger Palmquist who worked for the Texas Veterans Commission and was a service officer for many years. She has four sons. Three are Legionnaires and one is a member of the Sons of The American Legion.

Stockshow...

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and Lance Caviness, Boys Ranch, Steer and Heifer.

For more information concerning the stockshow you may contact Carl Wheeler, Muleshoe Ag. Teacher: Howard Tooley, Three Way Ag Teacher; Curtis Preston, County Extension Agent; Jack Reeves or Derrell Embry, Ag Boosters; or any Junior Livestock Board member.

BEGINNING COOKIE SALES .-- The Muleshoe Girl Scouts Cookie Sale will get underway on

Saturday, January 11. The scouts will be taking orders only and the cookies are \$2.50 per box. Cookies will be delivered in mid-February. Brownie Troop No. 300 will be among those selling cookies. Melissa Flores, Shari Alanis, Lisa Marie Ramirez, Stephanie Kirk, Kayla Claybrook, Crystal Scott, Elizabeth Torres, Rachel Williams. Casey Tosh. Also pictured is their leader, Mary Ann Ramirez and helper, Adam Ramirez. Members of Troop No. 300 not pictured are Megan Tipps and (Journal Photo) Adrienna Ashford.

Money Talk By Charles B. Carson **Dow Theory Forecasts**

Problems in the banking and savings and loan industries make it important one understands insurance for savings accounts.

The FDIC insures deposits up to \$100,000 per account. If you have \$200,000 in your savings and checking accounts combined, this is considered one account.

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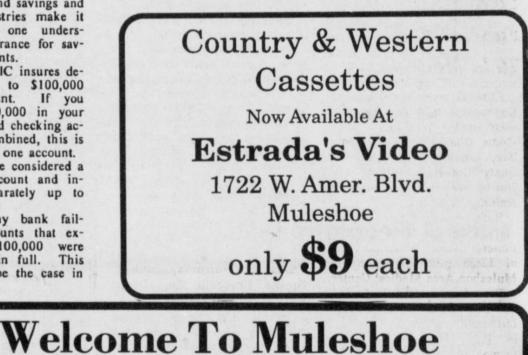
In many bank failures, accounts that exceeded \$100,000 were paid off in full. This may not be the case in the future.

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To get maximum protection, open separate accounts in different banks.

Other primary insurers of funds are the Securities Investor Protection Corp. (SIPC) and the National Credit Union Administration.

Liberty is the power we have over ourselves. -Hugo Grotius.





PIN PRESENTATION --- Robert Clark, left, presented Patsy L. Palmquist a Muleshoe pin Saturday morning at the American Legion reception. Also pictured Eldridge Graves, second from left, and Rocky Vieira, right. (Journal Photo)

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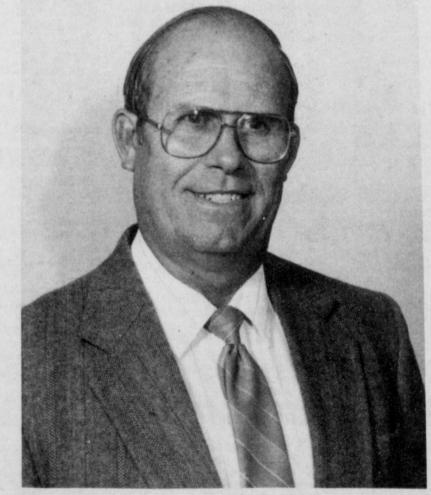
ved in Farm Economics.

All interested persons can obtain Continued Education Units for attending the Extension Service part of this program. Application blanks will be available to apply for CEU units to help you on your applicators licenses.

Derby...

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must be within the length, width and weight limits. The car must be free-wheeling with no starting devices. The official number must be clearly marked or visible on both sides of the car.



WELCOME TO MULESHOE ... This week we would like to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Cox to Muleshoe. Cox comes to Muleshoe from Littlefield where he was associated with Energas. He is the new office manager for Energas here in Muleshoe, replacing Jess Winn upon his retirement. He and his wife, Linnie, have 2 sons and one daughter, who are married. They also have 2 grandsons and one granddaughter. As you see this fine couple out and about, make them welcome with a "Big Howdy" from Muleshoe. (Guest Photo)



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Texas Cattle Women Prepares Cookbook

Changes in consumer lifestyles have generated changes in the 1992 Texas Beef Cook-Off-including more opportunities to win more prize money than ever before.

Entries are now being accepted up to March 1, 1992, for this annual event that will be held April 23-24 at the Ramada Inn in Wichita Falls, Texas. All persons entering the contest will also receive a coupon good for \$3 off any beef purchase.

"The Texas Beef Cook-Off has traditionally sought out the best beef dish in Texas from amateur

Letter To **The Editor**

December, 1991

Dear Friend,

The Girl Scouts of Caprock Council want to take this "tasteful" way of saying thanks. Due to all the efforts of wonderful friends like you, girls and adults of our council are able to enjoy their Girl Scout experiences to the fullest.

We hope you will enjoy eating your cookie gift, and thank you for supporting Girl Scouting!

Sincerely,

All the Girl Scouts of Caprock Council

Loyd H. Davenport **Funeral Services Held Monday**

Funeral services for Loyd H. Davenport, 82, of Needmore were held at the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel at 2 p.m. Monday, January 6 with the Rev. Rusty Gorski, pastor of First United Methodist Church of Anton, officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home. Davenport died at 12:26 p.m. Friday in the Muleshoe Area Medical Center. Born June 1, 1909 in Lockett, he had been a resident of Littlefield, moving to Needmore 1924. He was a retired in farmer and married Jessie Mae Atkinson in Clovis on July 31.

Survivors include one son, Marvin Davenport of Muleshoe; two daughters, Shirley Corbell Clovis, N.M. and Betty Gustin of Anton; one sister, Ernestine Lee of Santa Cruz, California. A son Billy Loyd Davenport preceded him in death.

cooks," Leigh Kimbell, chairman of the 1992 Texas Beef Cook-Off, said. "Yet the daily lifestyle of consumers doesn't always allow them to prepare the best dish. They want good nutrition for their children, they want less calories, they want convenience, they want tasty dishes for parties, and they want to stretch their food dollars. The 1992 Texas Beef Cook-Off will reflect all these consumer needs.'

This year, 15 contestants will compete for a total of \$10,000 in prize money. First place overall will win \$3,000, second place overall will win \$2,000, and the winner of each of the five categories will win \$1,000. The five categories will be: Beef Meals Kids Like; Best Under 300 Calories Per Serving of Beef Recipe; Most Convenient Beef Recipe; Beef Recipes for Entertaining; and Budget Beef Meals."

"One recipe can fit several categories," Kimbell said. "The more categories a recipe fits, the more opportunities a contestant has to win the overall prize.

Entries may include oven or range prepared recipes, microwave recipes and outdoor barbecue recipes in the five categories.

Only the highest ranking oven or range prepared recipe will advance to the National Beef Cook-Off for a chance at the top prize of \$15,000. However, all microwave and outdoor barbecue recipes will advance to the national competition for a chance to win the Southwest Region. All recipes should include suggestions for a complete meal

Patients in **Muleshoe** Area **Medical Center**

JANUARY 3

Dezrae Contreras, Maria Torres, Pauline Greene, Elizabeth King

JANUARY 4

Dezrae Contreras, Pauline Greene, Elizabeth King, Diane Alsonso, Audrey Magby **JANUARY 5**

Dezrae Contreras, Alfredo Anzaldua, Renessie Johnson, Janna Skaggs, Adriana Toscano, Pauline Greene, Elizabeth King, H.H. Patterson, Diane Alonso, baby boy Alsonso **JANUARY 6**

featuring the beef dish.

Anyone 18 years of age or older who resides in Texas and is not a food professional or a beef producer may enter the 1992 contest. Each contestant must have an original, innovative beef recipe.

The entries will be judged by a five-member panel of national food experts. Dishes are rated on taste, appeal, ease of preparation and appearance.

Contestant entries must be postmarked by March 1, 1992. For an entry form and information, contact the Texas Beef Cook-Off, 8310 Capital of Texas Hwy. N., 440, Austin, Tx. 78731-Ste. 1081; (512) 345-3531.

The Texas Beef Cook-Off is sponsored by Texas Cattle Women in cooperation with the Texas Beef **Industry Council**



1. Which Superbowl drew the largest ever TV audi-

field known for?

3. What Australian tennis star won the French Open (men) at the age of 17?

4. What pro football team has played in the most Superbowls? Answers:

I. Superbowl XX, 1986, Bears 46, Patriots 10, 41,490,000. 2. He was the first man to drive a car a mile a minute (1903). Ken Rosewall.

4. Dallas and Miami-five each.

Bailey County Political Calendar **Bailey County** Sheriff Jerry Hicks **County Commissioner** Precinct 1 Marshall (Catfish) Williams Herman Morrison

County Commissioner

Precinct 3

Social Security News

Recently, the U.S. Senate passed legislation to repeal the Social Security earnings limit. While many Americans are unaware of the significance of this action, it could improve life for millions of seniors currently affected by this law.

A Senate amendment to a Housepassed bill extending the Older Americans Act, approved by voice vote, would abolish the earnings limit for Social Security recipients 65 through 69.

Currently, seniors between the age of 65 and 69 can only earn \$9720 before losing benefits. If they go over that limit, they automatically lose \$1 in benefits for every \$3 they earn in excess of \$9720. But, unearned income--such as income from stock dividends and other investments--which can be substantial for upper-income individuals, is not affected by the earnings limitation at all.

Due to double-digit increases in health costs and increased living costs, many seniors need or want to stay in the work force. Unfortunately even those with moderate incomes are trapped in a Catch 22 situation. If they continue to work they may be penalized through a loss of Social Security benefits. Without the extra income, they often face living near the poverty level.

Opponents argue that repealing the earnings limitation would cost the Social Security Administration more in added benefits. While this is true, the extra cost would be partially offset by new revenues from additional income and payroll taxes paid by working seniors. In addition, the Social Security Trust Fund this year is expected to generate surplus of some \$70 billion--many, many times more than the cost of repealing of this Social Security law. And, this is not to mention the \$50 million to \$100 million a year that would be saved in administrative costs.

The bottom line is that, as the recession worsens, it doesn't make sense to shut out people who want to work and contribute to the economy.

Not only do senior Americans supply our workforce with a wealth of experience and knowledge which many of our industries depend on, but removing this restriction would

South Plains Plans Lubbock Lake Tour

A tour of the Lubbock Lake Site is planned as part of an upcoming short course in South Plains archeology beginning Tuesday (Jan. 7) at South Plains College.

'Introduction to Indians: Archeology of the South Plains" will meet 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays for six weeks in the Blue Room North of the SPC Student Center. Cost is \$20 and instructor is Leon Pope.

The short course will include an overview of the South Plains area, point identification, artifacts and where to look for them, pottery, site surveying, dating methods, caches, flint knapping and other

topics "My main goal is to help archeology buffs preserve the sites they find and also to help them identify the artifacts that they have discovered," said Pope, an employee of Universal Treating who has been studying Indian life on the South Plains for the past decade.

help to breathe life into our

Representatives has yet to act on

this proposal, but a House plan

similar to the one approved in the

Senate has 266 sponsors and is

expected to be taken up soon after

congressional members know that

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abolished. After all, every

American deserves a chance to live

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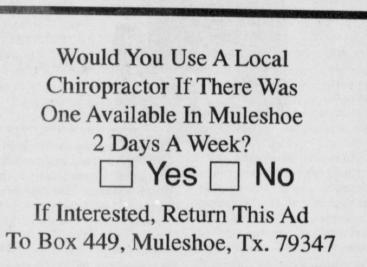
Congress reconvenes in January.

The U.S. House of

struggling economy.

in economic dignity.

"During the course, we'll go back to Paleo-Indian times dating 10,000 year ago, and also study the Pueblo Indians, who traveled here from New Mexico, and the Apache and Comanche Indians, who were here during historic times," said Pope.



You Can't Miss With An Ad In The Classified!



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The family suggests memorials to a favorite charity.

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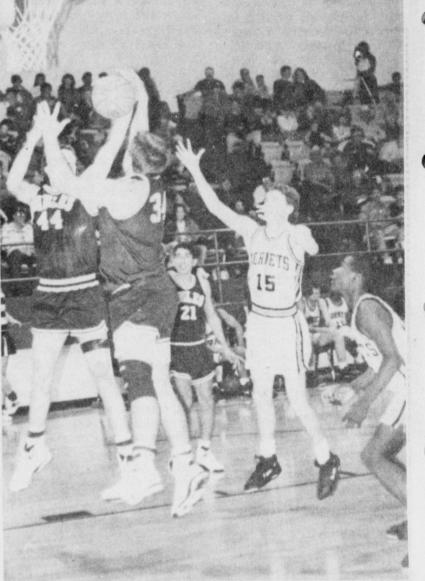
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Varsity Mules Participate In Holiday Classic **Championship Game** In Sudan



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AGRICULTURAL BACKGROUND IS 3. HELPFUL

4. MUST BE ABLE TO WORK WITH THE PUBLIC

APPLICANT MUST BE WILLING TO ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROGRA-MS

6. MUST BE ABLE TO MEET DEADLINES MUST BE DEPENDABLE AND HAVE GOOD WORK HABITS

MUST BE ABLE TO ADJUST TO 8. CHANGES

9 APPLICANT MUST BE A U.S. CITIZEN

CANDIDATES WILL BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, SEX, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL DISABILITY, AGE, MARITAL STATUS, OR OTHER NONMERIT FACTORS.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE TAKEN UNTIL JANUARY 17, 1992.



SPC Schedules Spring Registration

South Plains area residents who would like to work on a college degree, begin a new career, upgrade training for their current job, or enhance their personal lives can sign up Thursday and Friday (Jan. 9-10) for college courses in nearly 100 programs offered at South Plains College.

SPC's spring registration will be 5:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday (Jan. 9) and 8:30 a.m.-noon and 1:30-4 p.m. Friday (Jan. 10) in Student Center.

Registration on the SPC Lubbock campus will be 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 4-7 p.m. Jan. 7-8.

"A community college education is a terrific bargain," said Bobby James, registrar and dean of admissions. "SPC's costs are low, and the education and training provided are excellent. We encourage anyone who is thinking about beginning their college career to contact SPC for more information. There's no better time than now to go to college."

SPC's late spring registration is



On Tuesday, January 14, 1992 at 8:30 a.m. Lazbuddie I.S.D. will hold a public hearing at the Lazbuddie School board room to discuss the AEIS (Academic Excellence Indicator System) which will serve as an annual performance report for the district concerning the 1990-91 school year. All pertinent information will be discussed and all interested parties are asked to attend. L18-2t-1tc ***

scheduled Jan. 13-17. A \$10 late registration fee will be charged.

SPC offers associate degrees and certificates of proficiency in such programs as allied health, business administration, communications, fine arts, engineering and mathematics, industrial technology, occupational training, sciences, social sciences and a variety of academic support courses.

To obtain a spring schedule or classes or find out more information, contact the SPC registrar's office in Levelland at 894-9611 or SPC-Lubbock at 747-0576.

Report From Larry Combest

In a letter written by U.S. Representative Larry Combest (R-Texas), members of the House Committee on Agriculture have urged Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Administrator William Reilly to pursue reasonable and rational wetlands policies, including regulations for playa lakes, prairie potholes and farm ponds. Congressman Combest

and his colleagues noted in comments to be published in the Federal Register that recentlyproposed federal revisions appear to be moving toward common sense protection of wetlands. However, they said the government has yet to consider workable definitions for playa lakes, prairie potholes and farm ponds.

"I support protecting true wetlands that nurture wildlife and recharge the underground water supply," said Combest. "However, towns, farmers and homebuilders in West Texas have complained of costly delays imposed by burdensome land-use restrictions. Farmers have been prevented from working their own fields and families from building homes on lands that Congress never intended to include as wetlands. Through my campaign to Fight Against Intrusive Regulations (FAIR), many of us in Congress are actively working to bring reasonableness to government regulations. The federal regulations for wetlands have left behind a soggy mess of paperwork that EPA should clean up."

The letter to EPA Administrator Reilly asserts that the public will voluntarily obey wetlands protection laws that are reasonable and rational. "And, in the final analysis," stated the congressmen in their letter, "wetland regulations which are seen as unreasonable and over-reaching will be avoided by the public and may eventually demand repeal."



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8. Real Estate

8. Real Estate Affordable, nice starter

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2. Lost & Found

LOST: 2 female labrador dogs. Larger dogchocolate with red collar, puppy-black with green collar. Lost on Rabbit Road 1 south of Muleshoe. \$100.00 Reward! 946-3381

C2-2t-1tc



Need experienced farm hand with recommendations. Call 965-2842 or 272-3614. H3-1s-3tc ***

The Bailey County Commissioners Court will be taking applications for the the position of Manager at the Bailey County Coliseum. Applicants must be mature, reliable, and capable of performing both janitorial and managerial duties. Applications should be submitted to the County Judge at the Bailey County Courthouse no later than Friday, January 10, 1992. B3-1s-2tc

POSTAL JOBS MULESHOE AREA \$23,700 per year plus benefits. Postal carriers, sorters, clerks. For an application and exam information, call 1-219-736-9807, ext. P8265. 8 am to 8 pm, 7 days. 3-1s-8tp

BRED AND PAIRS S1-1t-tfc *** For Sale:

Round Bale Hay-Grazer. \$20.00 each. 481-9946. Located South of

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Blue '79 Chevy Shortbed For Sale--Great Condition! New paint job and new tires and rims! For more information call 925-6723 after 5:00 p.m.



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> 4. Houses For Rent

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3 bedrooms, 2 baths in Muleshoe. Contact 505-762-2625 res.; 505-762-2090 bus.; or 1-806-946-3417. K4-1t-tfc ***

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NICE 3-2 Home, nicely remodeled, heat pump, built-ins, carpet, fenced yd., storage bldg. & more!!! \$20's!!!

NICE 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fans, st. bldg., fenced yd-\$30's!!!!

3-3 Bdrm. Brick Homes-FmHA financing to qualified Buyers, Priced to Sell!!!

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272-4536

8. Real Estate

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finance.

built-ins, FP, Cent. Vac., Office, Sewing area, fenced yard. \$30's

3-2-1 CP, heat pump, heated pool, fenced yd. storage bldg., \$30's!!!!!!!

NICE REMODELED 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. heat, built-ins, MUCH MORE. \$30's!!!! JUST LISTED-3-11/2-1 Home, Cent. heat, evap. air, nice carpets, cov. patio, fenced

yd. st. bldg.!!!!! *** 2-2-2 Brick, Cent., A&H, built-ins, FP,

spklr. sys., fenced yd. Price Reduced!! VERY NICE-4-2-2 Brick Home on 6 ac.,

Cent. A&H, 2300'† lv. area, storage-shop bldg., MUCH MORE!!!!!!70's

3-2-3 Carport Home on 11 ac. edge of town, Cent. A&H, built-ins, cellar, barns & corral. MAKE OFFER

3-2-2 carport Brick on 2 acres at edge of town, possible owner financing. \$30,000!!! NICE 3-2-1 Home on 1 acre close to town, Cent. Heat, Evap. Air, Nice Carpets, Remodeled. \$30's!!!***

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West American Boulevard 150' frontage. Priced to sell.

LAND

150 acre irrigated farm with sprinkler on highway NW of Muleshoe. Allotted acres with good yields. Two wells. Corners are in CRP. Owner financed.

