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Weekend Rain Boosts Crop Prospects

Cotton Weed Control Needed After Rain

The recent widespread rains, near optimum temperatures and general absence of adverse weather conditions and early season disease have contributed to the phenomenal progress of the 1984 cotton crop. Much of the standing cotton acreage has begun to set fruit, and, for the first time in several years, many fields will be sporting

white blooms early in July. In many areas, Producers are encountering more than their usual share of weed problems. Perennial weeds, such as silver-leaf nightshade (whiteweed), lakeweed, johnson-grass and problem annual weeds such as cockbur, devil's claw, prairie sunflower and others that are tolerant to the usual pre-plant incorporated and / or pre-emergences herbicide got the jump on many farmers during the recent rainy spell. In other instances, heavy rains caused some leaching and dispersal of herbicides which allowed an above normal number of weeds to become established in many fields.



Saturday, July 7, the Class of '74 will hold their reunion. Activities begin with a family get-together at the New City Park, at 10 a.m.

This will be followed by the dinner at 7 p.m. at the Catholic Center.

Representatives of minority organizations and of organizations having substantial interest in minority affairs are invited to attend a meeting at the Cochran County Courthouse, Morton, on Thursday, July 5 at 8 p.m.

Scheduled will be the election of one individual to the Board of Directors of the South Plains Association of Governments as a representative of minority residents of Bailey, Lamb, Cochran, and Yoakum counties.

Again tonight, Thursday, and Friday, if necessary. The end-of-season Junior Babe Ruth tournament is being held on South Main Street.

Two games each evening are being played, starting at 6 p.m. This is a double elimination tournament.

Effective on Monday, July 2, West Plains Medical Center took over operation of the local ambulance service.

If you are in need of an ambulance, the number to call is:

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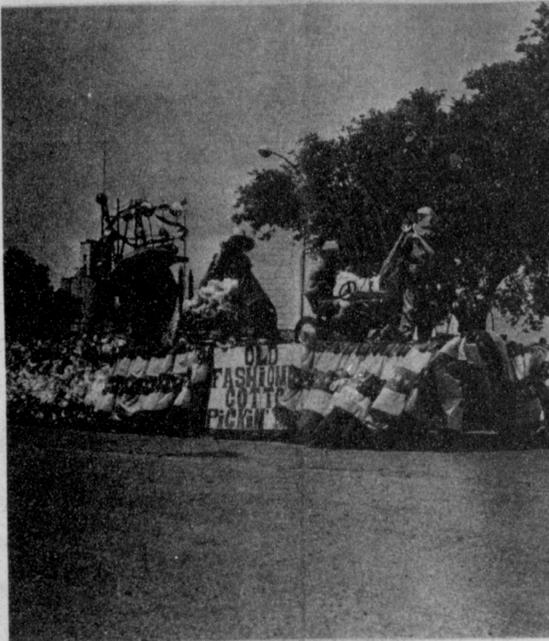
Bailey County Farm Bureau Board of Directors will meet on Thursday, July 5 at 8:30 p.m. in the Farm Bureau meeting room.

Muleshoe High School Coach Scott Murray said the high school gym will be open to the public from 7-10 p.m. effective July 2. The gym will be available for basketball and workout on the exercise equipment.

Coach Murray said the gym will be open Monday-Tuesday, Thursday and Friday until July 29.



THIRSTY RACCOON--This four month old raccoon really found a snow cone to his liking at Sudan Saturday afternoon. He dug in and really found he liked the popular youth treat.



OLD FASHIONED COTTON PICKING TIME--This float is just one of the many floats entered in the Pioneer, Independence Day Celebration at Sudan last Saturday. The float is representative of the large number of floats entered in the parade.

Soil Moisture Blocks Gaining New Support

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. One is joining with County Soil and Water Conservation District Boards to provide landowners and / or operators with a local source for obtaining soil moisture gypsum blocks and resistance meters. These blocks and meters are being provided to the Soil and Water Conservation Districts on a consignment basis and are available for purchase from either the local Soil and Water Conservation District

office or local office of the Water District.

Producers who have used the soil moisture blocks during the past few years are very satisfied with the results. Jerry Smith, a Parmer County farmer states, "I like them well enough that I don't want to try watering without them." David Wied, a Lynn county farmer who uses the blocks on irrigated cotton indicates, "I've found out that the moisture is not necessarily where I thought it would be."

"Also, it is amazing to me to see how wet the soil profile can be and then in just a matter of a few days, how the moisture can be gone."

A Crosby County farmer, Alvin Morrison, states, "They give me a picture of what is really happening from planting to harvest. They are an educational tool."

Soil moisture gypsum blocks are inch-long proous cylinders imbedded with lead wires. The blocks are installed after crop emergence and buried in the

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Trinity Baptist To Host Musical Saturday Night

Roy Lee Jones and the Sugar Lander's choir from Sugar Land, Texas will present the musical, "Lightshine" by Beryl Red, Saturday night at the Trinity Baptist Church, East Fourth and Ave. B, with the program beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Roy Lee Jones is the music director for the First Baptist Church of Sugar Land and also serves as the Baptist Area Association Music Director in the Houston area.

Besides his choir work, he leads the music for revivals. He was in Muleshoe a few years ago in revival at the Trinity Baptist Church.

Roy Lee Jones grew up just west of Amarillo on a farm, attended school in Amarillo and graduated from West Texas State University and Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary's school of music.

V.L. Huggins, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church said, "We of Trinity Baptist, invite you to come and spend an evening with us, listening to the Sugar Lander's sing. We know you will enjoy the music."

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Cotton Showers 'Hike' Possible Fall Yields

Tuesday morning, the National Weather Service said the recent conditions producing rain in a wide area, including Bailey and Parmer Counties was sliding off to the south and out of the region. However, Sunday night and Monday morning rain left varying amounts throughout the area.

Sunday afternoon, Muleshoe received about .2 of an inch of

rain, followed by a half inch during the night Sunday and early Monday morning.

The official measurement at the National Weather Service reporting station was a total of .58 for Sunday afternoon and Monday morning.

In areas surrounding Muleshoe, rainfall was measured at one-half inch to more than four inches.

Heaviest rainfall to be reported was in the Lazbuddie area, where Theron Vaughn reported in excess of four inches of rain that fell hard and fast.

Mrs. Harrol Redwine, who lives northwest of Lazbuddie, reported 3.2 inches at the home place and one and a half inches on their farm in the Hub community.

Demp Foster at Foster Fertilizer three miles east of Lazbuddie said they received three and a half inches of rain, and a playa lake that has been without water for "a long time" was filled during the rain.

"We got just a nice rain," said Mrs. Jerry Damron in the Circleback community. They recorded .8 of an inch and she said they were very proud of the moisture they had received.

Mrs. Floyd Davis, who lives west of Goodland near the New Mexico line said they had received one inch of rain, that was "just right for the young cotton."

At West Camp, the Robert Hunts recorded just one half inch of rain, but said they were very proud of the rain as they have finished cutting the wheat and have just planted sunflowers.

Moving to the south part of the county, Bennie Claunch reported two inches of rain, with just a little hail, not enough to damage anything.

"The rain fell just right," according to the manager of the Farmer's Co-op Gin at Enochs, who reported varying amounts of moisture from .8 of an inch to an inch and a half.

At the Maple Go-op Gin, the farmers were reporting generally one inch of rain, with up to one and a half inches falling in some scattered locations. No reports of hail had been reported at the gin.

All the farmers and ag-businessmen contacted said the rain was just right for the young crops, and they would like to see that much more rain fall in the near future, to help the crops in what has been a dry winter and spring.



ONE INJURED IN SATURDAY NIGHT WRECK--John David Agee was seriously injured in this accident Saturday night at an intersection in northeast Muleshoe. He was taken to West Plains Medical Center for emergency treatment before being transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock for further treatment.



SECOND PLACE WINNERS IN TOURNEY--In second place following a sudden-death playoff at the Mule Putt Golf Course Thursday evening was the 5-Area Telephone No. Two team. They ended the tournament with a 848 then tied at 203 with the Rednecks. They won second place by one stroke in the playoff. Team members included Hubert Kidd, standing in for Margie Silguero, Dusty Bailey, Kelvin Johnson and Raymond Davenport. A total of 23 teams played in the tournament.

Friendships are not the results of a rushing acquaintance-ship.

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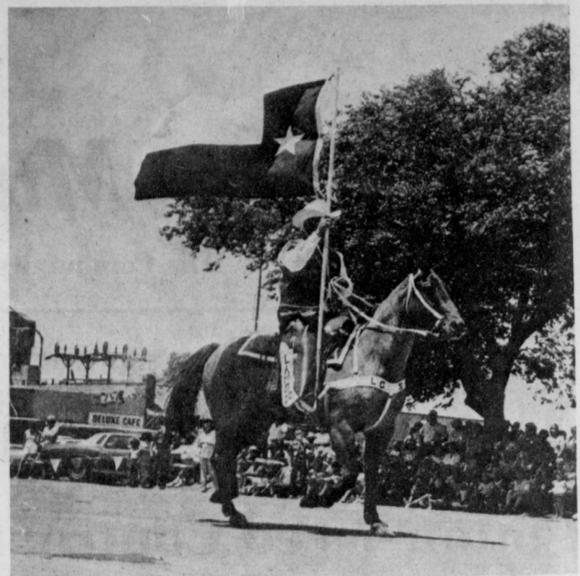
Government will cost more money as long as people demand more services, free of charge.

Never tell anyone about your difficulties and you will not be disappointed at their lack of concern.

When people lose confidence in the leaders of the nation, the country is threatened with revolution.

The beauty about youth is its faith and confidence...the two worthwhile possessions of the human race.

A person who sticks to their principles is stubborn; the person who doesn't is a hypocrite. What's your answer?



LAMB COUNTY SHERIFF POSSE RIDES AGAIN--Always top performers in any parade are the members of the Lamb County Sheriff's Posse who rode in the Sudan Pioneer, Independence Day Parade Saturday afternoon.

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Hance Advises Reese Air Base Gets New Funds

Congressman Kent Hance (D-Texas) announced today that Reese Air Force Base, near Lubbock, is scheduled to receive \$4.9 million in funding for a new Civil Engineering Maintenance Complex in 1985.

The Lubbock Democrat said that the complex would be a centrally located facility designed to serve as the management headquarters of all base maintenance and utility services. Under the present system, the management of all maintenance and utility services is housed in 21 separate buildings. The new complex will allow officials at Reese to more effectively manage all base maintenance activities.

The complex, scheduled to begin construction in 1985, will serve as Reese's primary facility for equipment and supply storage for all service-related activities. The complex will also serve as a management and engineering center for the base. The facility will have a total square footage of over 45,000, which includes 28,700 square feet of maintenance areas and an additional 16,600 square feet of administrative area.

Hance said that the \$4.9 million authorization was part of a military construction authorization bill passed by the House of Representatives Wednesday night.

There are a surprisingly large number of good fishing days.

Not everyone who demands tolerance is willing to practice it.

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COOKIES AND MILK

Tough But Pretty

Periwinkle--

Need a flowering plant that withstands summer heat, has few insect problems, and tolerates city smog?

Try the Madagascar periwinkle.

This colorful plant is finding its way into more and more gardens each summer because it is so tough and heat tolerant, says Everett Janne, landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

At the same time, plant breeders have been able to bring new characteristics into this plant that has made it even more desirable for home garden use. A good example is the variety Morning Mist. It's the first periwinkle with clusters of flowers. Each flower is pure white, centered with a red eye.

Periwinkle varieties presently available have white, pink, rose or lavender flowers (many with a contrasting eye), but flower breeders have additional varieties almost ready to release that will further extend the color range.

The foliage is one of the Madagascar periwinkle's most attractive features with its narrow, dark-green, glossy leaves, notes Janne. The contrast between the foliage and the flower is as attractive as any summer flowering plant available.

Periwinkles are superb for Texas gardens where heat frazzles many other plants. They will deliver a fine show in full sun throughout the summer until a killing frost gets them in the fall.

Some newer varieties have a spreading growth habit, making them excellent for border plants, explains the horticulturist. These include Morning Mist, with its white flower and red eye; Little Delicata, a baby pink flower accented with a deep red eye; and Little Blanche, with its snow-white flowers.

Two others in the "Little" series include the deep orchid colored Little Linda and Little Pinkie, which was initially introduced as Coquette.

For hanging baskets or a mass carpet planting, few varieties make a better show than Polka Dot, Janne points out. It has a low creeping growth habit, with each plant spreading about 2 feet across and only 4 to 6 inches tall covered with snow white flowers, each centered with a velvety cherry red dot.

Periwinkles will survive and thrive in locations where other plants would languish, such as by the foundation of houses with south and west exposures, on the balcony of high-rise apartments, or next to walks and drives with reflected heat. All they need for survival is an occasional watering plus a little fertilizer every six weeks or so, says Janne.

Because of its resistance to heat, disease, insects and air pollution, the periwinkle makes an excellent plant for summer color in the inner city and is also an excellent choice for the country home or suburban landscape.

Cookies 'N Milk

For Children You Love:

How lucky are the children whose mother, grandmother or other fond relative bakes a variety of cookies to go with milk! It's a wonderful snack, or in a pinch, a great dessert for the whole family.

If all three varieties of cookies can be made, they add up to 12 dozen except for the few that may get sampled as preparation proceeds. Of course, they don't all have to be made in a day. Baking can stretch out over two or even three days, but it will give a supply that's truly a bonanza. Since butter is used in each recipe, the cookies will mellow and improve in flavor.

Chocolate is always a favorite, so these drop cookies of chocolate dough, frosted with a vanilla confectioners' sugar icing, are guaranteed to be a hit. Cook cookies completely so that frosting adheres to them.

Almond is a favorite flavor with butter in these crisp cookies made in an unusual way. First they're rolled into small balls, dipped in granulated sugar and placed on the cookie sheet. If you have a ceramic cookie stamp, dip that in sugar and "stamp" each ball to flatten and make a pretty design on it. Or, if you have no stamp, just flatten the balls with the tines of a fork.

No collection of cookies that go best with milk would be complete without peanut butter. Made with butter and peanut butter, brown sugar and oats, Peanut Butter Balls are nutritious, delicious and require no baking! They look attractive rolled in coconut.

CHOCOLATE DROP COOKIES

Yield: approx. 4 dozen
 Cookies:
 3/4 cup (1 1/2 sticks) butter
 1 cup sugar
 1 egg
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 2-1/4 cups all-purpose flour
 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/2 cup milk
 2 squares (2 oz.) unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled slightly
 Frosting:
 2 tablespoons butter
 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
 dash salt
 2 cups confectioners' sugar
 3 to 4 tablespoons milk

Preheat over to 350 degrees F. For cookies, cream butter and sugar in large mixing bowl until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Combine flour, baking soda and salt; add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Blend in chocolate. Drop by rounded teaspoonsfuls onto unbuttered cookie sheets. Bake 12 to 15 minutes. Remove to wire rack to cool. For frosting, combine all ingredients. Beat until spreading consistency. When cookies are cooled completely, frost.

ALMOND CRISPIES

Yield: approx. 3 dozen
 1 cup (2 sticks) butter
 3/4 cup confectioners' sugar
 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 1/2 teaspoon almond extract
 2 cups all-purpose flour

1/4 teaspoon salt
 Granulated sugar
 Cream butter and sugar in large mixing bowl until light and fluffy. Beat in extracts. Combine flour and salt. Add gradually to creamed mixture. Beat until well combined. Chill dough 45 to 60 minutes. Preheat over to 350 degrees F. Shape dough into 1-inch balls. Roll in granulated sugar and place about 2 inches apart on unbuttered cookie sheets. Stamp with a ceramic cookie stamp dipped in granulated sugar or flatten with the tines of a fork. Bake 12 to 15 minutes. Remove to wire racks to cool.

PEANUT BUTTER BALLS

Nursing Home News

by Joyce Stancell

O.Z. Franks must be the worlds greatest (zigsaw) puzzle worker. He keeps finding pieces long after everyone else gives up.

 We would like to welcome our new resident. She is Jewell Tipton she was born March 18, 1908 in Kiowa, Okla. She is a member of the Church of Christ.

 People around the Nursing Home appear to be doing real well. They sure greet you with a great smile a sunny disposition. Our residents have learned the secret of happiness is to give to others. Give a kind word, a compliment, a word of appreciation a smile. They are very special people.

 Nature is grand until the weeds begin to grow.

 The weather is still the best mystery of all time.

 Why is it that idle women are usually dissatisfied?

Yield: approx. 5 dozen
 1 1/2 cups firmly packed brown sugar
 3/4 cup all-purpose flour
 1/2 cup milk
 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter
 1 1/2 cups quick oats, uncooked
 2/3 cup crunchy peanut butter
 2/3 cup raisins
 1/2 cup flaked coconut
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 Flaked coconut

Combine sugar, flour and

milk in a large heavy saucepan until smooth. Add butter. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Boil hard 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in remaining ingredients except additional flaked coconut. Cook to lukewarm. Shape teaspoonfuls into 1-inch balls. Roll in flaked coconut. Place on waxed paper and cool completely. Store in refrigerator, covered, or in a cool place.



ASSISTING WITH ACCIDENT VICTIM-Ambulance personnel, law enforcement officers and bystanders helped load John David Agee onto a stretcher following a late Saturday night accident in northeast Muleshoe. Agee was taken to West Plains Medical Center for emergency treatment then transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

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SUDAN SENIOR CITIZENS GIVE AWAY QUILT-Two of the Sudan Senior Citizen volunteers are pictured with a king size quilt they gave away to a lucky winner at the Sudan Pioneer, Independence Day Celebration last Saturday.

Texas Musical Drama Stars Local Youth

The name of the show is TEXAS, and it is staged each summer in Palo Duro Canyon State Park near Amarillo. With a name that assumes an entire state, and with a 600 foot backdrop, the performers who dare to sing, dance, or act in the show had better be something special.

And they are. Eighty performers, supported by sixty technicians and hospitality crew members were selected at auditions and personal interviews held in January and February throughout Texas and New Mexico.

In late May they arrived in Canyon to begin rehearsals and preparations for the opening of TEXAS June 13. And they trekked from all over. Not just from Canyon and Amarillo, not even just from Texas, but from nine states. They call 45 cities "home."

Somehow, the directors will mold these eighty distinct individuals into a whole that is greater than the sum of its parts. Solo voices will be blended into a chorus that raises goose bumps as it sings familiar western songs. Individual dancers will be formed into a body that creates pictures of drama and fun. Actors will lose themselves and be transformed into pioneers of the 1880's struggling with drought, storms, Indians and their own weakness.

TEXAS has played in its Pioneer Amphitheatre for

eighteen seasons to almost 1,500,000 people. Its visitors are vacationers, conventioners, honeymooners, scouts and senior citizens. They camp, stay in ritzy hotels, "board" with friends or relatives, or settle right in on the parking lot with their motor homes.

TEXAS plays nightly, except Sunday from June 13 through August 25 in 1984. Ticket prices range from \$5 - \$7 for adults with children's tickets half-price in the lower priced sections. For information or reservations, call or write TEXAS, Box 268 Canyon 79015. 806-655-2181.

The company members who have a tie to the Muleshoe area are Brad Sullivan, hospitality crew is the nephew of Curtis Parker of Muleshoe. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sullivan.

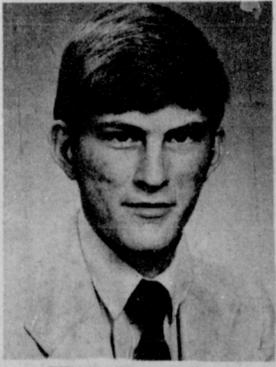
Larry Bass plays the leading role of Dave Newberry. He is the brother of Mr. and Mrs. Nunzio Congliandro also of Muleshoe.

Muleshoe Square Dancers Elect 1984-85 Officers

Muleshoe Squares met Thursday, June 28. A farewell cake was served for the Doug and Kathy Row, who will be moving to California this week.

The following slate of officers was elected for the 1984-85 year: president, Lewis and Wanda Shafer; vice president, J.W. and Gloria Herrington; secretary, James and Vanda Turnbow; reporter, Chester and Elinor Yerby; historian, Fred and Dickie Chandler; delegates, Norman and Helen Head and Lewis and Wanda Shafer; couple at large, Reggie and Sue Johnson; caller, James Pettis of Portales, N.M.

Money is not especially important when you have more than you need.



BRAD SULLIVAN



LARRY BASS

Library News

Forty-six boys and girls were present at the Wednesday morning get-together of the Magical Mysteries Summer reading Club in the Activity Room at the library. Three short movies were shown - "The Unicorn in the Garden; King Rollo, and his search; and Beauty and the Beast".

"What's in the Mystery Bag" was guessed by Shawn Badrow, and it was a pen-light.

Movie day will be on Friday July 6th at 10:30 a.m. This is also the last day for boys and girls to turn in the lists of books they have read...then the following Wed. July 11th will be the Awards and recognition day; and the last day of the 1984 Summer Reading Club.

Boys and girls are urged to reach their goal, and to be at the library on the final day to receive their awards. Everyone who has reached their goal will receive a Library Book-bag and /or prizes in addition to their other awards.

Prizes for the highest readers will be for two age groups - 1st thru 3rd. grade, and 4th grade and above. Participation has been good, but the Library will need those lists turned in on or before July 6th!

Ten Cub Scouts Receive Awards

Pack 620 met Wednesday, June 17 at 6:30 p.m. at the Civic Center. The following announcements were made by Jim Lutz, Cub Scout master: the swim meet at Sundown has been canceled, a Cub Scout family swim party will be held July 17th. from 7 until 9 p.m. at the City Pool; July 14th and 15th. the Cub Scouts and their dads will travel to Carlsbad for an overnight campout.

Advancement Awards were presented to the following: Neal Watson, two silver arrow points; David Rameriz, silver arrow point; Gilrobert Rennels, silver arrow point and gold arrow point; Chad McCormick, silver arrow point; Chirs Wilson, bobcat badge; Chanse Bruns, wolf badge and gold arrow; Clay Grant, wolf badge; Scott Springfield, wolf badge; Dusty Wilhite, wolf badge and Bryan Rasco, wolf badge.

Those receiving Bull Lake Camporee patches were Chad McCormick and Chanse Bruns.

Boy Scout master Dr. David Hamblin called Tadd Young up for the ceremonies advancing him into Boy Scouts. He then presented Troy Watson with four merit awards he earned at Camp Post. The first was citizenship in the world wilderness survival, canoeing, Indian lore. Two boys from Boy Scout Troop 249 out of Plainview were recognized.

Lutz presented Tadd Young with a Cub Scout certificate.

Johnny Zigenfuss, Weblos den leader, presented awards to Jason Harmon, two silver point; Jason Zigenfuss, two silver arrow point. Jason then moved into Weblos.

Lutz asked the Cub Scouts to do the closing. They recited the Cub Scout Law.

If you are in good health, you are one of the luckiest among your fellow citizens.

You can never tell, from the way a woman smiles at you, what she is thinking of you.



Kenneth Gerald Sherbon

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sherbon of Bovina are the proud parents of a son born at 2:05 p.m. June 28 in West Plains Medical Center.

The young man weighed seven pounds and ten ounces and has been named Kenneth Gerald. He is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Julio Garcia of Muleshoe and Margaret Sherbon of Garden Plain, Kansas.

Great grandmother is Francisca Rodriguez of New Orleans.

Kevin Michael Booker

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Booker are the proud parents of a son born at 1:10 p.m. June 7 in Cook Memorial Hospital in Levelland.

The young man weighed nine pounds and eight ounces and was 22 inches long. He has been named Kevin Michael. He has a brother, Jason, two years of age.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Parker of Lazbuddie, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Booker of Levelland and Helen Booker of Bakersfield, Calif.

Great grandparents are Mrs. F.W. Hall of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Parker of Earth, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cody of Earth and Mrs. Earl Booker of Lubbock.

A dangerous mixture is composed of one-part fact, one-part imagination and one-part suspicion.

No politician would accept money or favors if there were not citizens ready to give money or favors.

Don't Take Food Poisoning On Picnic

July begins the peak picnic -- and food poisoning -- season. But with a few simple precautions, this unpleasant and sometimes serious illness can be avoided, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service food and nutrition specialist.

The "poison" is actually produced by a certain bacteria, a type of staphylococcus, which contaminates the food, says Mary K. Sweeten. The poison is eaten with the food and produces symptoms such as nausea and vomiting.

For most people, food poisoning is just a miserable experience, but it can be serious for babies, elderly people and those with other illnesses, she notes.

The bacteria often reach food from the hands of the person preparing it. But even when you're careful to wash your hands, bacteria from the skin, hair or throat, can be spread to food, she explains.

Since these bacteria are especially fond of protein, Sweeten recommends precautions when taking high protein foods -- such as meat, poultry, salads containing egg, custards and some baked foods -- on picnics.

The more likely sources of food poisoning are those dishes that you don't normally heat or reheat before serving on a picnic.

"It's never wise to assume that high-protein foods are safe after being kept at room temperature," she says. "Since refrigeration prevents the bacteria from making their poison, the most effective way to avoid food poisoning is to eat them

right away or else keep them cold until they are served."

Refrigeration temperatures should be below 45 degrees Fahrenheit, which may be difficult to maintain in an ice chest or other type of cooler, she cautions.

"Contrary to myth, mayonnaise isn't commonly the main culprit in food poisoning," says the specialist. So it's important to keep all hot foods hot and cold foods cold to reduce the chances of taking food poisoning along on your picnic.

TOPS Weekly Meeting

Muleshoe TOPS chapter Tx. No. 34 met at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, June 28 in the meeting room of Bailey County Electric with Clara Lou Jones, leader in charge.

The TOPS pledge was recited and the fellowship song sung. Laverne James, weight recorder, called the roll with 12 members present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Aurora Mata, secretary, they were approved as read.

Best loser for the week was Ruth Clements. Laverne James was named first runner up and Evelene Harris second runner up.

It was announced that six months best loser will be crowned tonight (Thursday) and everyone was reminded to bring a gift for the best loser.

Evelene Harris presented the program, showing some of her hand made crochet items.

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

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THE LITTLE ONES GET THIRSTY, TOO--It was a hot, dry time for everyone at Sudan Saturday afternoon during the annual Sudan Pioneer, Independence Day celebration. Even this little one found sips of her mother's Coke to be mighty satisfying.

WB University Will Host Annual Girl's All-Star

Preparations are under way at Wayland Baptist University for the 15th annual Texas-Oklahoma High School All-Star Girls' Basketball Game, scheduled July 14 in Hutchinson Center on the WBU campus.

Wayland Flying Queens Head Coach Dave Ketterman, who was named District 8 Coach of the Year last season, will guide the Texas contingent while Paul Pool of Pryer, Okla., and Bob Pigg of Mustang, Okla. will coach their state representatives. Texas leads the series 9-5.

Several area standouts will participate in the contest, which pits each state's top high school graduates against each other. Among the list Ketterman will call on are Renee Raemakers of State Class A champion Nazareth, Missy Fisher of regional qualifier Sudan, Darla Isaacks of state tournament participant Leveland, Vickie McKenzie of Abernathy, Lori Bolk of

Amarillo High, and Vanessa Wells of Palo Duro.

The Texas-Oklahoma shoot-out, which alternates annually between Plainview and Lindsey, Okla., is scheduled for an 8 p.m. tipoff. Tickets are priced

at \$3 each and will be available at the Wayland Athletic Office on the lower level of Hutchinson Center or at the gate.

In Fashion

Capes, a favorite of many, are shown in soft, luxurious wool and fully draped from a fitted shoulder yoke.

Some of the full length tailored silhouettes of a wool and nylon blend feature flange shoulder detail and stand-up collars.

Journal Files

50 Years Ago

1934
A local cafe ran the following ad in the Journal this week:
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30 Years Ago

1954
Grocery specials advertised in the Journal this week included:
20 ounce jar peanut butter 49 cents; tomato juice 46 ounce can 19 cents; No. 2 1/2 can peaches 25 cents; No. 2 1/2 can apricots 29 cents; No. 303 can green beans 10 cents; No. 303 can asparagus 19 cents; No. 303 can peas 12 1/2 cents; lemons 10 cents pound; lettuce 13 cents pound; radishes 5 cents bunch; arm roast 39 cents pound; rump roast 39 cents pound; club steak 43 cents pound; T-bone steak 43 cents pound; round steak 53 cents pound; slab bacon 69 cents pound; pure pork sausage 57 cents pound; and hamburger meat 23 cents pound.

20 Years Ago

1964
Mr. and Mrs. James Jennings spent a few days in Plainview visiting.

Tub Angeley was home over the weekend from Ft. Sill at Lawton, Okla.

Every man and woman has to settle the problems of life for himself or herself. No one else can do the job.

Peace is not a matter of standing idle. It is an ideal to be fought for with all the wisdom and all the experience of the past.

10 Years Ago

1974
This week's grocery specials included: 1 pound bacon 98 cents pound; hot dogs 59 cents pound; chuck roast 89 cents pound; arm roast 98 cents pound; beef liver 79 cents pound; rib steak \$1.09 pound; medium eggs 35 cents dozen; grapes 59 cents pound; plums 33 cents pound; bell peppers 39 cents pound; 5 pound flour 89 cents; 28 ounce bottle catsup 49 cents; 15 ounce can Ranch Style beans 3/51; 15 ounce can mackerel 45 cents; No. 303 can pinto beans 3/51; No. 303 can spinach 27 cents; and Mortons frozen TV dinners 49 cents each.

South Plains Iris Society Annual Sale Set

South Plains Iris Society will hold its 20th annual iris sale at the Municipal Garden and Arts Center, 4215 University Avenue, Lubbock, Saturday, July 7th from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

This annual public offering to Lubbock and the surrounding area, presents reasonably priced, beautiful and exotic iris varieties, hand picked by the club and acclimated to the South Plains area soils and weather conditions.

The South Plains Iris Society was organized March 1963 and is affiliated with the American Iris Society, Region 17. New members are always welcome. Meetings are the fourth Monday of each month (February through October) at 7:30 p.m. at the Garden and Arts Center. For further information call Kay Prien at (806)-765-5236.

Golden Gleams

Nothing short of independence, it appears to me, can possibly do.
-George Washington.

Independence forever!
-John Adams.

Follow your own path, no matter what people say.
-Karl Marx.

To be independent is the business of a few only; it is the privilege of the strong.
-F.W. Nietzsche.



A PICKIN' AND A GRINNIN'--One event that drew a large number of spectators in Suda Saturday was the Old Time Fiddlers Contest. Here, Jack Dyer of Plainview is accompanied as the longtime fiddler vies for the award.

5. Name three U.S. presidents born in July.

Answers to Who Knows

1. The flower is Larkspur.
2. The stone is ruby.
3. Diamonds, rubies, sapphires and emeralds.
4. Fifty-six.
5. John Quincy Adams, Calvin Coolidge and Gerald R. Ford.



WHO KNOWS

1. What is the flower for the month of July?
2. What is the birthstone of July?
3. Name four precious stones.
4. How many signed the Declaration of Independence?

Happy Birthday Cath -



The Gang

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ANCHOR BROTHERS BAND PERFORMS AT CELEBRATIONS--Sudan's own well-known Anchor Brothers Band, a gospel singing group, performed for the Sudan annual celebration Saturday afternoon and evening, then went to Olton for a concert at a celebration there on Saturday night. They performed during the Muleshoe Independence Day Celebration Wednesday.

Say It Deliciously With Beef Steak On The Grill

A beef steak dinner can say a lot of things--congratulations, welcome home, happy birthday or we're proud of you, to name a few. But no matter what sentiment you want to express, the underlying message will be "You and this occasion are special."

To let those gathered around your table know just how special you think they are, treat them to prestigious top loin steaks, cooked to perfection on the grill. Cut from the beef short loin section, these steaks are naturally tender, juicy and offer satisfying beef flavor in every bite.

While steak on the grill is one of the most impressive entrees you can serve, it is also one of the easiest. The secret to success is a good fire that gives off even, moderate heat. For steak cooked just the way you like, be sure to pay careful attention to distance from heat and follow the cooking times recommended in the recipe.

Another message you convey with steak on the menu is that you care enough to serve one of the most nutritious foods available. Packed with high quality protein, B-vitamins and minerals, beef is an important part of a well-balanced diet that should also include fruits and vegetables, dairy products and breads and cereals. To fill the menu's vegetable slot with unique appeal, serve the steak with fresh zucchini and carrot salad that's stuffed with walnuts and marinated in a mustard and dill dressing.

Broiled Top Loin Steaks
Beef top loin steaks, Salt and pepper, cut 1 to 1 1/2 inches thick

Place steaks on grill over ash-covered coals so 1-inch steaks are 2 to 3 inches from coals and 1 1/2-inch steaks are 3 to 4 inches from coals. Broil at moderate temperature. When first sides are browned, turn and season with salt and pepper and finish cooking the second sides. Turn and season. Steaks cut 1 inch thick require about 12 to 15 minutes for rare and 18 to 20 minutes for medium. Steaks cut 1 1/2 inches thick require 22 to 25 minutes for rare and 28 to 30 minutes for medium.

Service...

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soil root zone at one-foot intervals to a depth of four feet. Readings taken with a meter which measures electrical resistivity will indicate to the producer of the amount of moisture in the soil and readings taken over a period of time will show the producer the rate at which his crop is using moisture.

Once information on current moisture levels and the rate of use by the plant is known, decisions as to when to irrigate and the amount of water which needs to be applied can be made.

Anyone interested in purchasing and using the moisture blocks and meters should contact your County Soil and Water Conservation District, the local office of the High Plains Water District or the Water District's Lubbock office at 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock 79405, or telephone 806-762-0181.

Note: Steaks can be cooked on rack in broiler pan. In this case, turn steaks after seasoning browned sides.

Crunchy Carrot-Zucchini Salad
2 medium zucchini, cut into julienne strips*
2 medium carrots, cut into julienne strips*

1/2 cup coarsely chopped walnuts
3 tablespoons oil
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 tablespoon chopped chives
2 teaspoons Dijon-style mustard
2 teaspoons sugar
1/2 teaspoon dill weed
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper

Place zucchini, carrots and walnuts in medium-sized bowl. Thoroughly combine oil, lemon juice, chives, mustard, sugar, dill weed, salt and pepper. Add dressing to vegetables, stirring to coat. Cover and refrigerate about 2 hours before serving. 4 servings.

*Vegetables may be prepared in food processor fitted with a square julienne disc. See instruction book for directions.

Local Students

On Honor List

At WT University

Five West Texas State University students from Muleshoe have been named to the Dean's List honor roll for the spring semester.

The Dean's List which has students whose grade point averages are 3.25 or higher on a 4.0 scale includes Timmy James, senior physical education major and son of Willie and Laverne James; Tena Landers, junior secretarial studies major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landers; Mary Mata, junior computer information systems major; Walter Precure sophomore industrial technology major, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Precure and Laura Ramos, sophomore elementary education major, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Ramos.



BEAUTIES ENTERED IN PARADE--All the fellows noticed these two young beauties during the Pioneer, Independence Day Parade in Sudan. They are the Sudan Lions Club Sweetheart and Queen.

Weed Control

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proved by doubling back on the same rows thus wiping the chemical onto the weeds from both directions.

In fields where herbicides applied pre-plant or pre-emergence are showing signs of breaking down, additional chemicals can be applied to insure season long control. Again, post-directed applications of Caparol or Karmex can be used to control emerged weeds as well as those that will germinate later.

Dual may be applied post emergency, over-the-top or as a directed spray when cotton is in the first true leaf stage to six inches tall to control annual grasses, volunteer sorghum, pigweed and yellow nutsedge. Since Dual has no foliar activity, it must be applied and incorporated before the weeds germinate and emerge. Shallow incorporation is recommended and can be accomplished by rainfall, sprinkler irrigation, sweep or rolling cultivators or "knifing" during or shortly after application.

Also, Treflan can be applied post emergence (over-the-top) in cotton after it has reached the four true-leaf stage to control annual weeds and grasses. This chemical must be

applied before weeds germinate and be incorporated within 24-hours after application using one pass with a sweep-type or rolling cultivator. Wheat or barley can be planted in the fall following this application at the recommended rates.

Fusilade and Poast can be used to control emerged grassy weeds such as barnyard-grass, volunteer sorghums (sudan-grass, hay grazer, etc.) johnsongrass and even bermudagrass. The herbicides can be applied over-the-top of cotton to control grasses in their early stages of development (i.e. johnsongrass, six to 10 inches tall).

Delaying the treatments until the grasses begin to boot and head not only reduces control levels but also allows the weeds to use up precious moisture and nutrients. A second application may also be required to provide permanent control of perennial grasses.

MSMA can also be applied over-the-top of cotton to control some weeds (including newly emerged cocklebur), grasses and nutsedge. Since MSMA does have an effect on cotton (slow growth, causes redding of stems and may result in leaf burn if applied when temperatures exceed the high 80's) it's post emergence usage is labeled as a "salvage operation" and even then it must be applied before cotton begins to square.

Finally, spot treatments with a one to two percent Roundup solution can effectively combat perennial or even annual weed problems. Whiteweeds, lake-weeds, johnsongrass, cocklebur, devil's claw and pie melon are among the species that can be controlled with this treatment.

Sudan...

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Twirlers and Joyce Pratt won a ceiling fan, given by the Lion's Club.

Also, Dorman Walter won an AM/FM Radio, given by the Young Homemakers; Ruby Shannon won the Quilt given by the Senior Citizens and Cletis Holloman won the one-half beef given by the Senior Citizens.

The evening wound up with a barbecue and street dance.

World court tells U.S. to leave Nicaragua alone.

AT&T ordered to cut long-distance rates by 6.1% by FCC.

Blocks...

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cent of water can be determined. With a little practice and patience, anyone can do this.

Today, there are instruments available that can increase the accuracy of estimating moisture amounts. Gypsum blocks and tensiometers, when used properly can be very dependable. Here in Bailey County where we have sandier soils than some surrounding counties, gypsum blocks are not as effective as tensiometers, which are more suited to this area.

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Leader of Tomorrow--Michael Haralson is an eighth grader at Watson Junior High and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haralson. Michael participates in football and basketball. Michael and his parents moved to Muleshoe last year from Las Vegas, N.M. He received a Certificate of Merit Award at the 1984 Scholastic Arts Competition in Amarillo. As hobbies Michael collects comic books. His prize addition to his collection is No. 162 Marvel Comic "X-Man". We salute this young man as a Leader of Tomorrow.

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Former President To Visit Lubbock For Larry Combest

Nineteenth District Congressional Candidate Larry Combest is pleased to announce that Former President Gerald R. Ford will be in Lubbock in behalf of the Larry Combest for Congress campaign.

Combest made the announcement Friday following official confirmation that President Ford will be arriving in Lubbock July 27, 1984.

"President Ford has graciously accepted the invitation to come to Lubbock in my behalf," Combest said. "I feel extremely honored he has agreed to attend and I look forward to his arrival," Combest said.

President Ford will arrive in Lubbock on Friday, July 27. Upon arrival he and Combest will hold a news conference fol-

lowed by a reception and a dinner that evening.

At a later date, the Combest for Congress campaign will release final details of the upcoming events.

Combest is seeking the seat being vacated by Kent Hance who chose to run for the U.S. Senate in August, 1983.

"I look forward to the upcoming election in November," said Combest. "I have been campaigning new for sixteen months and intend to work even harder these next five months," Combest said.

"As I stated when I first announced for this seat, no one will out work me," said Combest.

"The people of the 19th District of Texas deserve a strong, conservative representative in Washington. I can hit

the ground running as the new Congressman due to my experience and qualifications," Combest said.

Combest served with United States Senator John Tower in Washington handling agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Services office administering the farm program. In addition, Larry Combest spent the first 27 years of his life on a farm here in West Texas.

Combest launched his electronic distributorship business in Lubbock upon leaving Tower's staff to return to West Texas.

SANDHILLS PHILOSOPHER

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sandy Creek writes about columnists and the Olympics, one or the other, this week.

Dear Editor: Without even trying, a columnist for the Washington Post has caused the government of Bolivia to withdraw from the Olympics, which brings up some interesting ideas.

The columnist thought he was being funny-- an illusion many columnists labor under-- but Bolivia considered he was being insulting and immediately withdrew its athletes. The columnist apologized but it didn't do any good.

You'll never catch me in such a fix, as I don't believe anybody in Bolivia reads my column. What's the Journal's circulation down there?

Aside from the trouble a columnist can get into when he tries to be funny, excusing those who're funny when they're trying to be serious, the incident opens up some possibilities.

Is there some country whose athlete is a cinch to win the shotput? Get that Washington columnist to write a funny column and get him withdrawn from the Olympics.

If there are very many other countries whose athletes we need to get withdrawn, you'll need to understand this will put an insurmountable burden on columnists trying to write a funny column. There are far more countries on earth than



REDNECKS WIN THIRD PLACE--In a tense sudden-death playoff, the Rednecks dropped to third place in the Mule Putt Golf Tournament at the miniature golf course Thursday. Ending the regular tournament at 846, they tied at 203 in the playoff on the fourth hole by one stroke. The youngest player in the tournament was two year old Christi Adrian. Members of the Rednecks were Sean Shipman, Garry Shipman, Gerry Pierce and James Elder.

Local FFA Will Attend Convention At Lubbock

Six thousand Texas FFA members and guests are expected to attend the 56th Annual Convention of the Texas Association of Future Farmers of America, July 11-13, 1984, at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

The FFA is composed of students who are studying vocational agriculture in the public schools in preparation for a variety of careers in Agriculture and Agribusiness. Vocational Agriculture is well known for providing learning experiences to students through the FFA with the theme this year "Keeping America On The Grow." The ultimate objective is to produce future leaders for American agriculture with its vital role of producing food and fiber. Texas now has more than 900 FFA chapters with over 60,000 active members and more than 500,000 former members.

Brad Bass, state president

West Plains Hospital Report

PATIENTS IN WEST PLAINS MEDICAL CENTER

June 29--Larry Vaughn, Jake Andringa, Louise Ammons, Flois Totten, Harold Gable, Carmen Galvan, Mozelle Rippee, Harold King, A.J. Commons, Andrew Ruiz, J.E. Wilhite, Darla Bernal and Rosalinda Toscano.

June 30--Jake Andringa, Louise Ammons, Enrique Lopez, Harold Gable, Carmen Galvan, Mozelle Rippee, Harold King, A.J. Commons, Andrew Ruiz, Iva Vinson, and J.E. Wilhite.

July 1--Josephine Pedroza, Jake Andringa, Louise Ammons, Enrique Lopez, Harold Gable, Carmen Galvan, Mozelle Rippee, Harold King, A.J. Commons, Iva Vinson, Pam Haseloff and J.E. Wilhite.

July 2--Jake Andringa, Iva Vinson, Louise Ammons, Enrique Lopez, Harold Gable, Carmen Galvan, Mozelle Rippee, Harold King, A.J. Commons, and J.E. Wilhite.

During the convention, over 2,000 award winners will be recognized with more than 1,700 members receiving the Lone Star Farmer Degree, the highest level of recognition by the state association. Educational scholarships totalling more than \$450,000 will be presented to many of the members in attendance.

Durwin Hill, Executive Secretary, reports that deserving adults who have supported the FFA and its activities will be recognized by the presentation of Honorary State Farmer Degrees, Distinguished Service Awards, and VIP Awards.

Outstanding speakers scheduled during the three-day convention include State Senator Bill Sarpalius, Amarillo, Texas; Dan Clark, nationally known motivational speaker, Salt Lake City, Utah; and Bill Caraway, National FFA Secretary, Clovis, New Mexico.

from Mount Vernon, Texas, will preside at the general sessions. These sessions will include the election of the 1984-85 state president from the state officer candidates nominated by the 10 area associations. From 10 area nominees, voting delegates will also select the state FFA sweetheart to represent the state association during 1984-85. Those in attendance will hear and recognize the Outstanding Public Speaker who will represent Texas at the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Missouri.

Recreational activities will include the Fun Night and Talent Contest where the delegates will select the Outstanding Talent Team from 10 area nominees.

The Texas FFA Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting on Thursday afternoon along with the State FFA Convention. In addition, the alumni will host a reception for the past state FFA officers and participate in the presentation of its publicity award.

Convention participants will have the opportunity to visit with approximately 60 commercial exhibitors to observe methods, products, and equipment in the agribusiness industry.

funny columnists. By the way, what sort of column do you suppose it'd take to get a country mad enough not only to withdraw its athletes from the Olympics but also its request for a loan from Washington? Yours faithfully, J.A.

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<p>ARKLA Arkla aluminum grills are feature-packed for all the pleasures of cooking out with easy-cleaning porcelain enameled cast-iron cooking grids, up-front control center, stainless steel H-shaped burners, and natural lava rocks.</p> <p>ARKLA GRB40-EU Real value for big families. 374 sq. in. cooking grid with 186 sq. in. elevated chrome wire cooking surface, independent dual controls for each side of burner, and lid-mounted heat indicator.</p> <p>ONLY \$10.91 PER MONTH*</p> <p>List Price \$383.00 Less 20% -76.60 306.40 5% Sales Tax 15.32 Plus Installation 321.72 +CASH PRICE \$337.52 +BUDGET PRICE* \$396.78</p> <p>Budget terms: no down payment, \$10.91 per month for 36 months.</p>	<p>DUCANE 2002 Three burners -- two for grilling and one Rotis-A-Grate vertical burner for roasting. 310 sq. in. porcelainized-steel cooking grid, 108 sq. in. chrome warming rack, automatic igniter, rotating motor and cast-in Vermont Maple side shelf.</p> <p>ONLY \$15.76 PER MONTH*</p> <p>List Price \$475.00 Less 20% -95.00 380.00 5% Sales Tax 19.00 Plus Installation 399.00 70.00 +CASH PRICE \$469.00 +BUDGET PRICE* \$567.36</p> <p>Budget terms: no down payment, \$15.76 per month for 36 months.</p>	<p>DUCANE 4000 Two burners -- one main and one Rotis-A-Grate vertical burner, electronic ignition, 310 sq. in. porcelainized-steel cooking grid, rotating motor and cast-in packaged in an elegant cart with large storage area, redwood-stained side shelf, heavy-duty dual wheels, and connection hose.</p> <p>ONLY \$22.80 PER MONTH*</p> <p>List Price \$754.00 Less 20% -150.80 603.20 5% Sales Tax 30.16 Plus Installation 633.36 +CASH PRICE \$673.36 +BUDGET PRICE* \$801.80</p> <p>Budget terms: no down payment, \$22.80 per month for 36 months.</p>

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H. M. GABLE

H.M. Gable Funeral Services Held Wednesday

Funeral services for H. M. Gable, 83, were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 4, at the Chapel of the Chimes, with David Cox, Church of Christ minister from Anton performing the services.

18. LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BAILEY NOTICE OF SALE KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT

Whereas, on the 1st day of March 1983, A.L. "Roy" Hartzog, Bovina, Texas, executed and delivered to Dent-Rempe, Inc., Muleshoe, Texas, Seller, a certain Variable Rate Loan Contract and Security Agreement which was subsequently remitted to John Deere Company, Lender, and thereon mortgaged the following described property, to wit:

1-JD 484 Cotton Stripper, S/N 1890

The maker of the Variable Rate Loan Contract and Security Agreement has defaulted in compliance with the terms of said Agreement. John Deere Company, the owner and holder of said Variable Rate Loan Contract and Security Agreement on account thereof, is offering said property for sale in accordance with the terms of said Variable Rate Loan Contract and Security Agreement. John Deere Company reserves the right to bid.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of July 1984 at 10:30 a.m. of said date, John Deere Company will offer for sale at Dent-Rempe, Inc., Muleshoe, Texas, to the highest bidder the above described property.

Conditions and Terms of Sale: All items will be sold "As-is" and in their present condition. NO GUARANTEE OR WARRANTY OF ANY NATURE, EITHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, is made. Any statement of description is for identification only and not a warranty or representation. All goods are subject to redemption prior to sale. The terms of the sale are cash. The high bidder must submit certified funds (Bank money order or cashier's check) for the full purchase price at the time of sale. All bids must be submitted in person; all sales are for cash and are final. Individual buyers may be required to pay any applicable sales tax on the sales (purchase) price. John Deere Company reserves the right to bid.

To determine the highest bidder, the seller will take bids on each individual item of equipment, sell same conditionally as single units, and shall then sell all this property as a single unit and shall then aggregate individual bids or the simple unit bid.

Additional information concerning the security interest held by John Deere Company in the above described collateral may be obtained from: JOHN DEERE COMPANY FINANCIAL SERVICES P.O. BOX 20598 DALLAS, TEXAS 75220 Witness our hands this 15th day of June 1984. JOHN DEERE COMPANY BY: W.J. YOUNG

d18-27t-2tc

Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

A resident of Bailey County since 1929, Gable died Monday, June 2 at West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe.

He was born December 10, 1900 in Finley, Ohio and moved to Bailey County from Pampa.

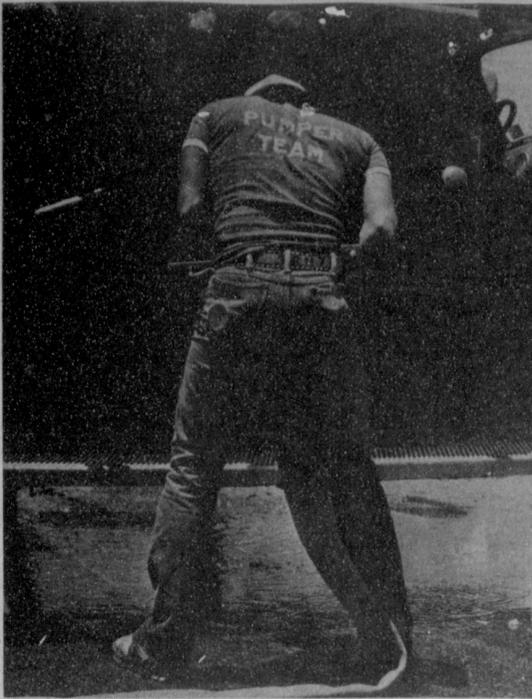
He was a farmer and a cattleman and a member of the Methodist Church. Gable was married to Odessa Linville on October 9, 1980 in Las Vegas, Nev.

His survivors include three sons, Francis Harold Gable of Levelland and Bill and Bob Gable, both of Muleshoe; one daughter, Mrs. Dortha Humiston Smith of Muleshoe; three sisters, Mrs. Gladys Cole, Mulvane, Kansas; and Mrs. Parks and Mrs. Mary King, both of Arlington; one brother, W. F. Gable of Fort Worth; 13 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

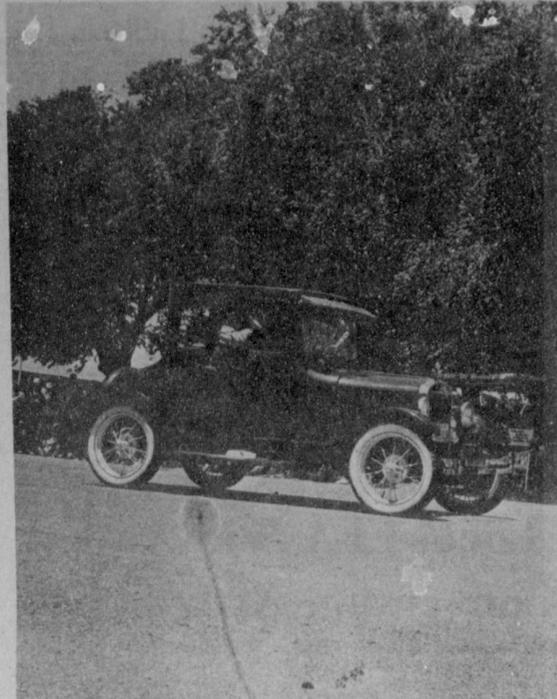
Why not make up your mind to do something every day to improve yourself?

Someone has rightly said that a bigamist is one who loves, not wisely, but too well.

Never get the idea that all people have to think alike, act alike and believe alike.



LOCAL FIRE CHIEF ENTERS PUMPER RACE--Muleshoe Fire Chief Jack Dunham is seen working hard to connect the large hose to the truck during pumper relay races at the Sudan celebration last Saturday.



OLD CARS FEATURED IN PARADE--One segment of a parade always popular in this part of the country was the old time car division. This car drew lots of o-o-h's and a-a-h's during a parade in Sudan Saturday afternoon.

Attend The Church Of Your Choice

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
Father Patrick Maher
Northeast of city in Morrison Addition

Calvary Baptist Church
1733 West Ave C
Rev. Darrell Martin

First Baptist Church
220 West Ave. E
Barry Bradley, Pastor

Muleshoe Church of Christ
Clovis Highway

St. John Lutheran
Lariat, Texas
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Worship Service-11:00 a.m.
Herman J. Schelter, Pastor

Primimitive Baptist Church
621 South First
Elder George Johnson

Longview Baptist Church
Phone 946-3413
B.C. Stonecipher, Pastor

16th And Ave. D Church of Christ
James Johnson, Minister
Sunday-10:30 a.m.
Evening-6:00 p.m.
Wednesday-8:00 p.m.

Progree Baptist Church
Donald G. Proctor, Pastor
Progress, Texas

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107 East 3rd
Isaias Cardenas, Pastor

Richland Hills Baptist Church
17th and West Ave. D
Brock Sanders, pastor

Primera Iglesia Bautista
East 3rd and Ave. E
Roy Martinez, Pastor

Trinity Baptist Church
314 East Ave. B
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East 6th and Ave. F
Luis Campos, Pastor

Muleshoe Baptist Church
8th and Ave. G
Bob Dodd, Pastor

United Pentecostal Gospel Lighthouse Church
207 East Ave G
Rev. Don Green

Templo Calvario
507 South Main
Sunday-10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening-7:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Services
J.L. Soto, Pastor

First United Methodist Church
507 West 2nd, Muleshoe
Bill Kent, Pastor

Progress Second Baptist Church
1st and 3rd Sundays
Clifford Slay, Pastor

The Community Church
Morton Highway
H.D. Hunter, Pastor

Latin American Methodist Mission
5th and Ave D
Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor

First Christian Church
130 West Ave. G
Dick Tarr, Pastor
Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Worship-11:00 a.m.

Church Of The Nazarene
9th and Ave. C
Jimmie Williams, Pastor

First Assembly of God
521 South First
Rev. Steve Davis

New Covenant Church
Plainview Highway
Sunday-10:00 a.m.
Wednesday-7:00 p.m.
Jimmy Lowe, Pastor

St. Matthew Baptist Church
Corner of West Boston and West Birch
M.S. Brown, Pastor

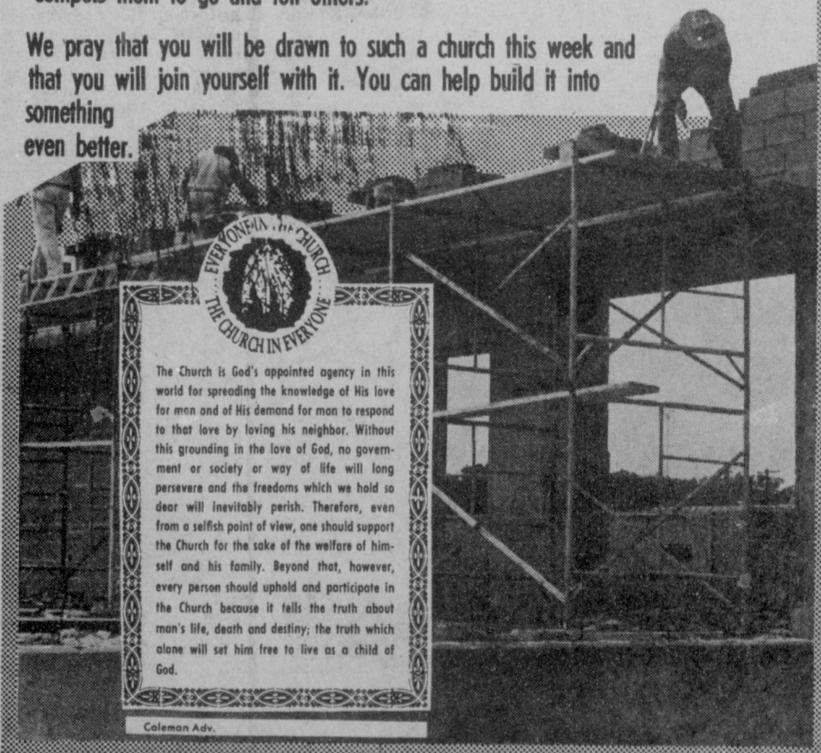
Jehovah Witness
Friona Highway
Boyd Lowery, Pastor

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Perhaps you glance at the church on the corner once in a while and wonder what it would be like to visit during a service. What is it that draws those people to that particular building every week? What built that church?

The only possible answer is - the love of God. Their love of God prompted them to sacrifice and to give so that the sanctuary might be built. The love of God compels them to meet there with others who serve Him. Their love of God compels them to go and tell others.

We pray that you will be drawn to such a church this week and that you will join yourself with it. You can help build it into something even better.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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CUSTOM BALING & Stacking. 3 balers, 3 trucks, Ask for Leo Chavez 272-4768. c1-19t-tfc

CUSTOM CONCRETE WORK-- foundations, patios and sidewalks. Bailey and Farmer counties. Call Gary Font Construction Co. 247-2579 Friona. fl-27s-6tc

CONCERNED about someone's drinking **HELP IS AVAILABLE** through Al-Anon Call 227-2350 or 965-2870 or Call 227-2350 or come to visit Tuesday nights. 8:00 p.m. at 1116 W. American Boulevard, Muleshoe.

3. HELP WANTED

TELEPHONE SURVEY WORKERS needed part time to update the Muleshoe City Directory. Work at home. Send name, address & telephone number in your handwriting to: Muleshoe, Survey, 2108 Redbud, Odessa, Tx. 79761. j3-17t-tfc

PROCESS MAIL AT HOME \$75.00 per hundred! No Experience/ Part or full time. Start Details - send - self - addressed stamped envelope to C.R.I. 5288, P.O. Box 3149, Stuart, FL 334-95. c3-26t-4tp

WANTED woman full time to live in & take care of elderly woman. Room & board plus wages. Phone 272-4764. w3-26t-tfc

SECRETARY (No Bookkeeping). Previous experience required. Type 50 wpm minimum. Must pass clerical exam. Health Insurance and retirement benefits. Starting salary 3.85 to 5.00 per hour depending on experience and quality of skills. Send resume c/o Box 69, Muleshoe, 79347. m3-26s-2tc

EXPERIENCED farm worker wanted. Top wages paid. 965-2259 or 272-3257. t3-25s-tfc

WANT TO HIRE Lady to serve as nursery attendant at Calvary Baptist Church. Call 272-4012 for interview. c3-27t-4tc

URGENTLY NEED Dependable Person who can work without supervision in Muleshoe area. Regardless of experience. Write A.P. Pate, President, Royal Oil Company, Box 646, Ft. Worth, Texas, 76101. r3-27t-1ctcs

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8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE - Nice country home. 3 bdrm, 2 bath, fireplace, new carpet and drapes, fenced back yard, double garage. Call 925-6742 after 8 p.m. m8-25s-tfc

FOR SALE By Owner - 2100 sq. ft., 3 bdrm, 1 3/4 bath, new formica counter tops, built in cooking, dishwasher, ceiling fans, 2 storage houses. Quiet neighborhood. Priced in the 40's Call 272-3304 for appointment. a8-24s-tfc

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80 Acres, 2 wells, 1 electric motor, wheat crop grows. West of Muleshoe on highway. Owner says sell. *****

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320 Acres. 3-8 inch wells, 2 electric circle sprinklers approx. 200 ft. fot water, approx. 200 ft. to water. Owner says sell immediately. Bargain farm in Pleasant Valley area. 8-23s-tfc

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9. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

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FOR SALE: 1973 15 ft. Red Dale Travel Trailer. Sleeps 6, Used very little, still in excellent condition. Has a 2-Way Refrigerator. For more information call 272-4343 after 6 p.m. m9-25t-tfc

FOR SALE: 1979 Honda Motorcycle XL500S. Model 1600 miles, mint condition, like new. Call 965-2302. w9-27s-tfc

10. FARM EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 230 ft. setting Peerless Pump. 4 stage 700 gal. Peerless Bowls in good shape. Phone 272-5035 m10-25s-1mc

FOR SALE: Avenger 3 Wheel Hoe Hands with spray tanks attached. Call First National Bank. 272-4515. 10-21t-tfc

11. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE - 1980 Kawasaki-1300 In excellent condition. New paint job 1983. If you are looking for size, comfort and performance, don't miss this one. 272-5549 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. b11-26s-tfc

FOR SALE: Brand new 10 tower electric center pivot, \$21,500.00, slightly used 8 inch Hastings Surge Valve, \$750.00. 272-5134. p11-26s-4tc

5 IRRIGATED FARMS For Sale - Terms. Call 272-5035. g11-20t-tfc

FOR SALE: New John Deere 624 Rotary Tiller. Won in drawing, never used. Make an offer 946-3617. s11-26s-4tc

4 SPACES - Memorial Park Reduced for quick sale. Call 946-3472. o11-26s-tfc

FOR SALE: 23 ft. travel trailer, Red Dale, good condition. Phone 272-4335. j11-27t-2tp

BOAT FOR SALE: 16 ft. Glass-tron, in board / out board, 302 Ford. Must sell. 925-6498. h11-27s-4tc

PIANO FOR SALE: Wanted: Responsible party to assume small monthly payments on spinet / console piano. Can be seen locally. Write: (include phone number) Credit Manager P.O. Box 478 Lockhart, Texas 78644-0478. i11-27t-6ctcs

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13. PROPERTY FOR LEASE

FOR RENT: Old Chevrolet building. 3600 t sq. ft. office space, 10,000 t sq. ft. warehouse. Can be rented separately. See Roy Whitt Phone 272-3058. w13-23s-tfc

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16. LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE: 2 South down Rams. Call 965-2806. c16-26t-4tc

Enochs News
 by Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Clyde Price was a patient in the Littlefield Medical Center Tuesday till Saturday. He underwent some surgery. *****

Rev. and Mrs. Mike Heady Travis and Keri also her brother and family from Grandberry, Texas returned home from their vacation last Sunday and her brother and family left after lunch Monday. *****

Scott Peterson of Hillsboro, Texas is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Peterson. *****

 Guests in the home of Mrs. Etta Layton during the weekend was a son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Layton of Dell City, Robert Layton, Stacy Blasingame of Perryton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nichols, Kristen and Landon of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton. *****

Due to Rev. Charlie Shaw's health he is retiring from the Ministry at Seminole, they gave him a fellowship and a money tree at their Church Saturday eve, he was the former pastor of Enochs, Baptist Church for several years. *****

Mrs. Winnie Byars attended the Three Way home coming at Levelland Saturday night and her granddaughter, Dana Sue Parr of Lubbock came home with her. *****

 Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday morning were, Mrs. Harold Layton, and Robert Stacy Blasingam, Scott Peterson, and Dena Sue Parr. *****

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