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CHEERLEADERS WIN RIBBONS AT CAMP...Muleshoe's cheerleaders returned recently from the Universal Cheerleader School at North Texas State University at Denton with the spirit stick they won every night. They also won a superior every night and were rated excellent in pom poms. They were second among the six teams chosen from the 31 teams present for district champions. Fayetteville, Arkansas was rated first and Muleshoe second. Pictured from left, standing, are Annie Kirvin, Sandy Dunbar, Glenda Rasco, Becky Turner, Gina Burden and JoRonda Rhodes. Seated is Shelly Dunham, Mule mascot. Note the hands with the "I" finger extended.

Manage: To Prevent Farm And Ranch Accidents

By: Spencer Tankaley, County Extension Agent

Today's farmer wears many hats. Depending on his operation he is a buyer, seller, laborer, chemist, animal nutri-

tionist, soil scientist, crop specialist, engineer, mechanic, machine operator, electrician...He is also a husband, father, handy man, chauffeur, friend, neighbor, customer, consumer, citizen, voter, and more. But unless he is a good manager, he will be less than successful in many of these roles, particularly those that relate to running a profitable agricultural enterprise.

Successful management of thousands upon thousands of dollars worth of land, machinery, buildings, and animals takes broad knowledge, skill, resourcefulness, and plain hard work. The farmer or rancher must get the most out of his

capital and labor, and deal with the ups and downs of the marketplace. Decision-making is an everyday process, and the "Batting average" must be pretty good if he is to stay in business and support his family in satisfactory styles.

But, the sun doesn't always shine on us. Many things can intervene to disrupt plans and set us back. Among the headaches the farmer often must cope with are bad weather, lack of competent help, disease, and the cost-price squeeze. And not the least of these disruptions, and many times the most costly, are accidents. They play havoc with schedules, strip away time

and money, torpedo profits, and may even destroy the enterprise as well as people dependent on it. Perhaps the farmer can't do much about the weather, but he certainly can do a lot to prevent accidental injuries.

Many business and industrial organizations have developed outstanding safety programs that have paid off in far fewer injury and property damage accidents, and the savings usually exceed the investment many times over. Therefore, shouldn't the farmer do likewise and build a methodical, on-farm safety program of his own, a program designed to minimize hazards and human errors in his operation? In this day of big investment, but often low-marg-in farming, he simply cannot afford not to.

Accident prevention must be a farm management goal, preferably expressed in a plan tailor-made to the operation. The farmer or rancher must be informed about safety and know the applicable safe practices, also the requirements of laws concerning safety and health, and employment of labor. He should routinely inspect all

Kiwanis Vote Contribution For New Lights

Following a presentation by Tommy Black, executive director of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, the Muleshoe Kiwanis Club voted to contribute \$1,000 toward the purchase of new Christmas lights and decorations for the city.

Black showed the new lights, which will be mounted to light poles, and the proposal is to install the new decorations on Main Street, First Street and American Boulevard.

"We hope the people in the community will be interested enough to help on this," said a Kiwanis spokesman. "With the help of the city, each service club, merchant and interested people of the community, this project can be met with no strain on anyone."

President Gary Dale announced that the Kiwanis State Convention this year will be in Amarillo, August 2-4. It was also announced that Kiwanian Raymond Schroeder is moving to Hereford.

Building Permits Pass \$1.5 Million For Year

Home Construction Largest Increase

Carrie Been Named Earth Rodeo Queen

After several hundred people lined the streets of Earth, Thursday afternoon, in near 100 degree temperature to watch the annual rodeo parade, a near capacity crowd attended the first night of the 34th annual Earth Rodeo in the arena just west of Earth.

Colorful floats, well-drilled riding clubs, decorated bicycles and motorcycles, beauties and dancers wended their way down Highway 70 to the rodeo grounds.

Carrie Been was the highlight of the beginning of the rodeo as

she was named 1978-79 Rodeo Queen. She is the 15 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Been and was escorted by her father.

She was crowned by outgoing queen, Wendy Branscum, who relinquished her leather, hand-tooled banner and queen's hat band to the new queen.

First runner-up in the contest was Carla Taylor and second runner-up was Petra Lewis. Other contestants included Sheryl Clayton, Michele McCarty, Teresa Ott, Lesa Templeton and Stephanie Tunnell.

Awarded first place in the float division was a colorful float entered by the Earth Young Homemakers; second was the Dimmitt Promenaders and third was the First Baptist Church float with a theme of "Old Time Religion."

Denny Baca won first place in the decorated bicycle division.

Trophies for riding clubs went to the Lubbock Saddle Club for first place and the Lamb County Sheriff's Posse for second place in the senior division and to

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Police Report

Officers found broken windows on the north side of junior high school, one night this week.

Juan Reyes Jr. was treated at West Plains Medical Center early Sunday morning for stab wounds received in an altercation Saturday night. Investigation showed the incident took place in Parmer County.

George Green, minister of the Pentecostal church, reported the battery stolen from the church bus and Mrs. David Pedroza reported a stolen shotgun.

Firemen were called to two pasture fires during the week, one on the Chester Farms, north of Sudan and the other southwest of Muleshoe.

Arrests during the week included three persons on drunk charges; two illegal aliens; and one each for possession of marijuana, revocation of probation and contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Grand Jury Hears Cases; Indicts Six

Members of the grand jury heard evidence and indicted six persons during the early part of this week.

Marvin Sehestedt of Clovis was indicted for "intentionally threatening imminent bodily injury to Susan Murrell." The indictment was a partial outcome of an alleged abduction approximately five and a half miles southeast of Muleshoe on Highway 84, recently.

According to reports, Sehestedt forced a car driven by Susan Murrell off the road and after knocking out a window, displayed a handgun while taking his wife out of the vehicle.

He is being charged in New Mexico on the kidnapping charge.

Also indicted were Mike Rodriguez and Eloy Gloria on a charge of unlawfully entering a building owned by Les Mills; James Ray Clayton on a charge of rate; and Lorraine Bachicha and William Hern, each on two counts of burglarizing the Baileyboro home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson.

Another charged in the Watson burglary, a juvenile, was taken to a Brownwood detention home by Deputy Sheriff Monte Phipps and Bailey County Judge Glen Williams this week.

Lee Elder Signs With South Plains

A distance runner from Muleshoe and a hurdler specialist have signed with the South Plains College track team.

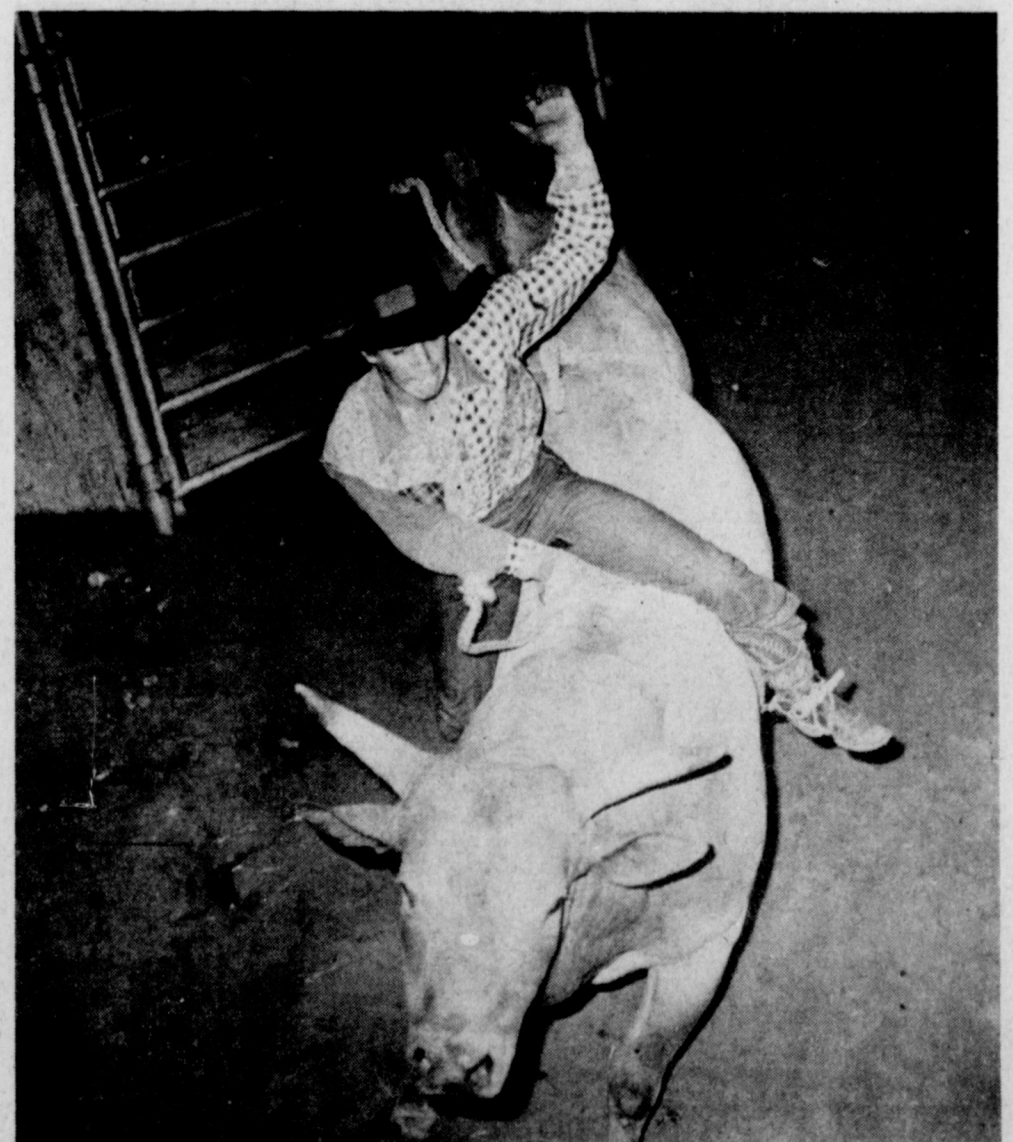
Lee Elder, 1978 graduate of Muleshoe High School, is a 5 foot, 10 inch, 150 pounder who concentrates on the mile run. Elder has posted a time of 4:23 in that event. He was also district 3-AA and Region I-AA champion in the mile run. In addition, Elder finished second in the state AA meet in the mile run.

SPC Coach Clint Ramsey spoke of Elder saying, "Lee is a great prospect. He has run a 4:23 mile and has not done the extensive long distance work most milers have. He has a great future as a college runner and will be a tremendous asset to our team."

Darrell Nettles from Baton Rouge, La., specializes in high and low hurdle events. The Lee High School product has recorded times of 14:00 seconds in the 120-yard high hurdles and 18.6 seconds—in the 180-yard low hurdles.

Nettles has also posted a 39.1 time in the 330 yard intermediate hurdles, and ran the mile relay with a time of 48.1 seconds.

Coach Ramsey noted, "Darrell will be a great asset to our team both as a hurdler and relay man. His times in both the high and low hurdles make him a great prospect as a college hurdler and his mile relay times are very good."



HANG ON TIGHT...Not until the last riders Thursday night did someone finally stick on the back of a pitching brahma bull at the annual Earth Rode. Here a rider is shown just before he was pitched off, beating the eight second buzzer to the ground. The three day rodeo which was completed with a 9 p.m. performance Saturday, July 22, saw a lot of hard riding and good action.



RODEO QUEEN...Carrie Dawn Been, 15 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Been was crowned the 34th annual Rodeo Queen at Earth Thursday night. First runner-up was Carla Taylor and second runner up was Petra Lewis.

Postmaster Has Tips For Vacation Mail

Making arrangements for holding or forwarding mail prior to leaving home for vacations can save customers a lot of misery and inconvenience. Postmaster Tom Lobaugh reminded local residents today.

"An overflowing mailbox can be an open invitation to burglars," Postmaster Lobaugh

said. "Letting mail or newspapers pile up is advertising the fact that the house or apartment will be empty and unguarded."

Householders should ask a friend or neighbor to check their mailbox daily and to hold their mail until vacation is over.

Or, if they prefer, they can ask the Post Office to hold their mail for up to 30 days, or to forward it to the vacation address.

The postmaster offered these additional tips for taking some of the worry out of vacation planning.

Vacationers should buy enough stamps for scenic postcards and other correspondence before they leave. They may not be conveniently near a post office later.

They should use sufficient postage—ten cents for postcards and 15 cents for letters weighing one ounce or less. For letters weighing more than one ounce, the additional postage is 13 cents an ounce.

Mail should be deposited, when possible, at post offices or in downtown, business district collection boxes, where more frequent pickups are made.

Travelers should be sure they have the addresses and correct ZIP codes for persons with whom they will be corresponding. In fact, the Postmaster says, it might be a good idea to write or type them on envelopes before leaving home, just in case. Envelopes and cards should also bear a return address.

"And, please write legibly," Postmaster Lobaugh concluded.



Mesquite High School trainer, Bucky Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor, of Muleshoe, will be trainer for the North All-Star team in a game scheduled for July 29 at the Astrodome in Houston.

One of the five coaches for the team will be Kenneth Splawn, son of Irene Splawn and the late Howard Splawn. He is a coach at Perryton.

Johanna Wrinkle is a candidate for Eastern New Mexico University's 1978 summer graduation, on Friday, July 28.

She will receive a master of education degree in secondary education and vocational

Bailey County Sheriff Dee Cle-

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Boys Ranch for first place in the junior division.
The annual barbecue was served in the show barns at the rodeo grounds prior to the first night's show, and almost all parade participants and rodeo visitors packed the tables to eat the barbecue and beans, pickles, onions, potato chips and bread before rodeo time. The barbecue is prepared and served each year by the Earth Lions Club.
A slight breeze heralded the approach of the rodeo presenta-

tion, with rodeo announcer Marv Pierce, of Carlsbad, introducing the grand entry, queens and rodeo officials.
High point of the performance was a bull ride made by Taos Cribbs, who made such a good ride, he earned a 74, which is a very high rating in the bull riding.
Another highlight was during the ladies barrel race when a young rider from Tucumcari, N.M., turned in a time of 16.70, which is also a very good ride.
The rodeo continued Friday night, with the concluding performance for 1978, Saturday night at 9 p.m.

Muleshoe...

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ments, who recently returned to Muleshoe from a lengthy hospitalization in Lubbock, is presently a patient in West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe.

Eight MHS-FFA Members Attend State Meeting

Attending the Texas State FFA convention in San Antonio last week were FFA members Sharla Farmer, Denise Hunter, Keith Hawkins, Clayton Ramm, Ken Henderson, Bryce Holmes, Curby Brantley and Clifford Watson.
They were accompanied by the FFA advisors from Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Gentry Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bickel.
Highlights for the local chapter delegation included the awarding of the Lone Star Farmer Degrees to Sharla Farmer, Keith Hawkins, Clayton Ramm and Ken Henderson. The degree is the highest award presented by the state FFA Association to an FFA member.
Sharla was the second place recipient of the State FFA Horse Proficiency Award. Holmes represented the chapter and Area 1 as a member of the Courtesy Corps. Representing the chapter as official voting delegates were Brantley and Watson.

Accidents...

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equipment and facilities for hazards and faults, then make needed corrections without delay. His workers should be trained and competent to safely perform assigned work. He should see that everyone working on his place takes needed precautions before starting the job—for example, that proper equipment is on hand and in good working order, that safety shields are in place, that needed personal protective equipment is worn. He should buy quality products with as much built-in safety and reliability as is currently available. He must also be prepared for medical, accident, fire, and weather emergencies. And as important as anything is that everyone should simply try to do things right—to intentionally work, drive, and play in ways that minimize the risk of injury.
Those of you who work with agricultural producers should do what you can to help make the farms or ranches, homes, places of recreation, and public roads in your area safer and more pleasant for all. Promoting National Farm Safety Week is a good way to start or to continue your safety efforts.

Very few jokes are new, and very few joke tellers are funny.



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Bills to slash state taxes about half a billion dollars were advanced by the House and Senate in first floor action of the special legislative session.
Since each house adopted its own version of the legislation, final action remains incomplete.
These measures were approved by lawmakers:
—Repeat of the state's four cent sales tax on home gas and electric bills.
—An increase in the inheritance tax exemptions from \$25,000 to \$200,000.
Savings to taxpayers under the Senate bills were estimated at \$485 million. Under the House version, savings would total about \$530 million.
The Senate bills allow cities the option of eliminating their local sales tax on home gas and electric bills. The House elected to abolish the local one-cent levy as well as the state tax on home and "mom and pop" small business establishment bills.
The House further tacked a five percent per year inflation provision onto the inheritance tax measure, which would run the exemption to \$322,000 by 1989.
Committee action got underway this week on more complex constitutional changes proposed by Gov. Dolph Briscoe to bring tax relief.
The amendments would limit local property taxes, increase homestead exemptions for school tax purposes, allow citizens to order state tax cuts by election, permit taxing of agricultural land on the basis of productivity and require a two-thirds majority of the legislature on all tax-raising bills.

perintendent was not renewed after it expired June 30, 1977.
A program for 40 pre-kindergarten pupils of South Texas migrants at Texas A&I University, Kingsville, received approval. The program will concentrate on language development, math, reading and other skills to enable the migrant children to keep up in the public school classrooms.

Crime Costly

Organized criminal activity cost Texans \$3.3 billion, according to a Texas Organized Crime Prevention Council report.

The council concluded organized crime continues a major problem in the state. Illegal drug traffic and gambling are the predominant forms in the state, the report maintained.

Fencing stolen merchandise, prostitution, pornography, motor vehicle theft, arson, cargo theft and a variety of fraud schemes are included in the major problem areas.

The report estimated \$328 million worth of property was stolen in Texas last year, with about \$177 million worth recovered.

About 4,500 prostitutes work for organized vice operations in the state, the council report estimated. More than 5,670 arrests were made for prostitution and other commercialized vice during 1977.

AG Opinions

An appropriations bill rider cutting off funds to nearly all county school administrations in Texas January 1 was approved by Attorney General John Hill in a new opinion.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

A preliminary draft of a University of Texas institutional self-study report (with limited exceptions) is available for public inspection under the open records act.

Test scores of teachers as a group (under a personnel classification program), not as individuals, are public under the Open Records Act.

Repeated use of the same jurors in a justice court is not a per se violation of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

The commissioners court, sitting as canvassing board under the alcoholic beverage code, has no legal authority to order a recount of paper ballots in a local option election.

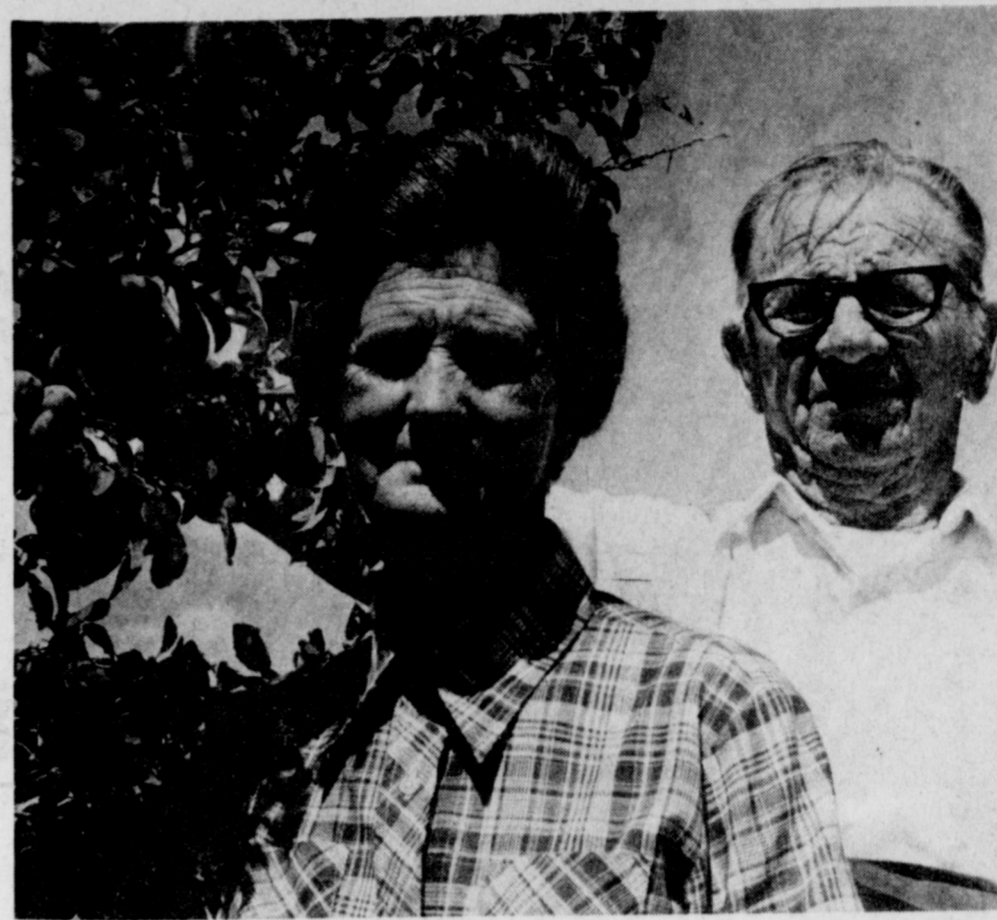
A justice of the peace may not proceed to trial on misdemeanor charges in defendant's absence, where the defendant has not pled guilty or "no-contest" or paid a fine.

Courts Speak

The Third Court of Civil Appeals ruled Texas attorneys general have no authority to sue state agencies to invalidate their decisions.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held John Whitmore is entitled to another trial for capital murder because new testimony of a co-defendant is now available.

The Texas Supreme Court



LOADED PLUM TREE...Mr. and Mrs. H.F. Dyck, 211 West 10th Street, are justifiably proud of their two year old plum trees in their backyard. The eight trees are loaded with plums, which appear to be growing in clusters, like grapes. Mr. and Mrs. Dyck said they put the trees out two years ago, and this is the first crop for the young trees.

turned down a Houston television personality's suit to stop a telephone message being used by the American Nazis offering a bounty on non-whites who attack whites. The court found the message "disgusting" and encouraged local efforts to stop it, however.
The Sunday closing laws have been upheld again by the Supreme Court.
Third Court of Civil Appeals knocked down Comptroller Bob Bullock's attempt to tax bank holding company profits from national banks which they control.

by the U.S. attorney about claimed company expenses.

Democrats launched a telephone drive to raise \$40,000 in small contributions to finance party activities this fall.

Annual Governor's Industrial Expansion Awards for 1977 were earned by Monsanto Chemical Intermediates Company, Chocolate Bayou Plant, Kaspar Wire Works Inc. of Shiner, Bruton Manufacturing Company of Lamesa and Levi Strauss and Company of San Benito.

Leroy Bishaw

Master Sergeant LeRoy F. Bishaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Cofran of Kailua Road, Kailua, Hawaii, has arrived for duty at Peterson AFB, Colorado.

Sergeant Bishaw, a computer systems superintendent with a unit of the Aerospace Defense Command, previously served at Scott AFB, Illinois.

The sergeant is a 1962 graduate of Kailua High School. He attended Belleville Area College and Park College extension at Scott, both in Illinois. His wife,

Reciprocity

A romance of long standing had gone on the rocks, and a friend was questioning the would-be bridegroom.

"Why, after all these years," he inquired, "did you break your engagement to Mary?"

"Well," replied the other sadly, "I only did to the engagement what she did to me."

All liberty is based upon the surrender of individual liberties.

Large-Eyed Needle

It may be hard for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven, but it's easy for him to get on the board of trustees of his church.
-Gospert, Pensacola.



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Miss Sheryl McCamish, Bride-Elect Of Altman, Honored With Shower

Miss Sheryl McCamish, bride-elect of Ronnie Altman, was honored with a bridal shower, July 15, at 3 p.m. at the Muleshoe State Bank Community Room.

Greeting the guests were Miss McCamish, Mrs. Clark McCamish, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Wayland Altman, mother of the prospective groom.

Miss McCamish was presented a corsage of silk flowers in her chosen color of blue.

Gay Pruitt of Morton, cousin of the bride-elect, registered guests.

The table was covered with a light blue table cloth with a white lace overlay. A crystal and brass candelabra adorned with blue silk flowers centered the table. Sheila Hunt, Debbie Hall, and Mitzi, sister of the prospective groom, served banana punch, finger sandwiches, mints, and assorted cookies.

Mrs. J.B. Carter, Sr., grandmother of the honoree, of Morton, was a special guest. Special out-of-town guests were, Mrs. Truman Broughton, Mrs. Karen Bentley, Mrs. Lynn Broughton and Sheila, Mrs. Bud Carter, Michelle and Kim, all of Odessa; Mrs. Charles Carter and Stephanie of Midland; Mrs. Ed Pruitt and Gay of Morton; Mrs. J.B. Carter, Jr., and Beverly Carter, both of New York City, N.Y.

The hostesses presented Miss McCamish with a four piece



MISS SHERYL McCAMISH

place setting and a cream and sugar set of the honoree's chosen Ironstone dinnerware.

Hostesses for the shower were, Mrs. Claude D. Holmes, Mrs. Gary Dale, Mrs. Francis Gilbreath, Mrs. Lonnie Merriott, Mrs. Lavayne Williams, Mrs. Edith Wilt, Mrs. Betty Bruns, Mrs. Richard Turner, Mrs. Mar-

shal Head, Mrs. T.R. Hall, Mrs. Duane Lloyd, Mrs. Bruce Bruns, Mrs. Betty Carpenter, Mrs. James Warren, Mrs. Robert Hunt, Mrs. Rickie Claybrook, Mrs. Avanelle Lenderston, Mrs. Harold Cowan, Mrs. Billy Reese, Mrs. Wendell Speck, Mrs. Jack Rennels and Mrs. Charles Bratcher.

TOPS Has Weekly Meeting

The TOPS Club met Thursday, July 20, at 7 p.m. for their regular weekly meeting. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Owen Jones, leader. Members sang the TOPS Song and the Pledge was given. Roll call was given by Mrs. Waylon Harris, with twenty members present.

The weekly queen was Mrs. Lewis Mator, with first runner up, Mrs. Nan Gatlin and second runner up, Mrs. Lanny Knowles.

Two visitors were welcomed, Mrs. Ruby Hughes, from Ariz., and Mrs. Judy Griswold.

Mrs. Harvey Whittenburg celebrated her birthday and Mrs. Nan Gatlin drew the cancan, she could accept.

A new contest will begin next week. All members are urged to attend, with a loss.

The meeting was dismissed with the goodnight song.

Sudan Community Improvement Assoc. Met

The Sudan Community Improvement Association met Monday evening, July 18.

Hayt Robertson, President, presided and Sara Woods, Sec.-Treas., read the minutes. New officers elected were Jo Ann Chester, Pres.; Ed King, Vice Pres.; Geneva Glasscock, Sec.-Treas.; and Nancy Davis, Reporter.

Long range plans were discussed regarding recognition and involvement of Senior Citizens, and the planting of more trees. The committee who prepared the scrapbook, was congratulated for a job well done. This scrapbook contributed much toward the recognition Sudan has received in the district and regional judging by the Texas Community Improvement Program.

Dorothy Powell, County Extension Agent, evaluated the score sheet in the competition. Sudan was rated high in community organization.

Loveta Jo Black - Wilson Exchange Wedding Vows

Miss Loveta Jo Black and Brent Harvey Wilson exchanged wedding vows Monday, July 17, at 8 p.m., in an informal family ceremony in the chapel of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe, with the Reverend David Hamblen officiating the single ring ceremony.

Miss Black is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. (Buddy) Black of Muleshoe, and the late Joseph H. Milsap, Jr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Franz H. Wilson of Clovis, New Mexico.

The chapel was decorated with a basket of long stemmed blue and white daisies placed before the altar.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white floor length camisole style eyelet lace gown with a matching stole over her shoulders. She wore a circle of blue and white daisies in her hair, and carried blue and white daisies atop a Bible carried by the groom's mother in her wedding. For something old, the bride wore the engagement ring given her mother by her late father, something new was her dress, something borrowed was the Bible she carried, and she wore the traditional blue garter.

A memory candle was lit by the couple as they stood before the altar.

A selection of wedding music was played by Miss Allison Pool, cousin of the bride from Brownfield, on the piano and accompanied Miss Beth Osborn, cousin of the bride also from Brownfield, as she sang "Walk Hand in Hand" and "Time in a Bottle".

Miss Carol Black, sister of the bride from Muleshoe, served as maid of honor. She wore a floor length white and blue floral dress trimmed with eyelet lace and blue ribbon. Carol carried blue and white long stemmed daisies tied with blue ribbon.

Little Miss Carrah Black preceded her sister down the aisle as flower girl. She wore a blue dress trimmed with eyelet lace and carried a white basket filled with petals and tied with a blue ribbon.

Serving the groom as best man was Bob Bejar, of Clovis, N.M. Both men wore blue suits and white daisy boutonnières.



MR. AND MRS. BRENT HARVEY WILSON (nee LOVETA JO BLACK)

Ushers were Eddie and Mitch Black, brothers of the bride of Muleshoe, and Kevin and Grant Wilson, brothers of the groom of Clovis.

Mrs. Black, mother of the bride wore a beige floor length dress with a pink and blue floral skirt, with a blue daisy corsage. Mrs. Wilson, mother of the groom, wore a pink floor length dress with pleated sleeves and skirt and a white daisy corsage.

A reception in the parlor of the church followed the ceremony. Miss Kenni Osborn, cousin of the bride of Lovington, N.M., registered the guests.

The brides table was decorated with a white cutwork cloth with the brides bouquet centered on the table, and the cake, made by a friend of the family, Mrs. Wayne Holmes of Muleshoe.

Serving were Miss Leesa Tomas and Miss Melanie Tomas, cousins of the groom of Amarillo, and Miss Melissa Allison, cousin of the bride of Muleshoe.

Progressive Homes Club

The Progressive Homes Club met in the home of Vera Engleking, Wednesday, July 19, with six members present. The roll call was answered with helpful hints and a poem by Vera Engleking entitled, "Strength For The Day". Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Roxie Hoover received a birthday gift from her secret pal for this month. The hostess gift was drawn by Wenon Gibson.

Refreshments were enjoyed by Wenona Gibson, Norene Thomas, Lucille Harper, Lois Newson, Roxie Hoover and Vera Engleking.

The next meeting will be with Wenona Gibson, August 16.

Mrs. Sam McKinstry, grandmother of the brides mother of Muleshoe, played selections on the piano during the reception. Guests attending the wedding were grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Black, Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Milsap of Lubbock, and grandparents of the groom, Mr.

and Mrs. Loyd Price, Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Wilson of Portales, N.M.

The couple are on a wedding trip in the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado and will be at home in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mrs. Wilson is a 1978 graduate of Muleshoe High School and Brent is a 1978 graduate of Clovis High School.

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Bridal Shower Honors Mitzi McCoy

A bridal shower honoring Mitzi McCoy, bride-elect of Blake Wallace of Lubbock, was held at the home of Mrs. D.W. Williamson on Thursday, July 13 at 3:30 p.m.

Yellow punch and cookies were served by Cheryl Kinnie and Susan Baker from a table adorned with a centerpiece of white daisies and yellow carnations, white candles and crystal appointments.

Special guests were Mrs. Jim Wallace, mother of the prospective groom, from Lubbock; his sister, Mrs. Ronald Ashford and daughter, Amanda, of Muleshoe; his aunt, Mrs. Alberta Beddo, and his cousin, Mrs. Dale Darrow and Israel, of Lubbock; and Katy Taylor, Miss McCoy's maid of honor also of Lubbock.

Hostesses presented her with a gift of serving pieces of her chosen pattern in pottery.

Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Corley Baker, Mrs. Ed Bond, Mrs. Dorman Chester, Mrs. Bill Curry, Mrs. Julian Darnon, Mrs. Bob Drake, Mrs. John Kinnie, Mrs. J.B. Harper, Mrs. Harold Ingle, Mrs. Frank Lane, Mrs. Adrian Martin, Mrs. W.C. Masten, Mrs. E.C. Minyard, Mrs. Bruce, Newman, Mrs. Matt Nix, Mrs. Bill Nix, Mrs. Mike G. Nix, Mrs. J.W. Olds, Mrs. H.H. Patter, Mrs. Wayne Rogers, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. M.H. Tollett, and Mrs. D.W. Williamson.

Mitzi McCoy and Blake Wallace will be married in the Chapel of the First Christian Church of Lubbock on July 22.



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MRS. JIMMY WATSON

Mrs. Jimmy Watson Honored With Pink And Blue Shower

The Fellowship Hall of the First Assembly of God Church was the scene, Sunday afternoon, July 16, at 3 p.m., for a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Jimmy Watson. Hostesses for the occasion were members of the Ladies Fellowship of the church.

Assisting the honoree in opening gifts were Mrs. Delbert Watson, mother, and Mrs. Tom Watson, sister-in-law of the prospective father. Other special guests included Mrs. T.W. Watson, Mrs. Ed Dudley, and Mrs. W.T. Watson, grandmother and aunts of Jim Satson.

Corsages of pink and blue daisies were presented to the honoree and special guests.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth and featured a pink and red floral arrangement and crystal and silver appointments. The hostesses served thumbprint cookies and punch. Serving and assisting in hospitalities were Mrs. Billy Gilbert, Mrs. Tom Lobaugh, Mrs. Joe Stone, Mrs. Wayland Ethridge, and Mrs. Ronald Scott.

The hostess gift was a baby book and individual gift presentations.

St. John's Youth Attend Camp

Five members of the Youth League of St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, attended the Ceta Glen Christian Camp near Canyon, July 18-23.

Craig Kaltwasser, Donna Kalbas and Sharon Kalbas, all of Farwell; Clayton Ramm of Muleshoe, and Gary Schueler of Friona enjoyed the week filled with Bible study, athletics, swimming, hiking and Christian fellowship.

Thursday night of last week, awards were presented at a formal banquet. Donna, Gary and Craig, along with their other teammates received first places in athletics. Gary Craig and Clayton were also named to the volleyball team.

Individual awards were presented to Craig who received Mr. Sportsmanship honorable mention; Gary, recipient of the Mr. Youth award; Sharon, Miss Youth honorable mention; and

Rebekah Lodge Holds Regular Meeting

The Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday evening, July 18, in the Oddfellow Lodge Hall.

After supper was served, two new members were initiated into the lodge. They were Gertrude Allen and Rhonda Buie. There were twenty-five other members present.

Visitors from Clovis, N.M. were, Ray Fulgham, Secretary of Patriarch Militant; Edna Fulgham Past President of Rebekah Assembly of New Mexico; Wanda Scott, President of Rebekah Assembly of New Mexico; and Sharon Sullivan.

Meeting Set For Planning Of Sudan Museum

Tuesday, July 25 at 8 p.m., in the Sudan Hotel, a planning session will be held. Plans will be made for the type museum, the type exhibits to be used and plans for completing the two downstairs rooms for opening the last part of 1978.

It is very important that every person interested in the establishment of the museum be present for this meeting. If each person who has something they plan to leave to the museum will also be present, we will be able to complete plans faster. If you know of someone from out of town with exhibits for the museum who cannot be present, please come and let us know what their exhibit will consist of. An inventory of the furniture and exhibits already owned by the hotel will be presented at this meeting so that we may be able to decide what should be kept for use and what will be sold as souvenirs at the auction.

All ideas for the museum will be greatly appreciated. If you, as an interested citizen, cannot be present, please send your ideas in writing to Sara Woods, Mickey Stephens or Cletus Holoman.

Wiseman and Wooley Chosen All-Star Players

Randy Wiseman and Matthew Wooley were chosen as two of the All-Star players for the 13 year old Division of the Jr. Babe Ruth League.

All-Stars from Olton, Amherst, Halfway, Sudan and Anton were chosen to play in the Dimmit Tournament. This team played under the name of "Olton All-Stars" and was coached by Ed King of Sudan and Larry Ballard of Halfway.

The game scores were as follows: July 5, Olton 16, Dimmit 13, pitcher, Randy Wiseman; July 6, Olton 2, Plainview 25, Pitcher, Tony Rios; and July 7, Olton 4, Dimmit 14, pitcher, Randy Wiseman.

Team players were: Randy Morris and Lee Roy Garza of Amherst; Danny Medina, Tony Rios, Paul Young and Jeff Harrel of Halfway; Scottie Davis of Anton; Danny Oursbourn, Patrick White, Jimmy Kinser, and Mike Nelson of Olton; Randy Wiseman and Matthew Wooley of Sudan; and Mike Carlisle of Anton as alternate.

4-H Rally Day Held

Rally Day was held Monday, July 10, at 6 p.m., at the Crescent Park Pool in Littlefield.

Hamburgers and homemade ice cream were served and a volleyball tournament added to the entertainment for the evening.

Those attending from Sudan were Jim and Donna Fields, Garv Fields, Mike Hill, Craig Humphreys, James Humphreys, John Chester, Wendy Wiseman and Barry Wiseman.

Gary Brown will be attending the Texas 4-H Congress in Fort Worth, July 17-21.

John Chester plans to attend the Electric Camp in Weed, N.M., July 24-28.

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Jana Michelle Murphy

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murphy, of Muleshoe, are the proud parents of a new baby girl, born July 20, at 3:51 a.m. She was named Jana Michelle and weighed eight pounds. Jana Michelle has one brother, Carl Lee. Grandparents are Mrs. Jackson of West Virginia and Mrs. Alma Murphy of Alabama.

Devin La'Daun Long

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Long of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a new baby girl born July 19 at 5:44 p.m. She weighed five pounds and two ounces and was named Devin La'Daun. She is the couples first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer Long, of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ballenger, of Amherst. Great Grandparents are Mrs. Julia Allmand, of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McCool, of Greenville, Miss.

50th Anniversary Convention Held

Two members of the Sudan FFA Chapter, Mike Hill and Mike DeLoach, returned Friday from the 50th Anniversary Convention held in San Antonio.

Highlights of the convention included the election of new state officers, sweetheart, and talent team.

While in the Alamo City, they toured the Buckhorn Hall of Fame, Lone Star Brew, Tower of the Americas, Hemisfair Plaza and the River Walk.

On the return trip, they took a short detour to Hondo Crouch's famous "Luckenbach". According to Kenneth Carr, ag teacher, the directions made it easy to find, turn right at the stop light, go to the KOA park and turn right, then go til you get there and don't cross the creek. After twelve miles they found the creek and also Luckenbach.

Next year the State FFA Convention will be held in Lubbock. This will be the first time it has ever been there.



MISS WINN WATSON

Winn Watson Honored With Gift Tea

Miss Winn Watson, bride-elect of Charles Cantwell was honored with a bridal shower, July 16, at 2 p.m. in the home of Dean Spraberry.

Greeting the guests were Miss Watson, Mrs. W.E. Meyers, mother of the bride-elect and Dean Spraberry.

In keeping with Miss Watson's colors, she was presented a corsage of apricot and yellow spring flowers.

The table was covered with a candlelight lace floor length cloth. A basket of pastel colored silk flowers centered the table. Banana slush punch and thumbprint cookies were served on crystal appointments.

Special guests were Mrs. Ken Wooley of Portales, N.M. and Mrs. Tom Watson of Muleshoe, grandmothers of the bride-elect and Mrs. Kim Hayes of Kress.

The hostess gift was a pottery fondue set.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ray Lynk, Mary Watkins, Mrs. David Luna, Mrs. Olan Burrows, Mrs. David Hamblen, Mrs. Joe King, Mrs. Clayton Myers,

Mrs. DeLoach Honored on 94th Birthday

Mrs. W.G. DeLoach was honored on her 94th birthday, Sunday, July 16, with a dinner party at her home. Twenty-three family members were present, including Mr. and Mrs. H.G.

DeLoach, of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. R.E. DeLoach, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Moorhead, of Meadow; Almeda Gibson and Shirree, of Palm Springs, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Bob DeLoach, Mike, Shawnee and Chip, of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swart, Terry and Kathy; and a nephew, C.F. Melton, and wife of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Hobby Club Holds Meeting

The Muleshoe Hobby Club met Thursday, July 20, at the Muleshoe State Bank reception room for the regular meeting with the following members present: Dora Phipps, Vickie Hendricks, Ruth Williams, Mae Loyd, Jo Ann Wilson, Ruth Bass, Sammie Ethridge, Hollie Briscoe, Levina Pitts, Verna Dement, Fiddle Shaffer, Allie Barbour, Myrtle Chambless, Opal Robinson and the hostess, Mabel Caldwell.

Articles on display were: Macrame shakes, macrame Christmas decorations, wine and old whiskey bottles, tote bag decorated with crochet flowers, two pompom cats, carpet owl, macrame owl, three silk flower arrangements, two painted rock pencil holders, oil painted picture, centennial doll, iron bottle, copper bell arrangement, decorated wooden tray from Norway, and needlepoint framed pictures.

The hostess gift of a carpet owl plaque was won by Dora Phipps.

The hostess served refreshments of coffee, pops, potato chips, pimento cheese sandwiches, and coconut cream desert.

The next meeting will be August 3, with Levina Pitts as hostess.

Muleshoe Church of Christ Plans Vacation Bible School

The Muleshoe Church of Christ, at West American Blvd. invites all children, nursery age through fifth grade to come to Vacation Bible School beginning Monday, July 24 to July 28, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m.

Each day a puppet skit will be presented to each individual class. July 28, a picnic is planned at the church.

A ladies class will also be taught.

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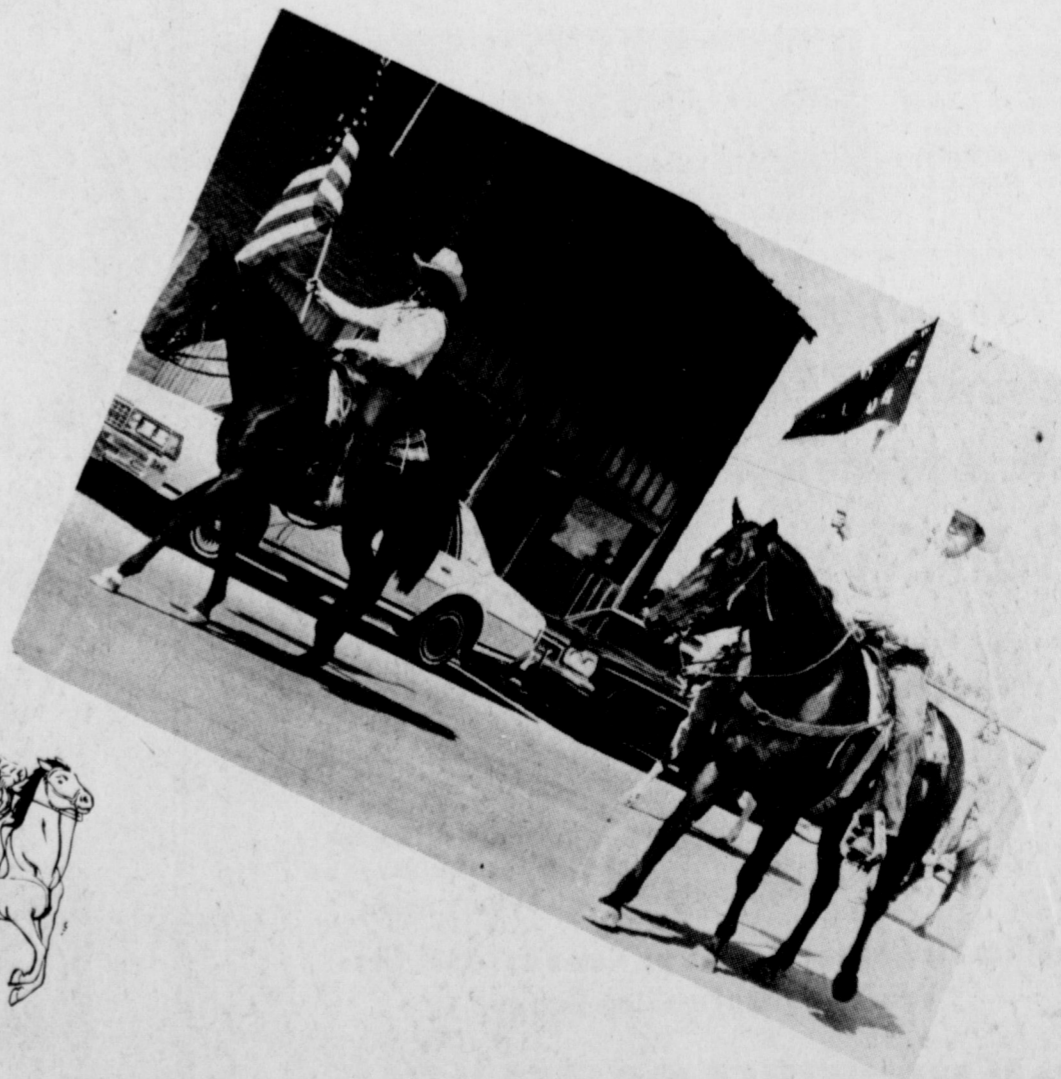
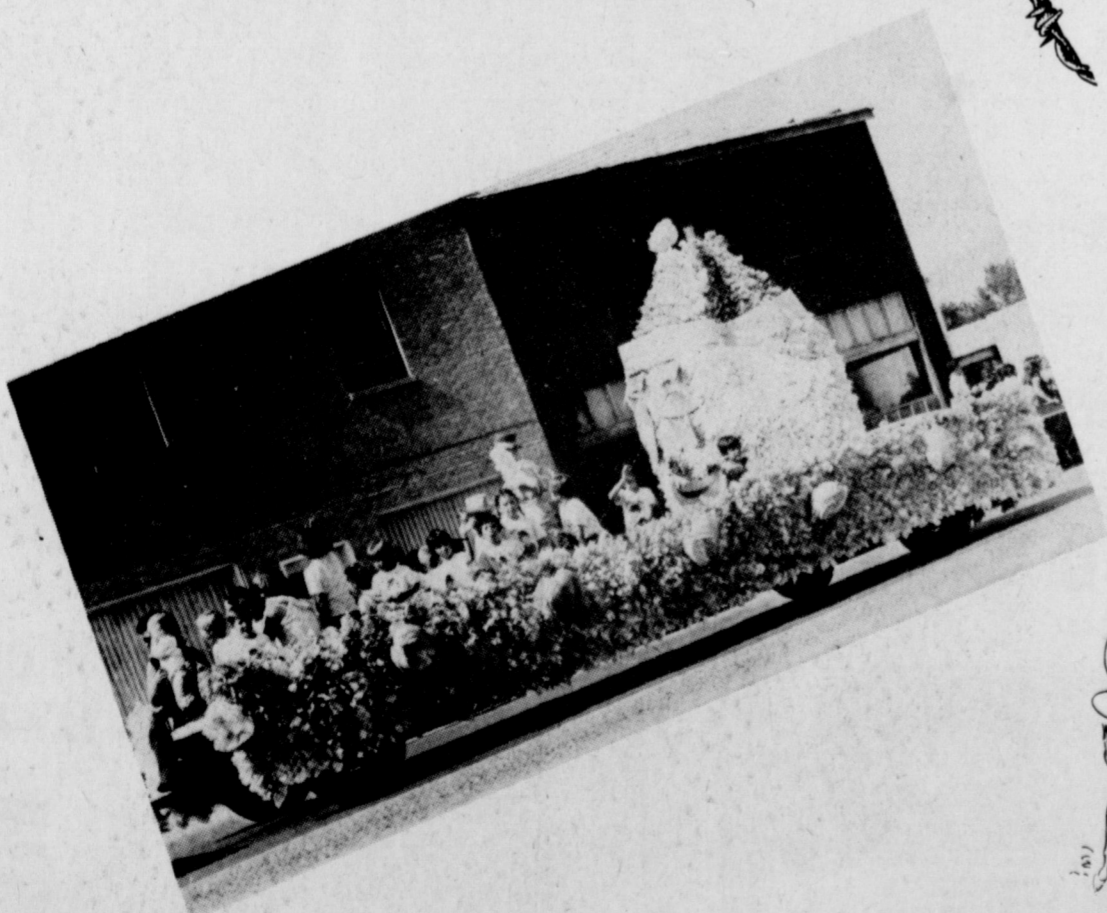
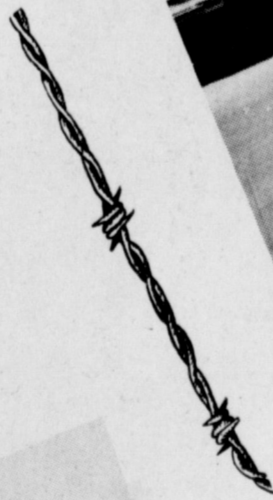
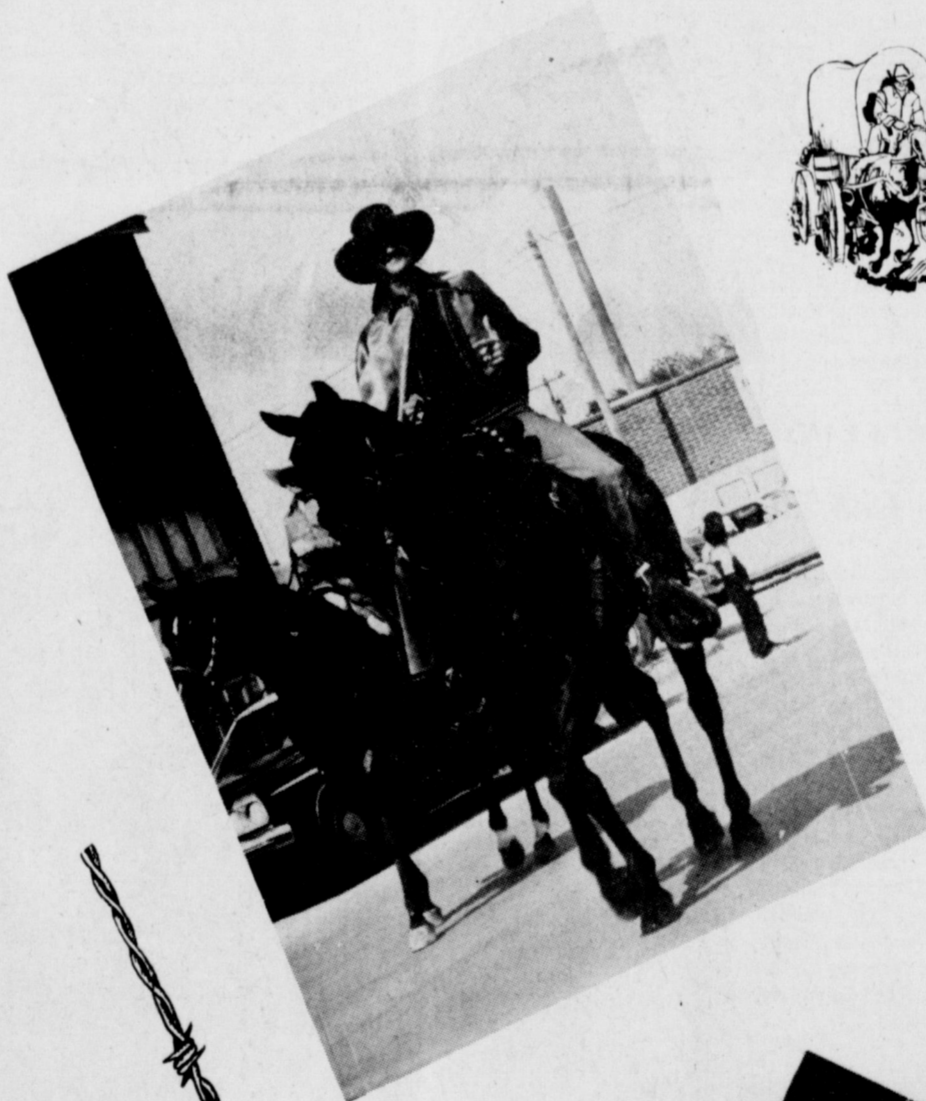
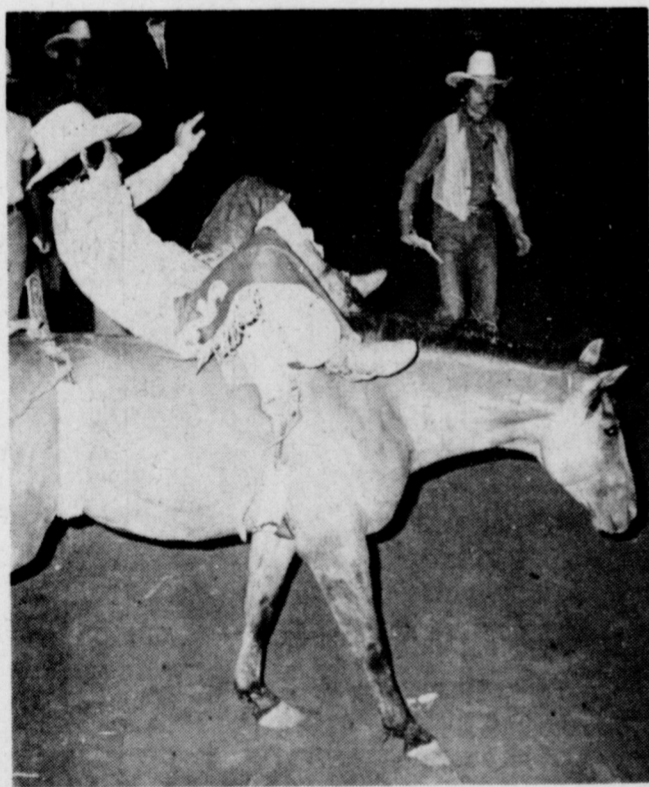
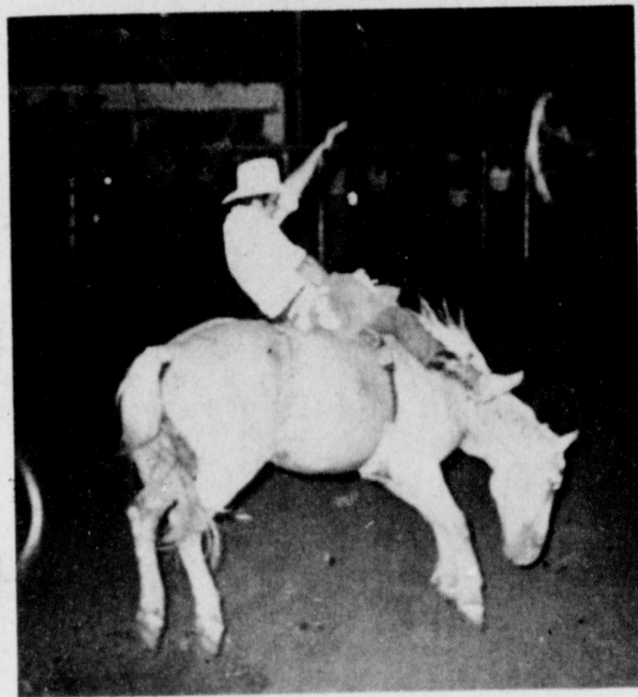
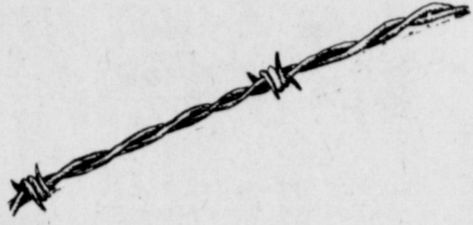
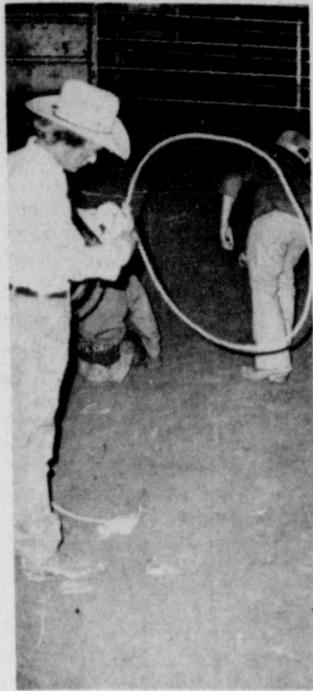
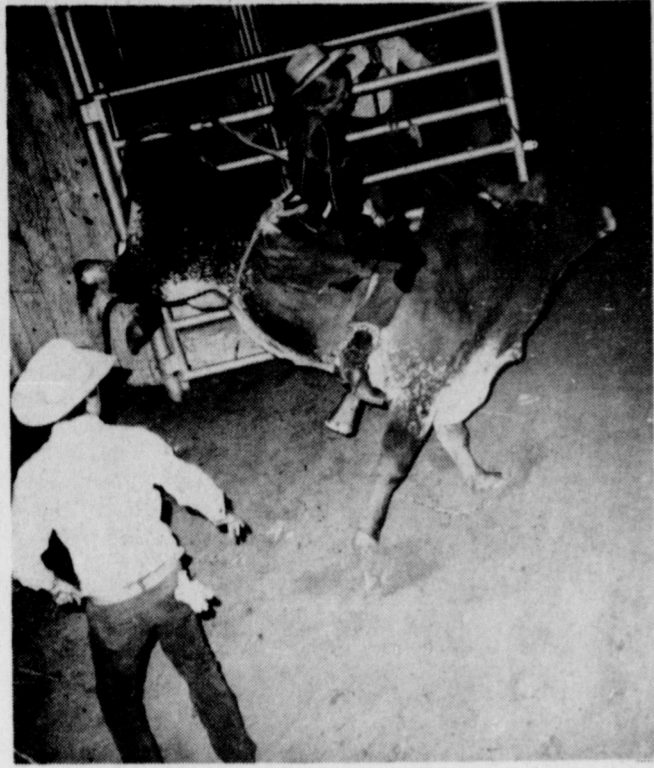
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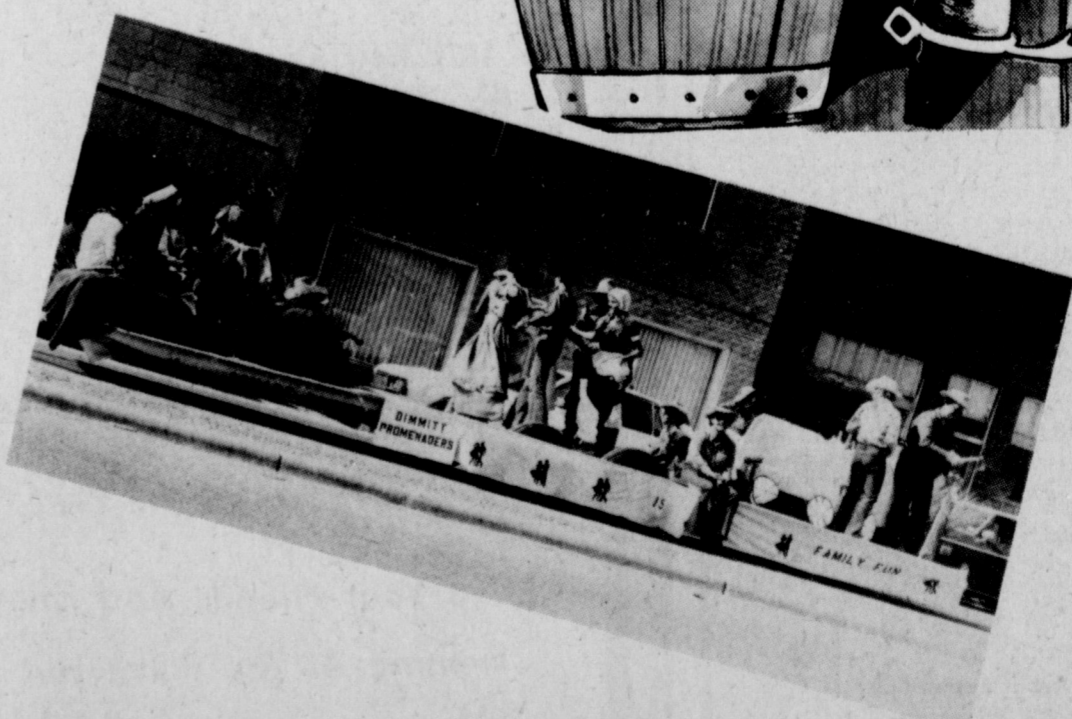
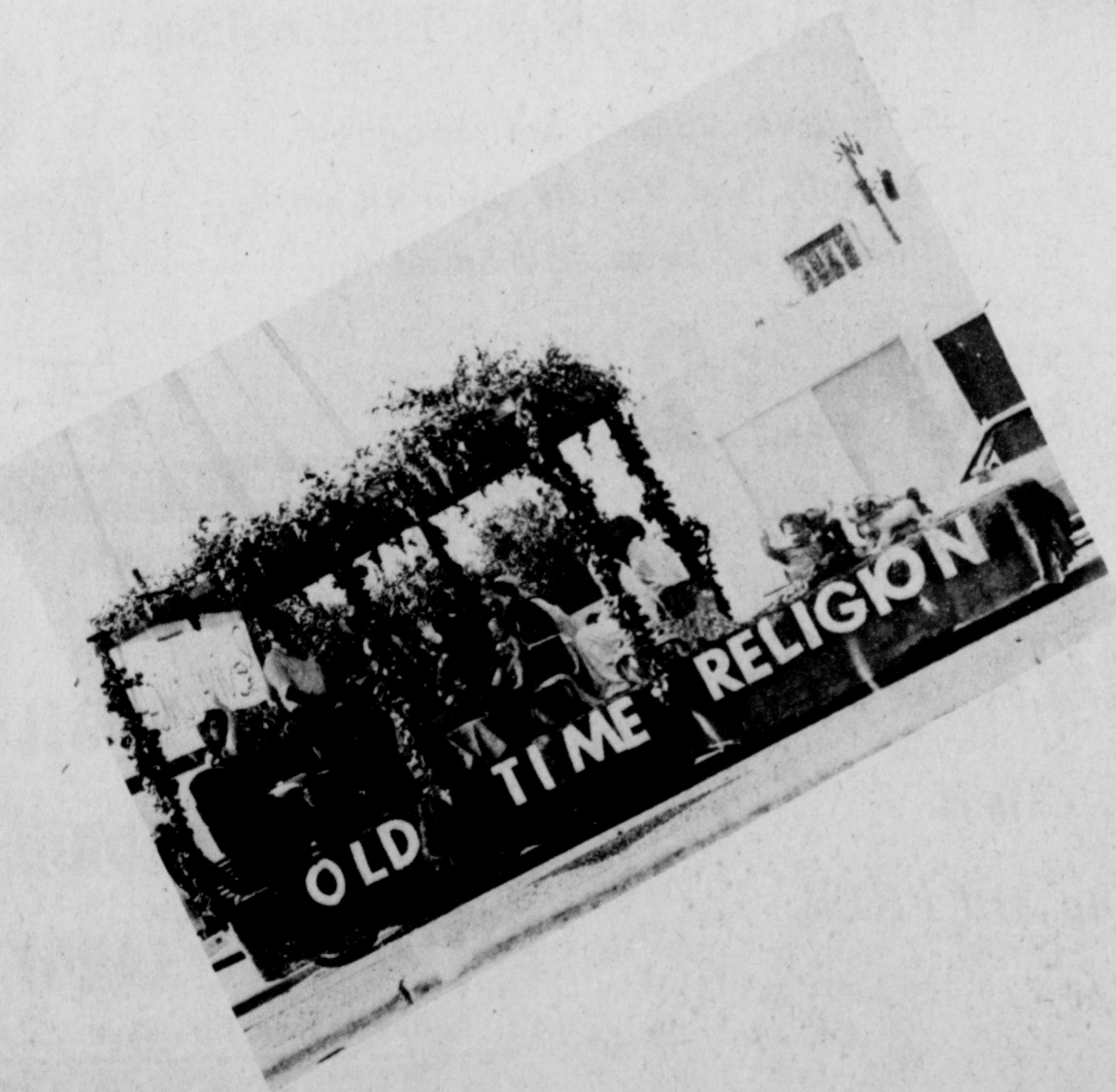
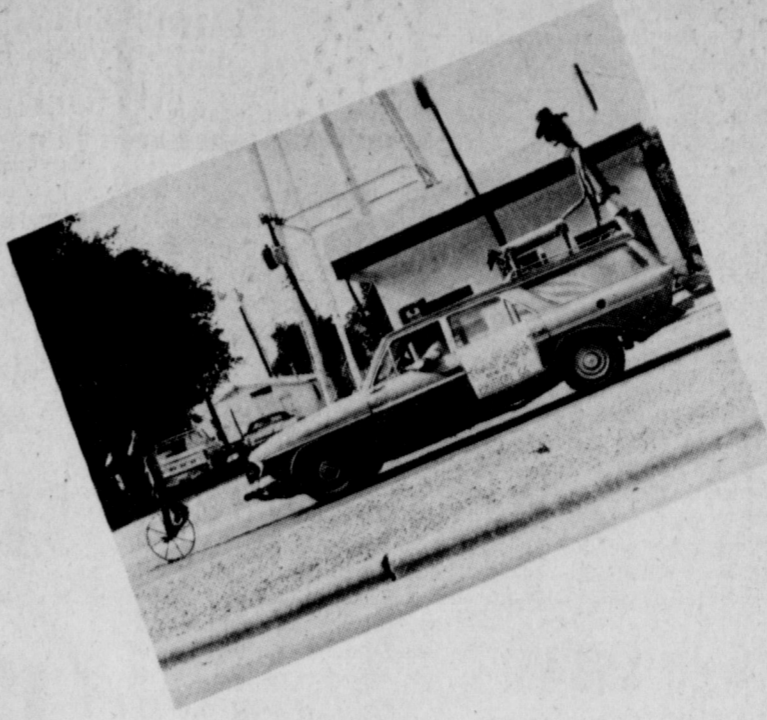
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Tower Boasts Regulatory New Controls

Congressional control over at least a portion of the Federal regulatory establishment will be more than a rhetorical promise, Sen. John Tower said today, if Congress acts favorably on a bill he has introduced to control the unrestricted rulemaking authority of the Federal Trade Commission.

"This bill will return to the citizens of the country through their elected representatives some control over the laws and regulations which govern their conduct in the marketplace," Tower said in introducing the

legislation. "One of the biggest problems of modern government is the attempt to gain control over the independent regulatory commissions such as the Federal Trade Commission, which daily are churning out a myriad of mumbo jumbo in the form of Federal edicts which govern what business can or cannot do and what the consumer can and cannot buy.

"These commissions are neither answerable to the President nor to the Congress when they in effect write these laws under their substantive rulemaking authority. The Federal Trade Commission is a prime offender, using this power and threatening to use it to override actions by state legislatures as well as Congress," Tower said.

Small business, the senior Texas Senator said, is particularly damaged by the rulemaking whim of the Federal agencies, and it costs them huge sums each year in employee time and unnecessary expense. "There are over 4,400 different Federal forms and estimates range from a low of 143 million hours to a high of 750 million hours of time taken by Americans to complete these forms. The small businessman is hit particularly hard because he normally lacks an army of accountants or attorneys to assist him in compliance."

No one escapes, however, Tower said, from the intrusion of Federal agencies into everyday life. "Motorists are rebelling against Federally mandated safety and environmental features which have increased the price of the average passenger car by some \$666. In Texas there is growing resentment of the bureaucrats attempting to tell Texans that they must pay for an airbag at a cost of some \$500. New homes cost between \$1,500 and \$2,500 more because of the regulations issued by government at all levels. Business passes along the cost of compliance to the consumer. That aggregate cost has been estimated to total some \$62.9 billion, or \$300 for every man, woman and child in the country."

Congress must make every effort to turn around this disturbing trend, Tower charged, and said his bill would provide a legislative veto over the five-member commission's rulemaking authority. There should be no question about the constitutionality of the legislative veto, Tower said, since authority for legislative rulemaking is delegated by Congress.

Under the Tower bill, Congress

would have up to 90 days to review rules submitted to both Houses of Congress. During that period, a concurrent resolution passes by one or both Houses would prevent the rule from taking effect.

Tower said his bill was similar to legislation introduced on the House side, for which there had been considerable support. His bill, which has been cosponsored so far by Senators Nunn, Schmitt and Morgan, demonstrates that the Senate is equally disturbed by the actions of the "unanswerable bureaucracy." The House earlier rejected a Conference Committee report of FTC legislation largely because the Senate's version of the legislation contained no legislative veto provisions, Tower said.

WHO KNOWS?

1. Which three states entered the Union in July?
2. Where did the state of Utah get its name?
3. Name the three Presidents born in July.
4. Define churlish.
5. Where was nylon invented?
6. Where are the Channel Islands?
7. What is the birthstone for July?
8. Name the Attorney General.
9. What is the capital of Maryland?
10. What is the nickname for Idaho?

Answers To Who Knows

1. Idaho, New York and Wyoming.
2. From a Navaho word meaning upper or higher up.
3. John Quincy Adams, Calvin Coolidge and Gerald Ford.
4. Boorish, surly or rude.
5. Du Pont laboratories, 1937.
6. Off the NW coast of France.
7. The ruby.
8. Griffin B. Bell.
9. Annapolis.
10. Gem State.

Learn to learn

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — A new course to be offered by The University of Texas will help freshmen learn how to learn more effectively.

The idea of the course is to catch people before they get into bad habits in studying and learning.

Developed by Dr. Claire Weinstein in the Educational Psychology Department, the course on individual learning skills will help freshmen gain more control over their academic lives. Dr. Weinstein believes the ability to process information and to learn efficiently can be taught.

View From The Plains

by J.D. Peer
I&E Field Officer

The extreme hot weather has made outdoor activities difficult and most individuals are waiting till twilight or dark to camp, fish, hike or relax, however, wildlife, including snakes, are doing the same thing.

A small percent of these snakes are potentially dangerous to the outdoor person and preparations to handle a snake bite should be in the planning of any camping trip.

Although all four types of poisonous snakes including the rattlesnake, coral, copperhead, and cottonmouth moccasin are found naturally in Texas, the most abundant species and the one that is involved in most snake bites in northwest Texas is the rattlesnake.

Persons intending to go outdoors should first make sure they are wearing the proper clothing and shoes for protection from plants as well as snakes.

It is best to expect snakes in Texas and while walking along trails at night, the hiker should wear high boots and keep the pant cuffs on the outside of the boot. A bite from a rattler or other poisonous snake, spider, or other night wildlife can be potentially dangerous when the skin is broken.

Identification of a poisonous snake is necessary to either treat for the poison or only a bite. Many persons bit by a non-poisonous snake have undergone needless pain and anguish because the snake was not identified at the time of the bite. The treatment for venom poison is drastic compared to a non-poisonous bite.

The general health of a person will determine how the body systems handle the injected venom from the snake. Many poisonous snake bites are near misses or the snake has recently bitten something else and the person does not receive a full dose.

The victim has no way of knowing how much, if any, of the poison is injected by the snake and treatment should be for a full dose until the doctor prescribes different treatment.

Normally, first aid for poisonous snake bites includes reducing circulation near the snake bite with a constricting band or ice-pack. The size of the snake and victim will determine the period of safety before the venom takes full effect. Since victims normally do not die instantly from the venom, the delay gives the victim and doctor a chance to treat the bite. No matter how close or how far the victim is from medical treatment, transport the victim as fast and as safe as possible. Many people are afraid of

snakes and injury is possible as the person tries to get away from the snake. If you hear a snake, try to locate the snake before moving as the snake might be behind you.

Very few people succumb to poisonous snake bite in the United States, however, many more die from shock or side effects such as heart attacks or improper treatment.

The best method to handle

poisonous snake bite is to be prepared by training under a first-aid instructor and following the suggestions of your family doctor.

ABILENE AREA DRY
Only a few spotted rain showers earlier this spring have left the Abilene-Big Spring vicinity extremely dry and fire hazards are increasing each day. "The grass and weeds are drying up and campers, fisher-

men, and vehicle operators should be extremely careful when driving through the fields," said Curtis Jones, Abilene law enforcement supervisor.

The fishermen are noticing the dryness now, but various species of wildlife will soon feel the effects of the drought as cover and food disappear. Farm tanks are drying up and even the large reservoirs are becoming dry beaches.

Anyone utilizing the outdoors should check first with the landowner and make sure it is permissible to have campfires.

He Lost!

"What are these tickets I found in my husband's pocket?"
"Your husband is an archaeologist. These tickets are evidence of a lost race."



There will be two new faces in Bailey County from July 25 to August 22.

As part of the 4-H Labo (Laboratory) International Exchange, 12 Japanese youth will become, for a month, the sons, daughters, brothers and sisters of 12 area families. The Japanese young people, between the ages of 12 and 18, will arrive Tuesday, July 25. They will be accompanied by two Japanese tutor-chaperones.

Living with the Robert Lunsford family will be Sachiki Mitsuhiro (girl) age 13 and Masayoshi Harashima (male) age 13, will be living with the Robert Hunt family.

The visitors are among 68 Japanese youth coming to Texas under the auspices of the Labo Foundation. Over the past several years, the foundation has sent several thousand Japanese youth to the United States, primarily the western states.

This is the first year Texas has been included in the program. It is one of 18 states which will be hosts to 1,700 Japanese youth this summer.

The Labo Foundation program is to help young people to learn another language and to become familiar with another culture firsthand.

Families in five of the 14 Extension districts in Texas will be hosts to the visitors this year. In District 2, host counties are Bailey, Castro, Floyd, Gaines, Hale and Lamb.

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West Plains Medical Center Report

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July 18—Erminia Martinez, Aurora Martinez, Evette Freeman
July 19—Walter Marie Bonness, Virginia Rone, Doyle Wimberly, Hilda Darlene Long, Pearl Haskins, Johnnie Dane
July 20—Ruby Lee Murphy, Minnie L. Kelley

DISMISSALS
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Candidate Writes Letter To Governor

Republican gubernatorial nominee Bill Clements today said that only the citizens of Texas should have the power to create a state personal or corporate income tax.

Clements, in a letter to Governor Dolph Briscoe, urged that the call to the special session of the Texas Legislature be expanded to allow the adoption of a Constitutional amendment that would place a ban on any personal or corporate income tax in Texas, unless the citizens affirmatively vote to create such a tax.

Clements recommended that

such a Constitutional ban be submitted to the voters on the November 7th ballot.

The following is Mr. Clements' letter to Gov. Briscoe, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Billy Clayton.

Dear Governor Briscoe,

The special session of the Texas Legislature, which you wisely called in response to the current cry by citizens for tax relief, should take this opportunity to build into our system long-term safeguards to insure against excessive taxation.

In that regard, I encourage the Legislature to take this opportu-

nity to adopt a Constitutional ban on any personal or corporate income tax for Texans.

A Constitutional ban on personal or corporate income tax is necessary to insure our state's competitive edge in the business community and to maintain a healthy business climate to attract new business and create new jobs. If Texas ever has a personal or corporate income tax, it should only be after the people of Texas have affirmatively voted to create one.

Short term tax solutions are important and essential, but long term planning is vital to the future of Texas' economy. Now is the time for the Legislature to insure that Texas' healthy economy is preserved for future generations of Texans.

Therefore, I urge you to expand the call of the special tax

relief session to include a Constitutional prohibition to a personal or corporate income tax. I hope that this matter is promptly adopted by the Legislature and submitted to the voters for their approval on the November 7th ballot.

Sincerely,
Bill Clements (s)
William P. Clements, Jr.

School stress

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — A University of Texas educational psychologist thinks parents and teachers can do a better job of helping children cope with the stresses they encounter at school — from reciting in class to gaining approval of their classmates.

Dr. Beeman Phillips, author of "School Stress and Anxiety," says the stress of going to school for the first time can be relieved if parents educate their children about the new situations they will be exposed to.

Teachers, too, need to recognize that children are not likely to talk about the anxiety they feel and may even mask their reactions to stress by becoming passive and, therefore, misidentified as the stereotype of "good students."

The most important subject, in some minds, is "What are we going to eat?"

Jimmy Carter, President: "The United States has received an unexpected boost in its energy supplies by the discovery of oil in Alaska. This temporary reprieve will end in 18 months."

The Speaker Reports



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—As time approaches when the Legislature will again review State agency budget requests for the upcoming biennium, I think it appropriate to re-examine what happened during the last session with regard to funding State programs.

In my travels across the State, one area of state services has continually drawn comment from interested Texans—the appropriation to fund for welfare services.

Of the \$2.8 billion appropriated for welfare and social services in Texas, the largest portion (\$2.5 billion—87.7%) was appropriated to the Department of Human Resources (formerly the Department of Public Welfare).

This agency's budget can be divided into three main segments—financial assistance, medical assistance, and social services.

The financial assistance program is composed largely of cash payments to recipients of Aid to Families with Dependent Children. For the current biennium \$317 million was appropriated for this program.

The other major component of the financial assistance program is the food stamp program which received \$74.5 million for the biennium. These two major areas plus some minor programs brought the total appropriation for financial assistance to \$417.4 million—14.5% of the Department's

appropriation. Medical Assistance (encompassing medical, nursing home care, and vendor drug payments) received \$1.7 billion or 58.2% of the total appropriation for the Department.

Significant funding increases over the preceding biennium (from \$629.5 million to \$835 million) were granted by the 65th Legislature for nursing home care.

The third major component in the Department's budget is for social services—which include day care, family planning, services to abused and neglected children, foster care, and alternate care for the aged and disabled. Combined, these programs represented 12.6% of the Department's budget or \$362.2 million for the

biennium.

Many issues in the 66th Legislature will center around increased funding for these services; however, choices must be made in extending this funding to new programs. We will have a limited amount of funding available which must be divided among the many agencies of state government.

The decisions will be difficult, and will require much serious consideration. It is my hope that the budget passed by the 66th Legislature will provide for the many needed services in the State while holding the line on administrative costs of the programs, and eliminating programs that are not performing their function.

Trial Lawyers Object To Increases

"The insurance companies' request for an additional rate increase will cost the business community of Texas more than \$50 million in the next twelve months alone," charged President-Elect of the Texas Trial Lawyers Association, Bob L. Wilson of Wichita Falls. This statement was made to reporters following a heated rate hearing before the State Board of Insurance in which the Texas Trial Lawyers Association and the Texas Association of Business opposed the pending rate hike. The State Board of Insurance is expected to render a

decision shortly. Wilson stated the proposed rate increase was totally "unjustified" in light of the insurance industry's record high profits nationwide in 1977. Further, Wilson stated that "the profits of insurance companies in Texas have been among the highest in the nation. For example, State Farm has admitted its automobile insurance profits were higher in Texas than in any other state in the nation."

In testimony specifically concerning the workers' compensation issue, Wilson reminded those present that the State Board had granted seven rate increases in the past four years, and workers' compensation premiums in Texas cost the state's business community \$800 million last year. "In spite of these rising premiums, Industrial Accident Board records show the average settlement to an injured worker in 1977 was less than 1.5 percent over 1976," Wilson argued.

miums, less than 60 percent goes to benefits for the injured employee. Of this 60 percent, approximately half goes to pay medical expenses and the other half goes to payments to the injured employee.

Current Fisherman Report

FISHING REPORT

Lake Theo (Caprock Canyons State Park)—Fishing is fair for sunfish and catfish and slow for bass.

Lake Meredith—The lake depth is 85.03 and the temperature is in the mid-70's. Best fishing is for catfish and walleye. Most walleye have been medium-sized though a few have been caught to seven and a half pounds. Some 10-20 pound flat-head catfish have been caught on trotline. White bass fishing is fair.

Lake McClellan—Fishing has been slow with a few channel catfish, bullheads, and largemouth bass being caught. Some hybrid striped bass to 12 inches in length have been reported.

Greenbelt Lake—Best fishing is for white bass and channel catfish. Early morning and late evening, the white bass have been schooling and chasing shad at the surface. A few largemouth bass have been taken to five pounds. Fishing for northern pike and walleye is slow. The water temperature is in the upper 70's.

Lake Rita Blanca—Fishing is very good for channel catfish to four pounds. A few bass have been caught in the two to four pound class. Sunfish are still biting.

Lake Mackenzie—The lake is clearing rapidly and fishing has been good for catfish and crappie in the upper end of the lake. Fishing for bass and walleye has been slow.

Baylor Lake—Best fishing has been for large sunfish. Some channel catfish and largemouth bass have been taken in the two to four pound class.

Lake Pauline—Fishing for largemouth bass has been very good. Two bass over seven pounds were caught during this fishing period and a two day string of 20 bass were caught by an Amarillo man. A few channel catfish have been taken on trotlines. Fishing for other species has been slow.

Lake Marvin—A few bass and channel catfish have been caught recently. The best bet is for panfish. The lake remains at the full mark.

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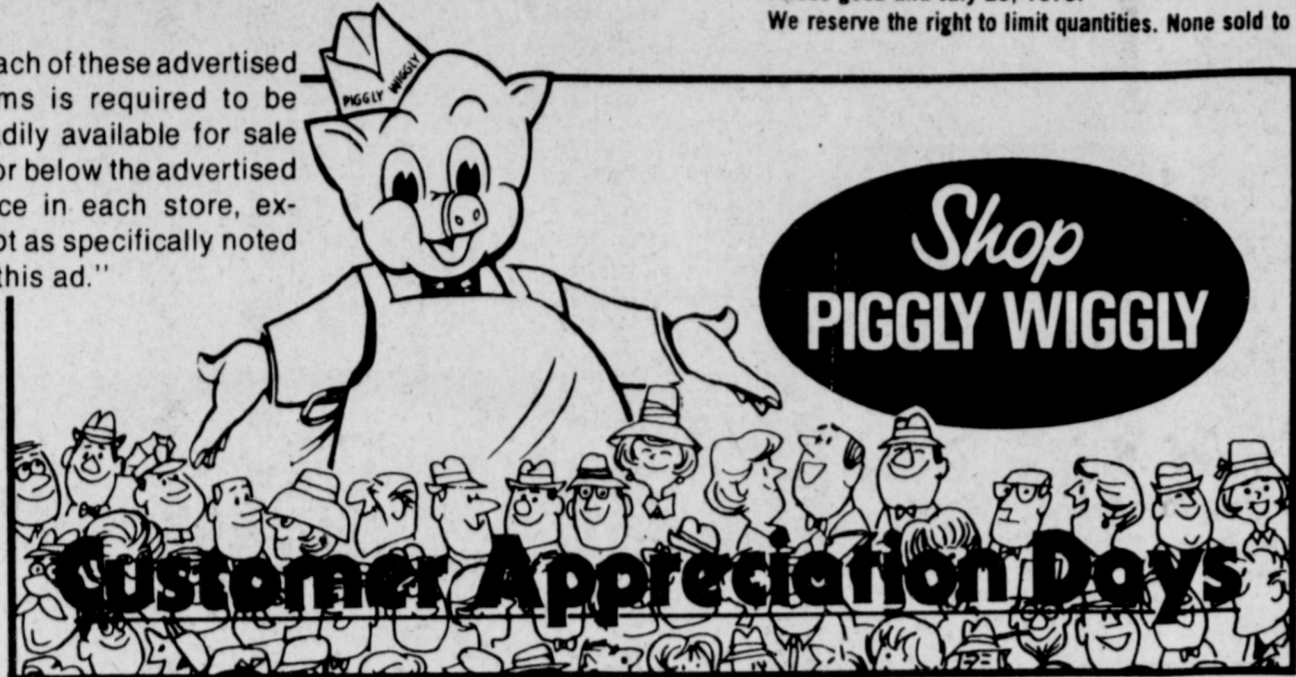
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Sudan News
By Evelyn Ritchie

Mable Reed entertained family and friends with a patio dinner party, Thursday evening, July 13.

Angie Carson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Carson, was honored on her 11th birthday, July 12, at her home.

Jill Reid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Reid, celebrated her third birthday, July 11.

Laura Powell, Sheila Summer and Dan Messamore are attending Tech Band Camp for two weeks.

Danny Cook and wife, Becky, of Sweetwater, are moving to Sudan where he will be the preacher at the Church of God of Prophecy.

Jo Gaye Doty of Lubbock visited with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty, Donald and David, Thursday and Friday.

Bito Smith, Shawn and J'Lee Muller, and Mrs. Muller visited in Amarillo, Thursday and Fri.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Harrison and daughter, Heather, have moved to 710 E. First Street.

Waynette Fisher and children, and Sandra Humphreys and children flew to Six Flags this week.

The Wayne Howell's and the Gayle Brown's returned home from a vacation in the N.M. mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty, and Mrs. Euah Doty spent the weekend in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gore and Stephanie, and Euah's sister, Mrs. Lela Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Humphreys and children spent the weekend in Ruidosa, N.M.

Paul Chisholm was admitted to the Amherst hospital Friday. His condition was improved and he returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Noblett and baby daughter have returned from Germany where he was stationed for three years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Noblett and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day. After visiting with relatives and friends, he has reported to his new base in Arizona.

Roy Day returned home from the hospital on Friday, July 14, and is doing fine.

Tommy Noblett and grandchildren of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day last week.

La Rue Hasley and grandson, of Dimmitt, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan.

Cary Logan of Amarillo visited Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Waller of Amarillo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp. Also visiting with their grandson, Kyle Minchew of Hereford.

Mrs. Reeves from Idaho, has been visiting her with her son, James Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harper and family, accompanied by Kelli Hargrove, vacationed recently in Tres Ritos, N.M.

Mrs. Josephine Fisher, Missy and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fisher, Shannon and Tanya, and Rodney Fisher, have been in California visiting relatives.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Engram were Mr. and Mrs. Dawon Popejoy of Sunray, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Engram of Lubbock and Todd of Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Beauchamp, Jr. and their grandchildren, Sean, Todd and Erin visited in Hobbs, N.M. recently with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Myrick. Accompanying them were Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and children of Stephenville. Derwin Beauchamp and Tray Moss met them Wednesday and they toured Carlsbad Caverns.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray and Tanya went to Red River recently for business and vacation.

Bryan Baker and Harold Ingle are in Tres Ritos for a few days.

Mrs. Lynda Hunter and children of Amarillo visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan. Ben and Casey, their grandchildren who have been here for several weeks returned to Amarillo with Mrs. Hunter.

Guy Walden returned home from the hospital on Wed. afternoon and is improving.

Lee Hardy returned home from the hospital July 13. His condition has improved.

Mrs. Keever Davis from Idaho is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hardy for a few weeks. She is the sister of Dell Hardy.

Overnight visitors recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Flowers were her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Bishop of Ralls.

Almeda Gibson and daughter, Shiree, from Palm Springs, Calif., are visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W.G. DeLoach.

Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Melton from Grand Lake, Okla., are visiting the DeLoach families. Mr. Melton is Mrs. W.G. DeLoach's nephew.

Sharon Roberts and children,

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Welcome To Muleshoe



Mr. & Mrs. Carl Houston, Rhonda, John, Laura, and Kristie

The Houston family recently moved to Muleshoe from Lubbock. He is employed at Reagan Cox Electric. The family attends the Church of the Nazarene. Mrs. Houston's hobbies are cake decorating and cooking and Houston says he enjoys working. Rhonda sells Fashion 220 cosmetics. The family pets are Bambi and Thumper.

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