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1988 Farm Program Shows Very Few Surprises

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Bailey County Commissioners Court will meet in Special Session in the Muleshoe City Council Chamber, City Hall, at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, February 16.

The agenda will include meeting with City Council members to discuss the 9-1-1 emergency number for Bailey County.

Timothy L. Roberts, son of Burley L. and Carolyn S. Roberts of Enochs, has been promoted in the U. S. Air Force to the rank of airman first class.

Roberts is a fitness and recreation specialist at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo., with the 3415th Air Base Group.

The airman's wife, Lisa, is the daughter of George Bachicha of Sudan and Lucy Bachicha of Muleshoe.

He is a 1983 graduate of Three Way High School, Maple.

This week, Sammie Ethridge, who helped with the Nursing Home Christmas Card Project, said the Nursing Home wished to thank all the people who participated in the project.

Through their generous donations, \$2,460 was obtained.

• This was partially used to install an intercom system for West Plains Medical Center and the Muleshoe Nursing Home.

The system was installed by Hubert Kidd and Five Area Telephone Co. employees.

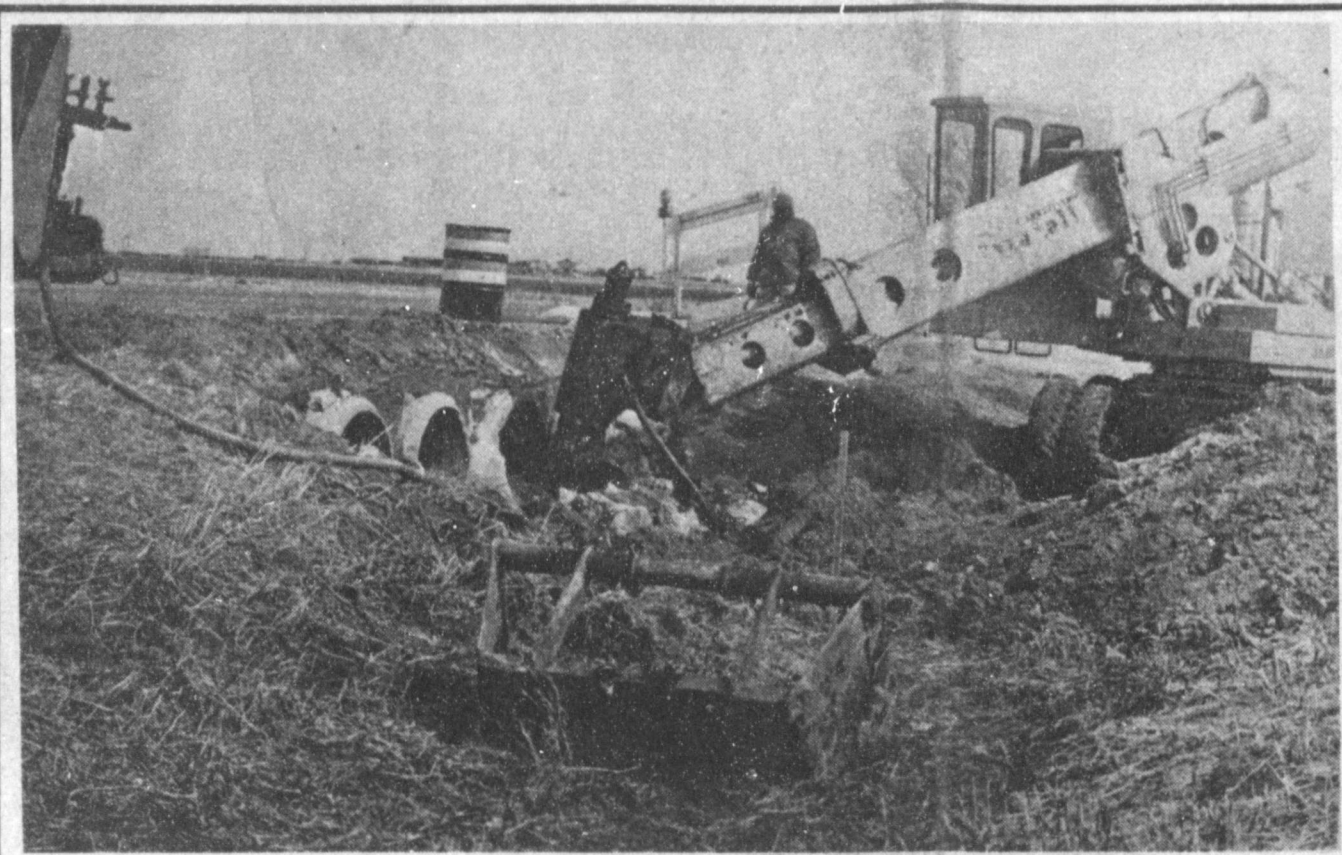
• Elder Jim Jackson of Floydada will be preaching the service at the Muleshoe Primitive Baptist Church, today, Sunday.

Singing gets underway at 10:30 a.m., and the church said anyone interested will be welcome to attend the services.

• Myrtle Creamer was notified Friday night that her grandson, Kenny Kemp, an Amarillo City Police motorcycle officer had been seriously injured on Friday.

Officer Kemp, the son of Ray and Sue Kemp of Amarillo, was escorting a funeral when he lost control of his motorcycle and it fell on him.

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GIANT JACKHAMMER AT WORK--The pounding machine at the right in the picture was busy Wednesday afternoon at a culvert on FM1760 where preparations are being made to remove the pavement, widen and replace culverts and pavement. It is expected to be sometime in October before the nine mile renovation is completed, and will feature a new and wider highway, with a shoulder.

Mulettes Defeat Floydada; Cinch Second Place, Playoff Berth

It was a great night for basketball -- especially for the Muleshoe Mulettes varsity team as they claimed another victory on their home turf.

A game that started off rather slow turned into a real thriller before the Mulettes pulled off a 51-42 victory in the end.

In the first quarter, the Mulettes had a few bad passes that really counted against them as the Friona girls were leading to close out the first quarter by 8-15.

In the second quarter, the Mulettes came alive late in the quarter after trailing most of the first half.

The Mulettes pulled within one point 21-22 at 1:52 before

the half. They tied up the game again with :33 left on the clock before halftime, and briefly took the lead in the game at :25 seconds before the half.

Approximately half of the third quarter saw the game all knotted up at 31-all, neither team being able to get the ball inside the rim of the basket.

As the Mulettes pulled ahead 35-31 with 3:10 left in the third, Friona became somewhat rattled and threw the ball away a few times. Their errors allowed the Mulettes to pull ahead to 39-31 with :49 left to play in the third.

At the end of the third, it was Muleshoe 39-33.

Fourth quarter action saw both teams begin to make

several mistakes, as both ran into 'foul' trouble.

But, the Mulettes managed the ball better, and the fourth quarter saw the Mulettes pull steadily ahead, until with 1:16 left in the game, the final score was made -- 51-42.

Two players scored in the double figures for Muleshoe. Cont. Page 6, Col. 6

Farm Bureau Week Proclaimed By Judge

Bailey County Judge Gordon H. Green has signed a proclamation designating February 15-

20 as "Farm Bureau Week" in Bailey County.

Gary Hooten, president of the Bailey County Farm Bureau, said the week is part of a statewide observance, during which time, county Farm Bureaus will make a special effort to enroll new members.

According to the proclamation by the judge, it points out that Farm Bureau is a grass roots organization of farmers and ranchers which represents agriculture at the county courthouse in Austin, and in Washington, D. C.

Hooten said that the Farm Bureau is a general farm organization that seeks to improve income and living conditions of farm and ranch families. It not only represents farmers and ranchers in legislative and regulatory matters of government, as it is also an organization that has activities for the entire family.

Each year, the county Farm Bureau sponsors high school students to the Citizenship Seminar in San Angelo, thereby making an opportunity for these young people to apply for scholarships.

One new program is Ag in the Classroom, which is in the DeShazo fourth grade. They (Farm Bureau) also sponsors

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Bailey County Farm Meets Are Scheduled

Danny Noble, Bailey County CED for the ASCS, will be explaining the 1988 Farm Program at the following locations in Bailey County:

At Muleshoe State Bank community room at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, February 24.

At the Bula School House on Thursday, February 25, at 8:30 a.m.

Maple Co-op Gin on Friday February 26, at 8:30 a.m.

Congressman Combest Holds Meeting Here

U. S. Representative Larry Combest found his Muleshoe constituents ready for him Friday morning when he arrived in Muleshoe.

More than 35 local business, government and community leaders responded to an invitation to meet with him at the Old Corral for a breakfast meeting.

Just before asking each person at the meeting to present their questions and concerns, Combest said he knew of a bad disease, affecting many Representatives and Congressmen, called 'Home Fever.'

"It is a very bad disease," said the Representative, "in that many of them get so wrapped up in what they are doing in Washington, they totally forget about the people back home."

He said his program included staying as close in touch with the 'home people' as he possibly can.

The Town Hall-type meetings have proven to be very successful, he added, and also said he welcomes criticism, as "Criticism helps us do better."

Congressman Combest then fielded all types of questions, some of which he could answer on the spot, and some he very frankly admitted he did not know the answer to, but would try to find out.

He addressed the 0/92 farm program, and said it was having quite an impact on farming, and especially agri-support businesses. "There is no way to know how many we will be signing up," said the Congressman. "But, I have mixed emotions about the program. It is a concern, because it could signi-

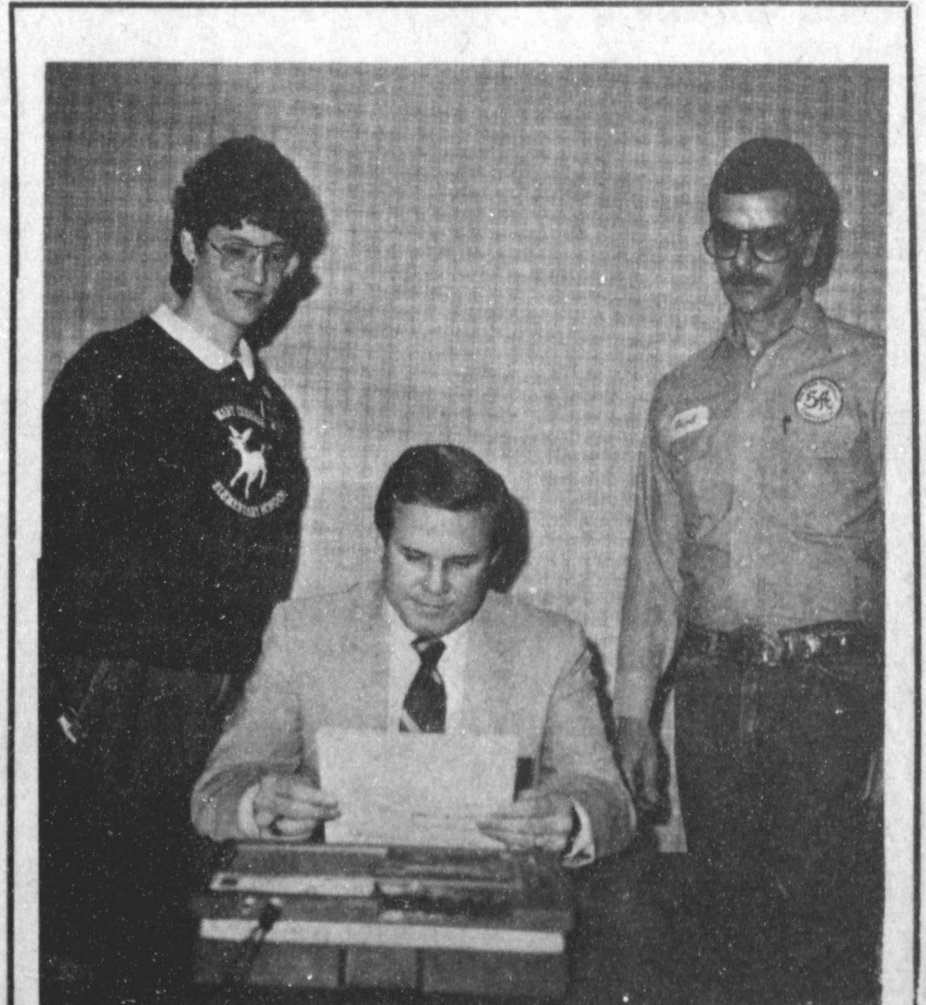
ficantly damage agriculture support industries."

Congressman Combest also talked briefly about the haying and grazing programs. He reminded that he does understand the farmer's plight, be-

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FARM BUREAU WEEK--Wednesday morning, Bailey County Judge Gordon H. Green, center, declared the week of February 15-20 as Farm Bureau Week in Bailey County. He cited all the work done to help especially farmers and ranchers. Looking on from left while the county judge signed the proclamation are from left, Curby Brantley, Jr. and Curtis Hunt, both members of the Board of Directors of the Bailey County Farm Bureau.



PARTICIPATING IN HEART MONTH--Janie Moynihan, left, president of the Bailey County Chapter of the American Heart Association and Hugh Young, board member, look on as Congressman Larry Combest records a 'spot' for the Heart Association auction coming up for Saturday at KMUI Radio. Congressman Combest was in Muleshoe for a Breakfast meeting Friday morning.

\$1.65; and Barley-\$1.40.

After much waiting and speculation, the ASCS office, Danny Noble, County Executive Director, has released the 1988 Farm Program.

Noble said sign-up dates will be for the Farm Program, February 16, through April 15, 1988. The 0/92 for wheat and feed grains will be February 16 through March 11, 1988.

Secondly, Noble said Advance Deficiency payments will be equal to 40 percent of the estimated deficiency payment. One half will be made in cash at sign-up (as soon as possible) and the other one-half in Generic certificates on or about May 16, 1988.

Noble said the Estimated deficiency payments include: Wheat-\$1.53; Corn-\$1.10; Grain Sorghum-\$1.08; Barley - \$0.76; Oats-\$0.30; and Cotton-\$0.16.

Also, an optional paid land diversion will be available for corn, grain sorghum, and barley and producers may divert an additional 10 percent of the crop acreage base at a payment rate as outlined below:

Corn-\$1.75; Grain Sorghum-

According to the 1988 Farm Program, the 0/92 provision applies to wheat and feed grains only; and the 50/92 provision applies to cotton only.

Acreage reductions for each crop are as follows:

Wheat-27.5 percent; Corn, Grain Sorghum, and Barley-20.0 percent, Oats-5 percent and Cotton-12.5 percent.

Another feature of the 1988 Farm Program is grazing of ACR and CU acres. They will be permitted to be grazed, except during the five month non-grazing period. The non-grazing period for Bailey County is May 15 through October 14, 1988.

Haying of ACR and CU is not approved at this time, cautioned Noble. CU acres may be hayed and/or grazed if designated for history credit only.

An additional yield provision will be applicable if the 1988 farm established yield is less than 90 percent of the 1985 farm established yield.

ACR and CU requirements are the same as in 1987.

For producers participating in 0/92, payments will be limited to the following:

The Smaller of the:
A. Intended planted acres from the submitted offer.

B. Actual planted acreage

The smaller of the:
A. Intended CU for payment acres from the submitted offer.

B. CU reported and allocated to the crop.

Deficiency payments on CU for payment acreage are guaranteed. Cont. Page 6, Col. 3

CBS Film Crew Here This Week For Dan Rather

On Wednesday and Thursday of the past week, a news crew from CBS television was in Muleshoe.

The news crew was filming Gil Lamb and his Mule Train News, along with other local sites of interest.

Magann Rennels explained that the news crew, out of Denver, was filming the news segment for Dan Rather in New York.

A definite date for showing the local news clip has not been released.

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*Pine Derby Winners...
Second Grade Division*

Damon Davenport 3rd; Rodney Alanis 2nd; Christopher Shelbourne 1st



Pine Derby Winners...

Boy Scouts Unlimited Division

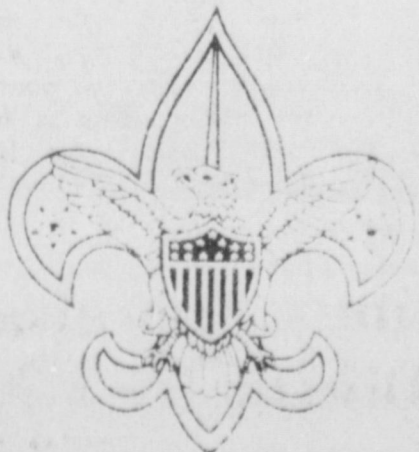
Scott Miramontes 3rd; Steven Wausen 2nd; Neal Watson 1st

Serv-All Thriftway

Stovall Printing

Lambert Cleaners

Viola's Restaurant



Pine Derby Winner...

Best Design

Joseph Hurtado

McCormick Seeds Inc.

Chubby's Beauty Shop

Muleshoe Floral & Gifts

Glenna's Beauty Retreat

K.C. Muffler & Mfg. Inc.

Winkler Meat Company

Main Street Beauty Shop

Farmer's Co-Op Elevators

Shipman & Son Body Shop

El Nuevo Leaf's Restaurant

Decorators Nursery & Floral Inc.

Allison Bookkeeping & Tax Service

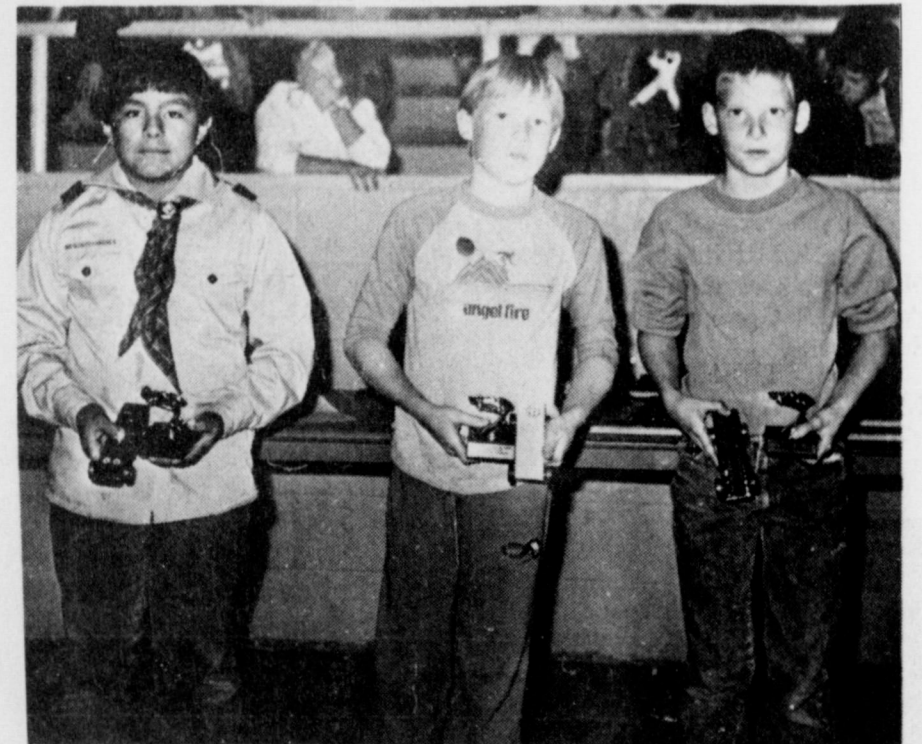
Joe's Boot Shop & Country Junction



Pine Derby Winners...

Third Grade Division

James Cox 3rd; Isaac Miramontes 2nd; Adam Graves 1st



Pine Derby Winners...

Webelos Division

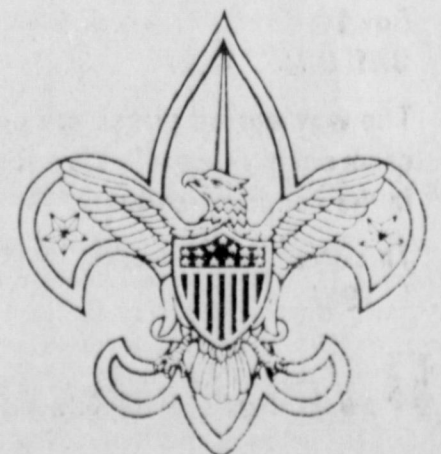
Michael Reyna 3rd; Shawn Porter 2nd; Larry Watson 1st

Pizza Hut

First Bank

Dairy Queen

Jack's TV Service





ACCIDENT VICTIM REMOVED FROM VEHICLE--Paramedics, EMTs and law enforcement are shown removing a 54-year old woman from her wrecked vehicle about three and half miles west of Muleshoe early Thursday night. The woman lost control of her vehicle after apparently having a 'seizure.' She was hospitalized overnight for observation.

Muleshoe Menu

FEBRUARY 15-19
BREAKFAST
MONDAY
 Milk, Cereal, Toast, Fruit
TUESDAY
 Milk, Cheese Toast, Fruit
WEDNESDAY
 Milk, Honey Buns, Juice
THURSDAY
 Milk, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit
FRIDAY
 Milk, Biscuits, Gravy, Sausage, Fruit
LUNCH
MONDAY
 Milk, Pizza, Mixed Vegetables, Pickles, Fruit
TUESDAY
 Milk, Hamburgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Tater Tots, Cobbler
WEDNESDAY
 Milk, Burritos, Macaroni & Tomatoes, Cheese Stick, Fruit, Cake
THURSDAY
 Milk, Frito Pie, Beans, Corn, Crackers, Peanut Butter-Confection
FRIDAY
 Milk, Turkey & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Eng. Peas, Hot Rolls, Fruit
COMBO
MONDAY
 Milk, Steak & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit
TUESDAY
 Milk, Hamburgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Tater Tots, Cobbler
WEDNESDAY

Milk, Taco's, Beans, Salad, Cheese, Crackers, Cake
THURSDAY
 Milk, Bar-B-Que, Beans, Corn, Corn Bread, Peanut Butter-Confection
FRIDAY
 Milk, Fish, Macaroni & Cheese, Eng. Peas, Hot Rolls, Fruit

Lazbuddie Menu

FEBRUARY 15-19
BREAKFAST
MONDAY
 Cereal, Juice, Milk
TUESDAY
 Toast, Bacon, Juice, Milk
WEDNESDAY
 Toast, Oatmeal, Milk
THURSDAY
 Cereal, Juice, Milk
FRIDAY
 Cinnamon Rolls, Applesauce, Milk
LUNCH
MONDAY
 Pizza, Corn, Green Salad, Pudding, Milk
TUESDAY
 Pile on Burritos, Green Salad, Pinto Beans, Cherry Cobbler, Milk
WEDNESDAY
 Steakfingers, Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk
THURSDAY
 Ham, Baked Potatoes, Broccoli, Bread, Fruit, Milk
FRIDAY
 Hamburgers, French Fries, Lettuce & Pickles, Brownies, Milk Salad Bar Is Served Daily

Three-Way Menu

FEBRUARY 15-19
BREAKFAST
MONDAY
 Cereal, Juice, Milk
TUESDAY
 Toast & Jelly, Juice, Milk
WEDNESDAY
 Biscuit, Gravy, Bacon, Jelly, Juice, Milk
WEDNESDAY
 Biscuit, Gravy, Bacon, Jelly, Juice, Milk
THURSDAY
 Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk
FRIDAY
 Waffles & Syrup, Juice, Milk
LUNCH
MONDAY
 Stew, Cheese Sticks, Corn Bread, Milk, Cobbler
TUESDAY
 Pinto Beans, Macaroni Salad, Tomato, Relish, Corn Bread, Milk, Fruit/Peanuts
WEDNESDAY
 Nacho Supreme, Mixed Raw Vegetables, June Peas, Milk, No-Bake Cookies
THURSDAY
 Fried Chicken/Cream Gravy, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Milk, Honey/Butter
FRIDAY
 Hamburgers/Cheese, Fries, Tomatoes, Onions, Buns, Milk, Cookies

Enochs News

by

Mrs. J.D. Bayless

I wish to say Thanks to Bill and Jean Sayers for putting up with all of my mistakes and all they have done for me the last 19 years I have wrote the news for them. Will miss you, Hello Lila New as she took over the paper and her daughter good luck to you both.

Mrs. Ellen Bayless was in Muleshoe Monday afternoon on business and visited Mrs. Clara Coffman then stopped at the Nursing Home and visited Mrs. Juanita Snow.

Mrs. Edward Crume visited her sister, Mrs. Juanita Snow at the nursing home in Muleshoe Monday afternoon.

We wish to express our sympathy to Mrs. Garvin Long and her family in the loss of her husband and father, Marvin died Thursday his services were Sunday at 3:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Morton.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key Sunday was his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Kirby are the parents of a baby born January 29 he weighed 8 pounds and 14 oz. his name is Cody Dillan, he has a sister Brittany and a brother, Monty. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Goldman Stroud of Enochs, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Kirby of Three Way and great grandmother, Mrs. Dollie Arnn of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Ima Roberts and Mrs. Bill Key and Mrs. Bonnie Long visited, Kent Cooper and Mrs. Kim Bracken and son in Level-land Monday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crume and having lunch with them last Saturday was a former pastor of Bula Baptist Church were Rev. and Mrs. Eddie Riley and children of Channing.

Spending last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key was Vanna Hamilton and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hamilton of Roswell, N.M.

Farm Bureau Leads Fight On New Tax

Texas Farm Bureau is mounting a statewide campaign for passage of legislation to maintain the federal diesel fuel excise tax exemption for off-highway agricultural use, according to S. M. True, TFB president.

Texas Congressional leaders are key proponents of bills to resolve a provision in the budget reconciliation bill recently passed by Congress that would substantially affect farmers and ranchers, True said.

The Revenue Act of 1987, enacted as part of H. R. 3545, the budget reconciliation bill, changes the collection point of the diesel fuel tax, forcing farmers and ranchers to pay the tax at the time of purchase and then apply for a refund. This is scheduled to take effect April 1. True said it is hoped that the new legislation can be passed before then.

In a letter to U. S. Rep. Kika de la Garza, chairman of the House Agricultural Committee, and to U. S. Senators Phil Gramm and Lloyd Bentsen, True said the provision would cause an "impending and imminent economic hardship on Texas agricultural producers."

\$2003 by Gramm, H.R. 3865 by U. S. Rep. Larry Combest and H.R. 3866 by de la Garza would exempt the 15 cents per gallon excise tax being levied on all diesel fuel used for farming purposes.

According to the new fuel tax guidelines, quarterly refunds would be limited to those for \$1,000 or more. Otherwise, refund applications would have to be made annually.

True said the up-front costs would increase as would record-keeping and tax preparation workload.

they won't



mix.

A message from this newspaper and the Texas Dept. of Public Safety

MEET THE CANDIDATES

The Journal has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office:

SHERIFF

Jerry Hicks

Ray Ruthardt

COMMISSIONER

Precinct 1

R. L. Scott

H. E. Newsom

James Meason

Precinct 3

Joey Kindt

TAX ASSESSOR

Kathleen Hayes

Correction visiting the Baptist Church last Sunday was Mrs. Ted Thomas.

Duane Bryant and daughter Sandra and two children of Clayton, N.M. visited his mother Mrs. Alberta Bryant in Littlefield the past week and Duane also visited with friends in Enochs, last week.

Harold Layton and son Robert spent Wednesday and Thursday night with his mother Mrs. Etta Layton, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton and their sons Mr. and Mrs. Jarrol Layton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Layton were also supper guests in the home of Mrs. Etta Layton.

How to get off our mailing list.

The 1987 Census of Agriculture is coming to a mailbox near you. And we're hoping that you'll take the time to fill out your Ag-Census questionnaire and return it before February 1, 1988.

That way, you won't receive another census form until 1992. Otherwise, we'll send you another Ag-Census questionnaire.

Those attending the Associational Evangelist Rally at the Baptist Church at Dimmitt last Wednesday night were Rev. and Mrs. David Graves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Peterson, Mrs. Bill Key and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Trotter of Amarillo spent last Friday night till Sunday with Sid Key, C.W. Hamilton of Roswell, N.M. also spent Friday night with them.

Mrs. Ellen Bayless was in Littlefield last Tuesday afternoon and visited Mrs. Alberta Bryant.

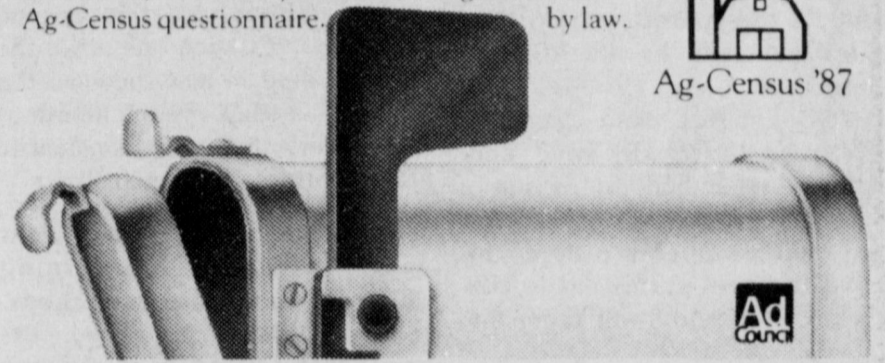
And another. And another. In fact, we'll keep on writing until you mail in your form.

So fill out and return your Ag-Census form early. All the information you give is completely confidential.

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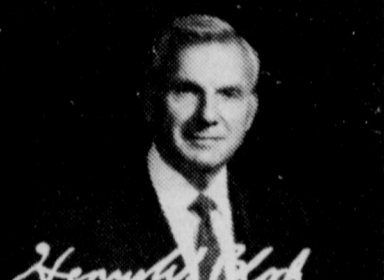


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for a homestead exemption if you owned your home on January 1 and used it as your primary residence on January 1. It doesn't matter whether your home is a house, a condominium or a mobile home.

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to all homeowners on their school taxes. Additional exemptions are available to homeowners who are disabled or age 65 and over. Other exemptions may be offered to homeowners by school districts, counties, cities, and special districts. All taxing units offer exemptions to disabled veterans.

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The deadline

for applications is April 30, 1988. Contact your appraisal district before then if you need more time.

For more information, get a free copy of the pamphlet, *Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities*, at your appraisal district office or from the State Property Tax Board in Austin.

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Muleshoe Jennyslippers Vote To Meet Bi-Monthly

Muleshoe Jennyslippers, Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, met at noon Tuesday in the Old Depot for their regular monthly business meeting. Sandi Robinson, president elect, was in charge of the meeting, due to the absence of the president, Donna Kirk.

Ellen Ladd, secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting and Norma Bruce, treasurer presented the treasurer's report.

Committee reports were given including a report on the booth the Jennyslippers will have at the Sweetheart Festival on Feb. 20th, given by Evelyn Peat. The Jennyslippers will have inflatable balloons as well as badges in both personalized and plain on sale at their booth.

Pat Langfitt gave a report on the needed items at the hospital and was elected to purchase some of the needed items with a check donated by the Jennyslippers.

Ms. Langfitt also gave a report on the Skate Swap and skating scheduled for Friday, Feb. 19 and all skaters adults and children alike are urged to bring their old skates out to the Civic Center and swap them for

Muleshoe

Art Association

Meets Tuesday

Muleshoe Art Association will meet at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 16 in the community room of Summit Savings. Jodie Johnson of Clovis, N.M. will give a water color demonstration.

Theda Cobb of Clovis, N.M. has been named Artist of the Month at the Muleshoe Public Library. Some of her paintings will be on display all during the month.

Earld Gross stated that all members are to take paintings to hang at the Old Corral Restaurant.

She also said that visitors are always welcome.

skates that will be of more use to them. Admission for the skating will be one dollar per skater.

The Chamber of Commerce Scholarship fund was reported on by Billie Downing and Vivian White and Thursie Reid gave a report on Bailey County Trails and Tales, the Bailey County History Book. They reported that the book is coming along real well but more workers are needed to finish getting the book together. They also reminded everyone of the book sales. The pre-publication price is \$55 per book. After publication the book will be higher in price and everyone is encouraged to get their order in soon and avoid paying the higher price.

The Easter Egg hunt was discussed with more action to be taken on it at a later date.

In addition to the second Tuesday of each month, the group voted to also meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at the library. Everyone is asked to take a brown bag lunch.

Students and Parents night was discussed concerning financial assistance workshops. Several individuals have expressed an interest in helping with this workshop.

Closing out the meeting, Evelyn Peat gave a report on the Texas Press Women's Association workshops she attended recently.

The Modern Way

He—It will be real simple for us to get married, darling. My father is a minister.

She—Okay, let's give it a whirl. Mine's an attorney.

Time Enough

"Man can do no wrong."
"Right. If there's a mistake made at home, it's the wife's fault; and if there's one made at the office, it's his secretary's."



MARATHON RUNNERS—Gene McGuire, left, and Terrie Hutton spoke to the fourth and fifth grade students at Mary DeShazo Elementary School Wednesday afternoon. They told the students about the marathon races they had run.

Creative Living

by Sheryl Borden

Information on a traditional Tennessee barbeque and a discussion with the hairstylist for many of the world's rich and famous women will be featured on "Creative Living" on Tuesday, February 16 at 12 noon and repeated on Saturday, February 20 at 2:00 p.m. on KENW-TV. (All times are Mountain).

Mary Ann Fowlkes represents Hickory Specialties, Brentwood, TN, and she is an expert on grilling food. She will share some tips on preparing food for the grill and demonstrate how to get that wonderful hickory, smoked flavor. We'll learn some techniques for skewer cooking and find out how to cook vegetables on the grill. With the popularity of indoor grills, we can enjoy the flavor and good taste of barbeque year 'round.

Another guest will be Charles Nicholas, a hairstylist from New York who serves as a spokesperson for Pantene Hair Care Products. Charles says that the first step to having a healthy head of hair is understanding the characteristics of your own particular hair type. He will discuss the different hair categories and share some tips that make having beautiful, healthy hair within everyone's reach.

On Tuesday February 16 at 9:30 p.m. and on Thursday, February 18 at 12 noon, Marlene Brown will show how to present beautiful food, even if you're not a professional food stylist. Marlene is a food writer, a food stylist and a food consultant and has her own business in Los Angeles, CA called "Marlene's Cuisine!"

Lucille Romanello, representative of Tri-Chem, Inc. in Harrison, NJ will demonstrate making gift items for any occasion using a variety of products from Tri-Chem.

Also, Peggy Gikas, interior decorator with Twin Oaks in Farwell, TX will show four different rooms, with four different moods created through the use of different fabrics and different window treatments. She'll show some new items on the market in the area of window treatments.

GENERAL GRILLING TIPS
Cook vegetables such as corn in the husk, whole squash, onions, potatoes, directly in the coals to give them a wonderful woody flavor.

Use a drip pan made of heavy duty foil under large cuts of meats to prevent flare-ups.

Cut vegetables into bite size wedges or chunks, impale on skewers and grill 10-15 minutes, basting with Italian dressing.

Desserts from the grill are great! Try pineapple kabobs or foil wrapped apples stuffed with nuts, raisins, brown sugar and cinnamon. Grill 15-20 minutes.

BARBECUED SPARERIBS
4 pounds spareribs, Tennessee Barbecue Sauce
Place ribs in a shallow pan. Bake in a 400 degree F. oven for 30 to 40 minutes to remove excess fat. Blot ribs with paper towels. Place ribs on grill over medium coals or cook indirectly for 1 to 1½ hours. During the last 20 minutes of cooking time, baste with Tennessee Barbecue Sauce. Makes 4 to 6 servings.

TENNESSEE BARBECUE SAUCE

1 medium onion, finely chopped, 1 clove garlic, minced, 2 Tbsp. vegetable oil, 1½ cups catsup, ¼ cup brown sugar, 2 Tbsp. Jack Daniel's whiskey, 1 tsp. liquid smoke, 2½ Tbsp. cider vinegar, ½ tsp. dry mustard, 2 drops hot pepper sauce.

Saute onion and garlic in vegetable oil until tender. Stir in remaining ingredients and bring to a boil over medium heat. Reduce heat and simmer for 10 minutes. Makes about 2 cups. Great for chicken, pork and beef.

Rhonda Martin Honored With Bridal Shower

Rhonda Martin, bride elect of Brad Avants, was honored with a bridal shower on Saturday, February 13 in the community room of the Sudan Bank.

Assorted breads, spreads and nuts were served from crystal and silver appointments and coffee and spiced tea from a grey heather colored porcelain carafes.

The serving table was covered with an off white embroidered cloth and accented with an arrangement of peach carnations and greenery in a crystal vase.

Special guests were Nelda Baccus, grandmother of the honoree; the honoree's bridesmaid, Christie "Schuster" Well-er of Groom.

Each hostess presented an individual gift to the honoree. Hostesses were Sara Woods, Bee Willingham, Ginger Ritchey, Hazel May and Doris May.

Definition

Secret—Something that is hushed about from place to place.

Alpha Zeta Pi Holds Regular Meeting

Alpha Zeta Pi Sorority met on Tuesday, Feb. 2nd at 7 p.m. in the home of Pam Gamble. Ms. Gamble served a meal of chicken spaghetti, salad, bread sticks and pineapple upside-down cake for dessert.

Cindy Barrett reported that

the items which the sorority donated to the Community Action Center was greatly appreciated. The Valentine Dance will be considered the next meeting on February 12th at the Muleshoe Country Club.

After the meeting was closed Louvenia Garlington brought a program on Beauty Control Make-up.

Those present were Pam Atwood, Cindy Barrett, Stephanie Barrett, Yolanda Bell, Shelli Carpenter, Shelly Carver,

Starla Ellis, Pam Gamble, Monica Henry, Kay Lepard, Rhonda Myers, Jolene Rupe and Lynn Vandiver.

Rebekah Lodge News

Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge No. 114 met in regular session Tuesday night, Feb. 9 with the Noble Grand presiding. Dimple Sims gave the opening prayer.

During the business meeting, June Green and Fern Davis were elected as representatives to the South Plains pre-association meeting to be held in Muleshoe on Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m.

It was reported that the Secretary and Scribes Association met in Lubbock today, Sunday, Feb. 14 in the precinct house just off Slide on 50th Street.

Drill practice was conducted by Ona Berry, team captain with Ruby Green assisting.

Refreshments were served to the 19 members attending by Novella Price and Adele Tompkins.

Nursing Home News

by Joy Stancell

Thursday morning, Clara Lou Jones played the piano while Lois Ethridge led us in Gospel Singing.

Bro. Barry Bradley and Barry Moynihan of the First Baptist Church came Friday afternoon to sing, play the piano and read scriptures, share thoughts and feelings with the residents.

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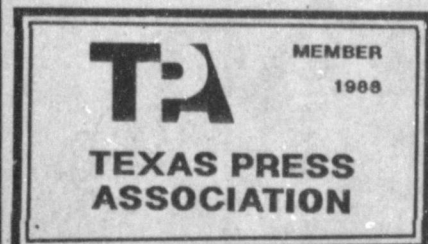
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JOY STANCELL

Surprise Birthday Party Honors Joy Stancell

A surprise birthday party was held Wednesday afternoon honoring Joy Stancell, activity coordinator at the Muleshoe Nursing Home.

Residents, family and friends gathered in the day room of the nursing home for the surprise party and the residents present-

ed the honoree with a gold chain necklace. She also received cologne along with numerous birthday cards.

The theme of the party was "This Is Your Life". Jackie Johnson was assisted by Glenna Jennings. Jim Swanner, administrator for the nursing home, read a poem and Awilda Hayes expressed her gratitude to Mrs. Stancell for the many things she does.

A silver candelabra holding pink tapers adorned the serving table which was covered with a white lace table cloth.

A pink birthday cake, party nuts and pink lemonade was served to the large crowd who attended.

Windfall!

"The bank just returned your check dear," groaned the young husband.

The bride beamed. "Isn't that swell? What'll we buy with it this time?"

Reminders

Burke—What's those names written on your calendar? "Lois" on the 2nd; "Madge, on the 5th; "Julia," on the 20th and "Geraldine" on the 20th? What is the idea?

Watson—Those are my alimony days.

At Last the Truth

"Are you listening to the news, dear?"

"No, I heard the news, I'm listening to the meaning of the news."

"What does he say?"
"He says he doesn't know what it means."

Costumes 'Under Construction' For Seasonal Musical

Hours of designing, cutting, measuring, and stitching are underway for costumes needed in Applause, a glittering backstage musical which will come alive at the University Theatre, presented by the ENMU Department of Theatre & Dance. Performances are scheduled for February 19, 20, 26, and 27 at 8:00 p.m. A special Sunday matinee will be presented on the 28th at 2:00 p.m.

"The most interesting thing about working on the costumes for Applause has been the research," said Annette Bailey, designer. "Having to attend fashion shows, shopping through the latest catalogues for ideas...It has been a tough assignment," she said with a smile.

Bailey is the Theatre Department's Costumer-in-Residence. She has designed costumes for several productions at Eastern, including the summer shows The Foreigner and Hay Fever. The costumes for Applause, according to Bailey, follow current fashion trends, "but with a lot of 'flash'...lots of glitter. We plan to dazzle the audience every night."

Applause has been described as a backstage glamour musical with scenes such as an opening

night celebration, the Tony Awards ceremony, and the backstage friction between performers. It features elaborate costumes, exciting dance numbers and a touch of old-fashioned sentiment.

Applause is based on the motion picture "All About Eve", which starred Betty Davis with Anne Baxter in the cast. The musical adaptation, with book by Betty Comden and Adolph Green, music by Charles Strouse, and lyrics by Lee Adams, follows the film version in its story about Margo Channing, a middle-aged actress, and Eve Harrington, a young and ambitious "would-be actress. Eve makes her way into Margo's life as friend, confidant, and understudy to Margo's starring role. Both

Margo's starring role and Margo's attractive and youthful boyfriend became Eve's target.

The motion picture version ends as Eve, having achieved stardom, sits alone in her dressing room. Enter...a younger version of herself, with more ambition, more drive, and more beauty. The stage version ends with the focus on Margo...a touching, sentimental, and "traditional" happy ending.

Applause opened in New York in March, 1970, with Lauren Bacall in the role of Margo. It received glowing reviews, being cited for its fast-moving choreography, and impressive sets and costumes. Prior to her "One Day at a Time" television fame, Bonnie Franklin played the young actress who sings the title number.

A few weeks after the New York opening, Applause won the Tony Award as best musical of the season. Tony Awards were also given to the director, the choreographer, and to Lauren Bacall as best actress in a musical.

Reservations can be made at the University Theatre Box Office, which will open February 8th. Hours are Monday through Friday, from 10:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Call 562-2710. Special rates are available for groups of ten or more.

In Fashion

Stretchy puckered fabrics that cling to the body are going to be very popular in spring and summer fashions. Evening wear fashioned from puckered acetate rayon are glamorous.

There's a return to the jacket dress. Collarless jacket lengths vary from the minimal bolero over a slim-fitted jumper dress to a three-quarter princess jacket over a simple little dress—both in a luxurious soft silk.

Navy is always a popular spring color. Lilac and black are a new color combination.

Sly Husband

Mert: "I'd like to get a divorce. My husband and I just don't get along."

Gert: "Why don't you sue him for incompatibility?"

Mert: "I would, if I could catch him at it."

Teach Tough Courses

Secretary of Education William Bennett is on target when he says most U.S. schools in the country's recent permissive convulsion copped out and began allowing high school and college students to graduate without taking the traditional, difficult courses.

Such courses as "enhanced out-of-school productivity studies" and "education for citizenship" and etc. have been substituted for history, science, math, English, etc. And students who pile up credits and graduate after such junk or crap courses have suffered a great disservice.

Bennett says all American children deserve better—and rejects arguments of some that underprivileged children can't pass standard courses. He cites examples in many of the nation's inner cities where minority and underprivileged students are doing excellent work with traditional and classical curriculums.

Of course they can; American children have been demonstrating that for generations.

What is lacking in so many U.S. schools today is the necessary discipline and/or authority among teachers and administrators. As Bennett and columnist Georgie Anne Guyer observe, schools should drop the idea that they are out to reform society (which they can't do anyhow) and educate children.

They haven't been doing a good job of that for at least twenty years.

Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Dennis Scott Bollinger, Fetuville, Fl. and Gina Lynn Barrom, Mineral Wells, Tx.

Monroe Tee Roberts and Glennia Lerae Bright, Sudan

WARRANTY DEEDS

Jesus Garza Anzaldua and Elva Anzaldua to J. F. Simkins—A part of the South one-half of Section Number (40), Block "Y", WD&FW Johnson's Subdivision No. 2, to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

E.H. Hall to Elias Noe Anzaldua—All of lots Nos. 16 and 17, McCain Addition, an addition to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Tx.

Jim Kassahn to F. D. Meeks—Tract 1: All of Survey No. 4, League No. 205, Garza County School Lands, Bailey County, Texas.

TRACT 2: All of League 220, Castro Co. School Lands, Lamb and Bailey Counties, Texas; and TRACT 3: A 33631 acre tract of land out of Survey 9, 10, and 11, Block S-2, John H. Stephens Survey, Bailey County, Texas, and lying North and along adjacent to Survey No. 4, League 205, Garza County School Lands, and League 220, Castro County School Lands, Lamb and Bailey Counties, Texas, and also being known as the North 33631 acres of the James Ranch.

Elias Noe Anzaldua and wife, Viola B. Anzaldua to Jesus Vargas and wife, Sally Vargas—All of lots Number (16) and (17) McCain Addition to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Lewis Scoggin to Joe H. Simnacher—All of the (SE/4) of Section 15, Block "Z", WD&FW Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas.

Heriberto Vasquez, Sr. and wife, Concha to Elias Noe Anzaldua and wife—All of the North 33 and 1/2 feet of Lot No. 4, Block No. 2, Golf Course Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Ida Ruth Holt to Robert G. Holt and Caroline H. Harmon—All of Lot No. 6, in Block No. 5, of the Lenau Subdivision to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

COUNTY COURT

State of Texas VS Jerry L. Ford, Motion to Dismiss
Rosalinda Toscano, Driving While License Suspended
Abraham Peters Loewen, Judgment, DWI, 20 days, \$250 fine, 1 Year Probation.

Janie Carrion, Sale of Alcoholic Beverage In Dry Area, \$250 Fine.

DISTRICT COURT

Benny Pena VS Billy McBride, Order Setting Hearing Date

Energas Co. VS P. and S. Capitol, Notice of Hearing

Bill Jim St. Clair and Red Boyd Black VS G.S. Investments, Inc., Tommy Gunstream, Individually and d/b/a G.T., Inc., and Johnny W. Actkinson, Order of Dismissal.

Latest Arrivals



Shyann Michelle Stephens

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Stephens are the proud parents of a daughter, Shyann Michelle, who was born at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 9 in West Plains Medical Center.

Shyann Michelle weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces. She is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are J. O. and Leavell Parker of Muleshoe, John A. and Dottie Stephens of Clovis, N.M. and May and Helen Chavez of Summerville, South Carolina.

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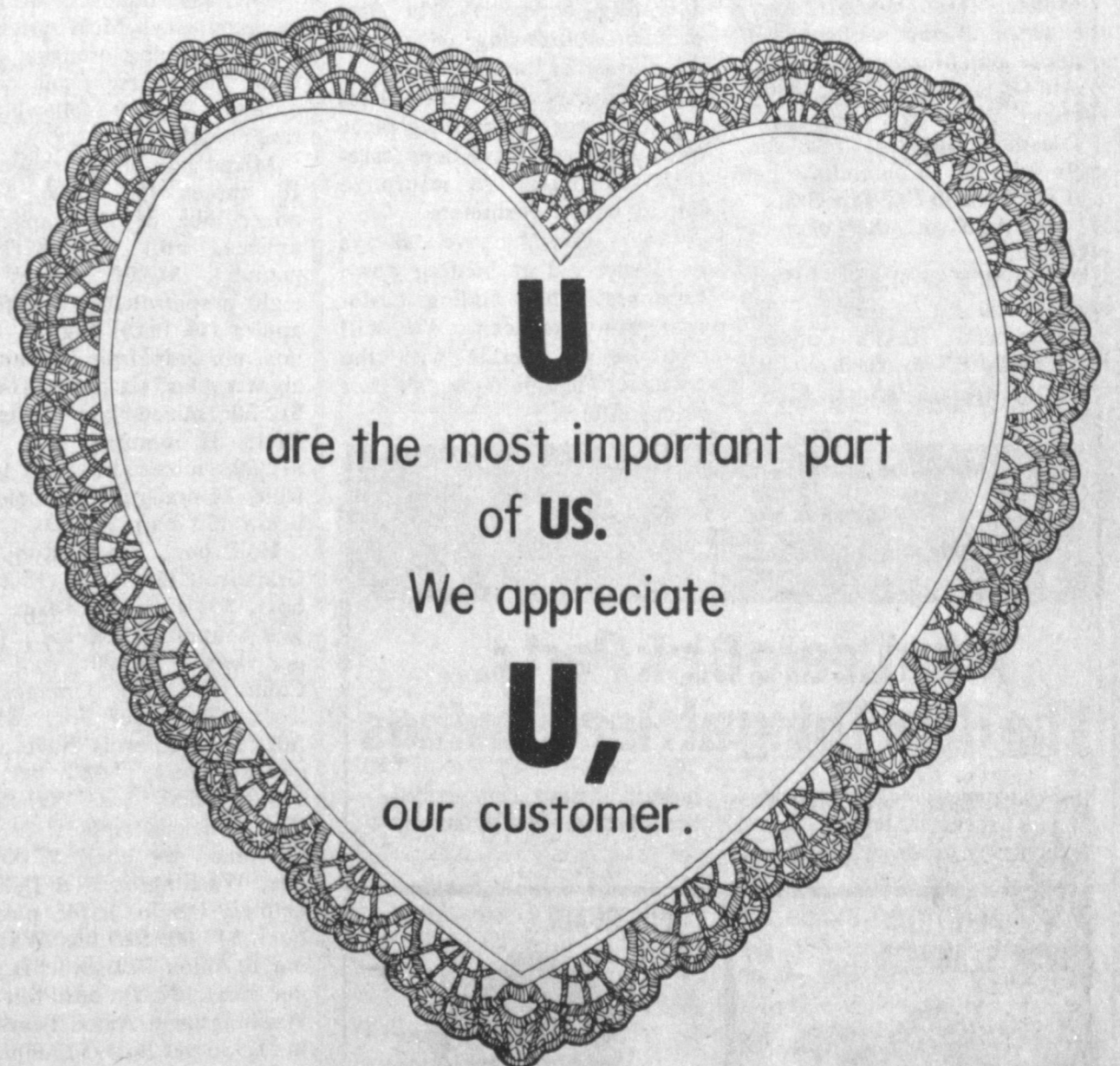
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Muleshoe...

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He was first taken to Northwest Hospital in Amarillo for emergency treatment, then was transferred to St. Anthony's Hospital.

Officer Kemp underwent surgery Saturday morning to repair a crushed right leg and a broken hip.

Funeral services are pending with Ellis Funeral Home in Muleshoe for Adelina Gonzalez, 66, of Muleshoe.

She died at 5:13 p.m. on Friday, February 12, in Methodist Hospital, following an illness.

Pre entrance exams for the Associate Degree Nursing Program at South Plains College is scheduled Saturday, Feb. 20. Exams begin at 8:30 a.m. in SPC Students Assistant Center located on the third floor of the library.

This test is required of all persons who wish to enroll in the two year program. Graduates are eligible to take the state board exam for licensure as Registered Nurses.

For reservations you are asked to contact SPC Counseling office at 894-9611 extension 387.

Post Office Hours 'Cut Back'

Abel Arguello, Muleshoe Post Master, has announced new hours for the Muleshoe Post Office effective yesterday, Sat-

Gospel Meeting

Set This Week

At Lazbuddie

Lazbuddie Church of Christ will hold four days of special services, with John M. Davis as guest speaker.

Members of the Church have issued a cordial 'welcome' to anyone in the community who would like to attend any or all of the services.

Sunday services at 9:30 a.m. will be "Help For Troubled Homes." The 10:15 a.m. service will be "The Church," and the 6 p.m. meeting will feature "What Shall I Do With My Sins?"

Monday through Wednesday, the twice a day services will include on Monday, "In the World-Of the World" and in the evening, "All God's Counsel."

Tuesday morning, the services will be "Contending For The Faith" and "Cheap Grace" is the title of the evening program.

Concluding services on Wednesday will be "Guilt" in the morning and "God's Concern For The Lost," to close out the four day special Gospel Meeting.

Closing laws and new Minimum Wage laws are expected to be presented one after the other, and Congressman Combest said small, rural businesses with no 'fat' to lean back on will be adversely hurt if these particular laws are approved.

Talking about schools and education, Combest said schools should be able to have federal money without so much interference from the federal authorities. However, he said "Red tape is a part of receiving federal dollars."

Several questions were posed by bankers present on banking regulations, and were answered by the Congressman.

While talking about taxes, Combest emphasized that an increase in taxes will not deal with the problem, in have enough money to spend on federal programs. He advocates a cut in government spending, rather than keep increasing taxes.

"The answer is for Congress to take the responsibility of doing what they should," said Combest.

Inequities in payment of Medicare claims between urban and rural hospitals was the focus of another segment of the Congressman's questions.

He acknowledged the inequities did exist, and the government was working on solutions to the problem at this time.

Liability insurance, and the skyrocketing cost, was the focus

of another part of the discussion. Combest said insurance rates were regulated by each state, but state governments were looking into the problems posed.

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Farm Program

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anted to be at a rate not less than the estimated deficiency payment rate for the crop.

He also said producers submitting a 0/92 offer for a crop will be allowed to cancel the 0/92 offer, by crop, and enroll in the Acreage Reduction Program and diversion program, on or before April 15, 1988.

Producers who do not enroll in 0/92 by March 11, 1988, or who elect to cancel their offer, will not receive the CU payment credit for wheat and feed grains.

April 15, 1988, is the date for determining the status of individuals or entities in applying 1988 maximum payment limitation requirements.

Other current information released by Noble includes:

ACP SIGNUP

There will be an ACP signup for terraces, underground pipe, permanent grass, and spraying broom snakeweed, beginning February 16, 1988 and will continue through February 26, 1988. Anyone who wants to cost-share assistance for 1988 needs to apply during this time.

1987 FINAL COTTON DEFICIENCY

The final 1987 cotton deficiency payments should be received in the ASCS office

County 4-H Youth Will Sell Fruit

Bailey County Extension Agent Kandy K. McWhorter says that 4-H youth are again selling fresh fruit as a money making project this year.

Funds received will be used to support the 4-H general fund and the exchange project for Bailey County 4-H youth.

The assortment of fruit will be good, says McWhorter, and includes apples, oranges, grapefruit and pears. Fruit can be ordered in the following arrangements:

Mixed box of 18 oranges and 18 apples (18 lbs.), \$12.50; mixed box of 14 oranges, 12 apples, and 10 pears (18 pounds), \$12.50; mixed box, eight grapefruit, 14 oranges, 10 apples (18 lbs.), \$12.50; mixed box, six grapefruit, 12 oranges, eight apples, six pears, (18 lbs.) \$12.50; mixed box, 16 grapefruit, 32 oranges, (30 lbs.), \$17.00; mixed box, 12 grapefruit, 24 oranges, 16 apples, 12 pears, (30 lbs.), \$18.00.

Half box, Texas Ruby Red Grapefruit (20 lbs.), (18-20 per box), \$9; full box Texas Ruby Red Grapefruit, (40 lbs.), (36-40 per box), \$16.00; half box, California Navel Oranges, (20 lbs.), (36-44 per box), \$10.00; full box, California Navel Oranges, (40 lbs.), (72-88) per box), \$18.00; half box Washington Red Delicious Apples, (9 lbs.), (22 plus, per box), \$7.00; full box, Washington Red Delicious Apples, (18 lbs.), (45 plus per box), \$13.00; half box Washington d/Anjou Pears (8 lbs.), (18 per box), \$7.00; and full box, Washington d/Anjou Pears, (16 lbs.), (36 per box), \$13.00.

4-H members will be contacting their friends and neighbors

and FCC problems. National Health Care, tax incentives for ethanol production, electric utility deregulation, and agriculture production all came in for brief discussions during the meeting.

The Congressman said that only by hearing from his constituents, could he know what their questions and concerns were, and know what most needed to be addressed at the time.

He encouraged anyone with questions to contact his office, pledging continuing help to the entire area he serves.

within the next week or two.

Noble said the payments will be based on \$.173 per pound and all payments will be made in certificates.

He said if you accepted the advance payment of \$.0815, your final payment will be \$.0915. According to the County Executive Director, payments will be mailed out as soon as possible.

INTEREST RATE

The loan interest rate for February is 7.125 percent.

1987 CROP LOAN DEADLINE

The final date for placing 1987 crops in the loan are as follows: Wheat-March 31, 1988. Soybeans, cotton, corn and grain sorghum is May 31, 1988.

RECONSTITUTIONS

The ASCS office needs to know now of any changes that would cause a farm or farms to be combined or divided for the 1988 program year.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT

Foreign investors buying land are required by law to report any purchase or sale to the USDA within 90 days of the transaction.

Penalties can amount to 25 percent of the fair market value of the property. Forms are available in the ASCS office.

Farm Bureau...

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firemen to the state Firemen's School each year. They contribute to the Bailey County Junior Livestock Show and are active in other community affairs.

This year, three couples are participating in the Young Farmer and Rancher Committee Awards Program. This program speaks highly of the important role of young farmers and ranchers in the Texas Farm Bureau.

It offers young farmers and ranchers the opportunity to better the agricultural profession, enhance their own capabilities and receive recognition in the process. The local young farmers and ranchers participating in the program are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hooten, Mr. and

Mrs. Curtis Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Curby Brantley, Jr.

Mullettes...

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They were Amy Harrison, with 14 points and Debbie Brown, who had 13 points, Michelle Cox had seven points; and Wendy Green had six points; it was three for Joey Heathington and two each for Heather Hutton, Amy Bean, Krystal Angeley and Brenna Matthews.

In earlier action, the JV Mullettes defeated the Friona JV team by 48-42.

Again, a large crowd was on hand to see the Mules and Mullettes play. This is the first time in many years that a Muleshoe High School basketball team has been near the playoff action as the Mullettes are at this time.

Kiwanis Club Remembers Last 15 Years

By: R. A. Bradley

Twelve members and sweetheart. Sue Haire, met at the Old Seventh Grade

Basketballers Fall

To Floydada

Thursday night, the Watson Junior High School seventh grade A team girls lost out to Floydada in the Littlefield District Tournament.

Floydada eked out a six point win, 20-26, over the Muleshoe team, leading 5-8 at the end of the first and 10-16 by halftime. It was 14-20 in the third, with each team scoring six points in the final stanza.

Angie King was leading scorer for Muleshoe with eight; Rachel Toscano and Cristal Sargent each had four points; and with one point each were Becky Donaldson, Stephanie Francis, Jennifer Johnson and Kristin Chitwood.

Leading the scoring for Floydada was Younger, with 15.

Jennifer Johnson had one offensive rebound; Stephanie Francis had one offensive and one defensive rebound; and Rachel McAdams had three defensive rebounds; Cristal Sargent had two defensive rebounds; and with one defensive rebound each were Keisha Kemp, April Hugg, Angie King and Rachel Toscano.

Then team was 8-24 in field goals, for 33 percent; and 4-15 from the free throw line for 27 percent.

Coach Shelly Turnbow commented, "Every girl on the team put 100 percent into the game and hustled the entire game. They all played together as a team and showed a lot of promise for next year. I was very proud of each player."

Corral Tuesday morning for the weekly Kiwanis Club get-together. President Max Crittenden called the meeting to order.

Howard Watson led the Club in the pledge to the flag and Merlyn Neel gave the invocation.

The friendship coin was given by myself, Brad, to a person he found walking around the hospital last night carrying a very pretty and tiny dress, trying to make a date with a young lady named Cheyenne Michelle Stephens.

Brad decided that since J. O. Parker was a new Grand Pa and had to sleep with a Grand Ma, he surely needed a friend.

Congratulations to the Parkers on their new granddaughter, born Tuesday evening.

Max Crittenden had to leave early, so he turned the program over to Brad, and Brad, along with Howard Watson, Lonnie Merriott and Merlyn Neel, being the four charter members present, went over some of the troubles and joys the Kiwanis Club has gone thru the last 15 years.

The Kiwanis Club has been involved in quite a few things in the past 15 years, along with the rest of the fine people in Muleshoe. It was a lot of fun to reminisce about the past. The Kiwanis Club will be putting out the flags next Monday in honor of President's Day. They will also have the nail driving booth at the Fine Arts Booster's Valentine and Sweetheart celebration at the Civic Center, February 20.

The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts held their Pine Wood Derby at the Civic Center Thursday night, February 11. About 30 cars were entered in four classes.

Lots of fun was had by all.



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Chuck Dammitt, Jr., Pioneer Sales Representative (l), with his dad, Chuck Dammitt, Sr., and customer Jim Collins (r), near Dimmitt, Texas.

MEET THE CANDIDATES

The Journal has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office:

Parmer County

Tax Assessor
Doris Herington

SHERIFF
Larry Cox

National Cotton Council Asks Support For Law

The National Cotton Council called for continued support of the 1985 farm law with its market orientation, target price system, and a CCC loan level that promotes orderly marketing and an adequate cotton supply to meet customers' needs here and overseas.

The resolution was among 163 adopted at the Council's 50th annual meeting in Memphis this week.

Delegates also called for: (1) industrywide support for research and promotion legislation which would extend the market development assessment to the cotton content of textile imports, (2) a strong effort to pass textile trade legislation, (3) a voluntary paid diversion for the 1988 crop not to exceed five percent, and (4) establishment of a more accurate reporting system which reflects actual price differences in various qualities of cotton in particular markets.

The council also called on Congress and the Administration to continue foreign market development through the Targeted Export Assistance Program, and urged all cotton organizations interested in expanding foreign markets to increase funding for Cotton Council International (CCI).

Regarding the controversial Endangered Species Act, the Council called for a delay in implementing the law until further study is done on what

constitutes an endangered species in affected areas of the Belt.

The Council advocated quick response programs to facilitate a faster and more accurate flow of information between the cotton and textile industries, and support of efforts to provide producers better information on the true quality of planting seed.

The organization agreed to ask USDA to establish a different Universal Standards Advisory Committee to approve by three-fourths majority the official quality standards boxes. The voting committee would consist of 12 U. S. cotton producers and ginners, four merchants, two cooperatives, six textile manufacturers, six representatives from foreign arbitration boards, six from foreign spinner associations in countries that import more than 50,000 bales of U. S. cotton each year, plus non-voting advisors and observers.

In an address to delegates, Wal-Mart chief executive officer David Glass, Bentonville, Ark., called for suppliers, manufacturers, and retailers to form partnership to save American jobs and allow the U. S. to compete more effectively against imports. Since Wal-Mart initiated its Buy American program about three years ago, it has sold \$1.4 billion in U. S.-made products that earlier would have been imported. Glass said this is "only a drop in the bucket" compared

with what could be done if Americans worked together to restore competitiveness. Nick Hahn, Cotton Incorporated, hailed 1980s as an outstanding opportunity to build markets for U. S. cotton. CCI president Sam Reeves, Fresno, CA, told of plans for stepped-up export promotion of U. S. cotton through the TEA program.

Earlier, Rep. Beryl Anthony (D-Ark.), Ways and Means Committee member, said there is no such thing as free trade. "It is governed by rules and regulations, and the U. S. has lost 1,000 factories, 350,000 jobs, and 700,000 job opportunities to textile and apparel imports since 1977."

The Arkansas Congressman said the U. S. government should be run like a business, with adjustments to current market conditions. "If, after negotiation, these countries don't open their doors, then we must do something about it," Anthony declared. "I know 67 percent of Americans have said they would favor doing something about protecting U.S. jobs."

He urged members of the Council's Committee for the Advancement of Cotton to help secure effective trade legislation. If this is done, he said a bill possibly could be passed before year's end.

At the meeting's opening session, Treasury Secretary James A. Baker, III, hailed the recent U.S.-Canadian agreement as a potential catalyst at home and abroad for a new strategy that could set trade policy on a positive international course. White House chief of staff Howard Baker, who spoke shortly after the Secretary, said President Reagan will visit Mexico later this week to explore the possibility of expanding the U.S.-Canada agreement into a North American Accord that would establish a continental market larger than that of Western Europe.

Council executive vice president Earl Sears said U. S. cotton is moving into the year with decided momentum, but will face "hurdles" in securing passage of textile trade legislation and a measure that extends U. S. cotton producers' research and promotion assessment to the cotton content of textile imports.

Earlier, in a theme-setting address, Council President Aven Whittington reminded cotton leaders of the industrywide organization's history making accomplishments in the past half century, and challenged them to build on their legacy of industry unity in tackling future problems.

BIBLE VERSE

"In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength."

1. Who was the author of the above statement?
2. Through whom was it spoken?
3. What was his position at the time?
4. Where may this promise be found?

Answers to Bible Verse

1. Jehovah.
2. Isaiah.
3. The foremost prophet of the Jews.
4. A part of Isaiah 30:15.

Valentine's Day

Despite popular conceptions, there's no general agreement as to the origin of St. Valentine's Day. Perhaps the most logical explanation how the name Valentine was connected with a day lovers send tokens to one another lies in a prevalent belief in Europe in the Middle Ages.

Literature of this period, Chaucer's time, shows the popular conception was that birds began to mate on February 14. Thereafter, English literature frequently mentions the day as a sacred one for lovers. The name itself could have come from either of three great Valentines.

One was a priest in Rome, another a bishop in Terni, and there was a third, of which very little is known.

The custom of observing St. Valentine's Day has grown into one of our most delightful customs. Young lovers exchange Valentines and presents. There's an air of romance about the day.

February's Hints

February gives many Americans the first hint of spring. In the more southern latitudes the first bulbs and flowers sprout.

By the late days of February the careful observer can see quite a difference in the sun's light, as days grow longer.

By about the 20th, many Major League baseball pitchers are in Florida, Arizona or California in training camps, which open in February.

This year Washington's birthday will be observed early—the 15th.

Next month, of course, brings the arrival of spring, on the 20th, when day and night are equal in length; then we have turned the corner toward summer, which this year begins on June 21.

Three-Way News

By: Mrs. H.W. Garvin

The Jack Lane family visited his parents, the V.A. Lanes, in Littlefield Saturday afternoon and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Amel Maca, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fox from Clovis and Rev. and Mrs. James Gillentine from Lubbock spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. H.W. Garvin, and attended the funeral of their cousin, Garvin Long.

Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Simpson spent the past week visiting and sight seeing in Tennessee and the Carolian's.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Durham from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tyson and children from Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Davis from Maple and Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Fleming from Brownfield visited in the George Tyson home Sunday.

U.S. Mail Service

It's sad to report, but U.S. mail service between cities and towns of medium and smaller size is poor. There are countless examples every week and the general public is well aware of the slow pace of U.S. mail.

Despite surveys and studies by postal authorities, a comparison between the service of UPS, Federal Express and other private carriers and the postal service almost invariably indicts the postal service.

One can judge the difference between bureaucracy and private enterprise very accurately by observing employees of the private delivery services and postal employees. Generally speaking, the private enterprise employees are hustling, and service is fast.

It often takes the postal service's priority mail three or four days to travel a few hundred miles. A first-class letter might require five days for delivery. Far too many letters are put in the wrong box in post offices; too many delivered to the wrong address.

Service at many post offices is painfully slow. The attitude of clerks is often painfully bureaucratic. (Clerks know it's almost impossible for them to be fired from civil service jobs and their conduct reflects this knowledge.)

Proof that the public has a low regard for postal efficiency is flourishing and profitable proliferation of private delivery systems, many with fleets of aircraft—all this made possible by a public which turned to these private delivery systems in preference to the U. S. Postal Service.



WINNER OF THE BIG BUCKS--Ruth Owens was the winner this month of the "Big MAC Bucks" given by the Muleshoe Activities Committee. She claimed her \$100 in MAC Bucks at Serv-All Thriftway. Rose Buckner claimed \$25 at First Bank. The \$50 and \$75 prizes were not awarded this month, so the amount will be doubled for March.

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You must file

a rendition if you own tangible personal property used to produce income—such as the machinery and equipment used by a business.

The appraisal district may require any taxpayer to file a rendition by sending the taxpayer a written notice and a rendition form.

You may want

to file a rendition, even if you aren't required to file, to preserve some of your rights as a taxpayer:

- You put your correct mailing address on record so your tax bills will go to the right address. Even if your bill goes to the wrong address, the law still holds you responsible for paying your taxes on time or else paying extra charges for late payments.
- You can put your own opinion

of your property's value on record. If the appraisal district then places a higher value on your property, it must notify you in writing of the higher value and explain how you can protest that value to the appraisal review board.

• By filing a special type of rendition called a *report of decreased value*, you can notify the appraisal district of significant damage to your property that occurred in 1987. The district will send someone to verify the damage and take it into account when assigning a 1988 value to your property.

File renditions

with your local appraisal district at the address shown below. Forms are available at this office.

The new deadline

for 1988 renditions is March 31. You can get an extra 30 days if you ask for it in writing before the March 31 deadline.

For more information, get a free copy of the pamphlet, *Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities*, at your appraisal district office or from the State Property Tax Board in Austin.

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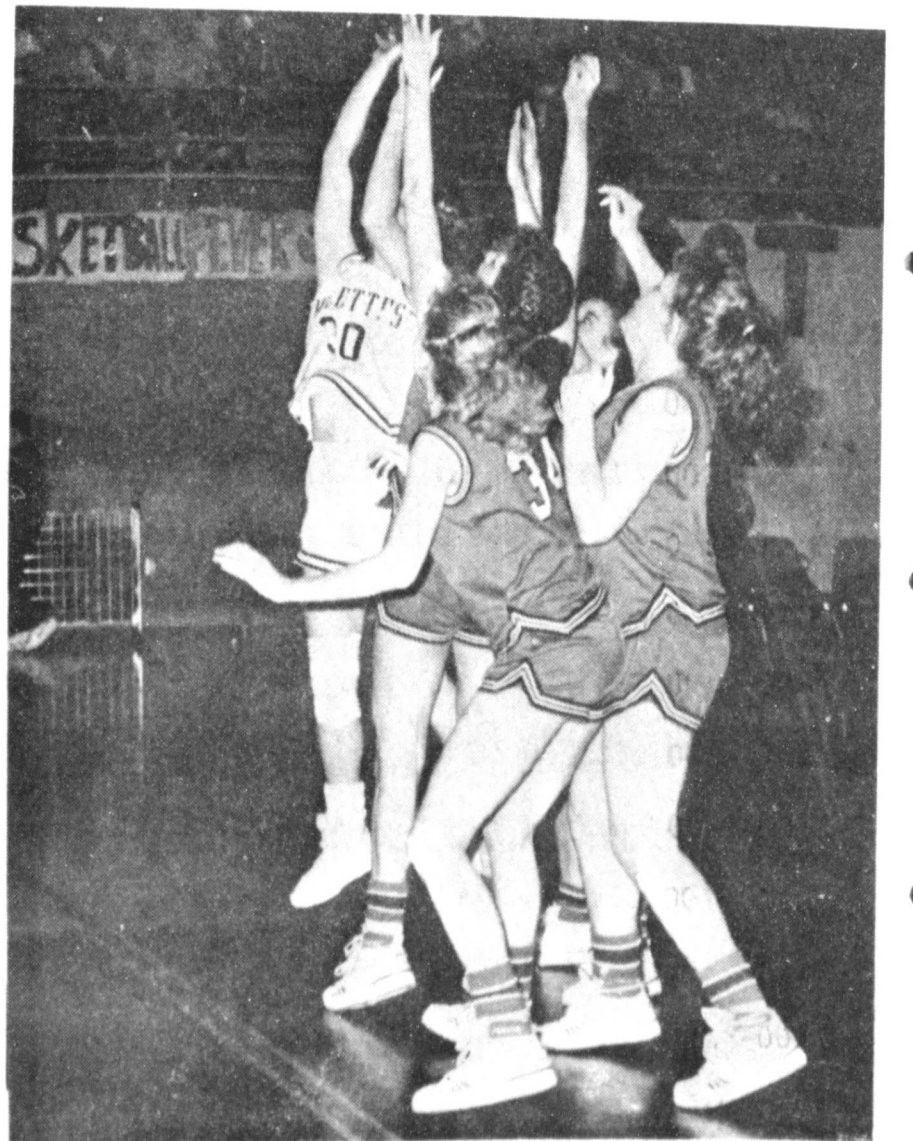
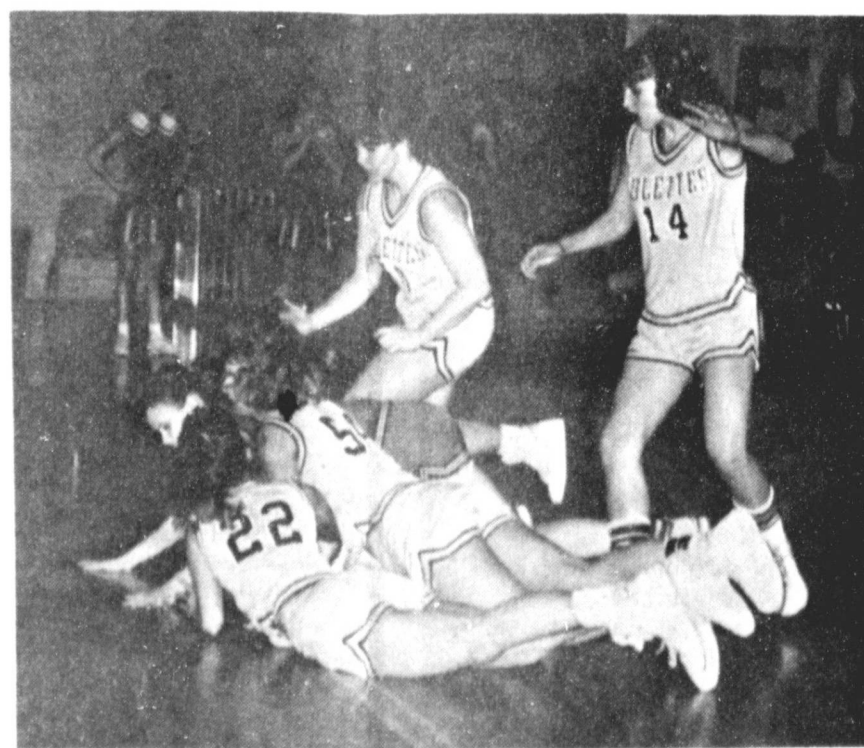
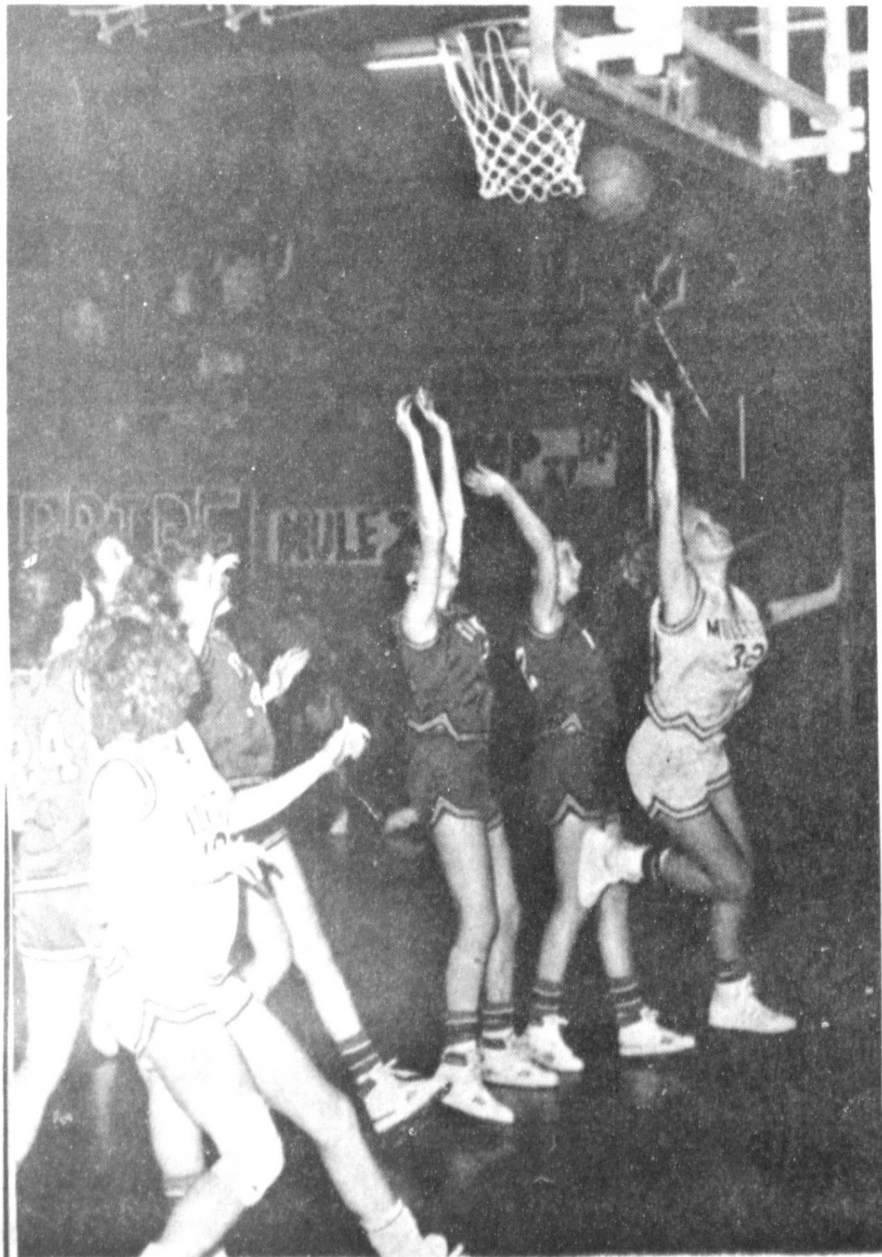
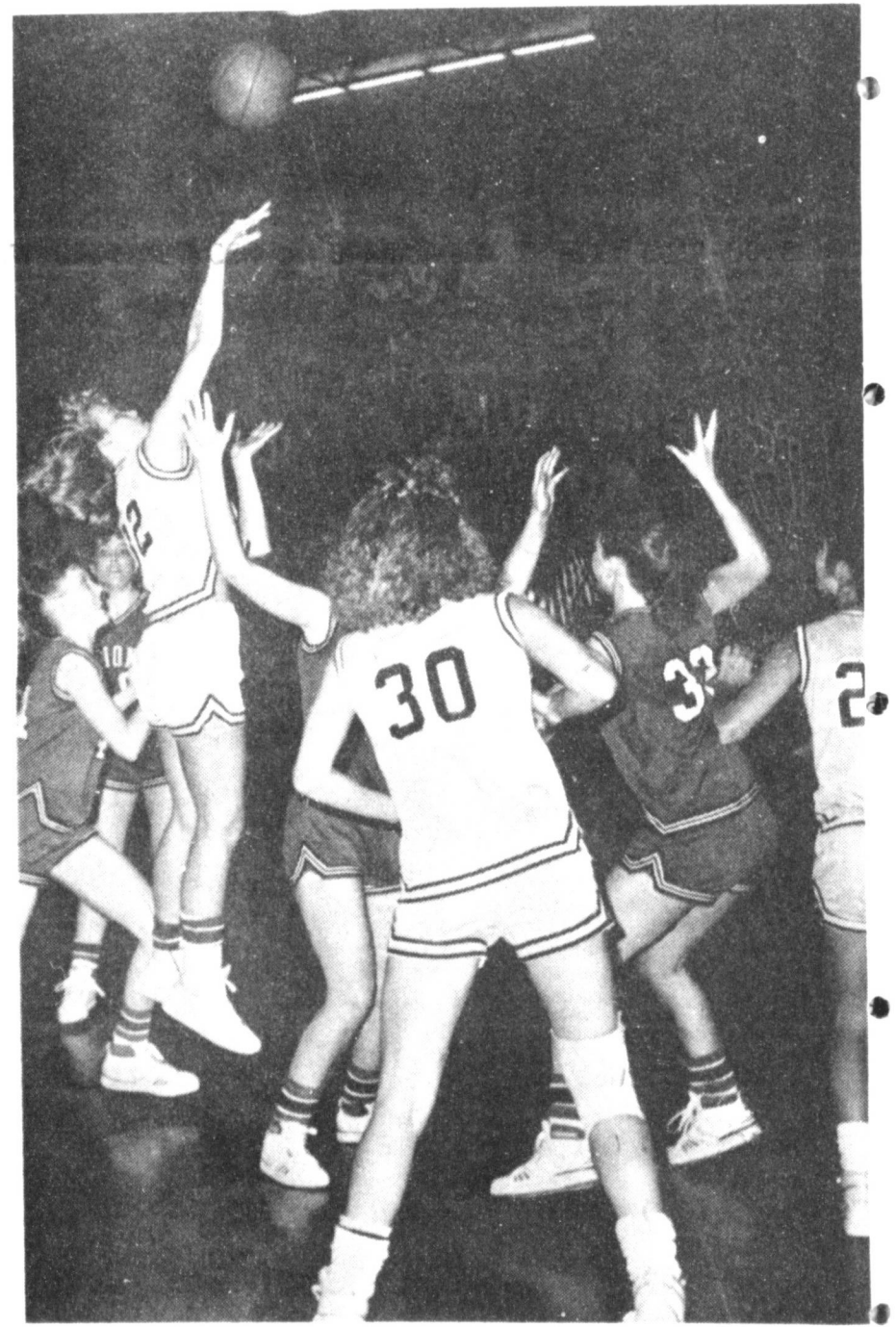
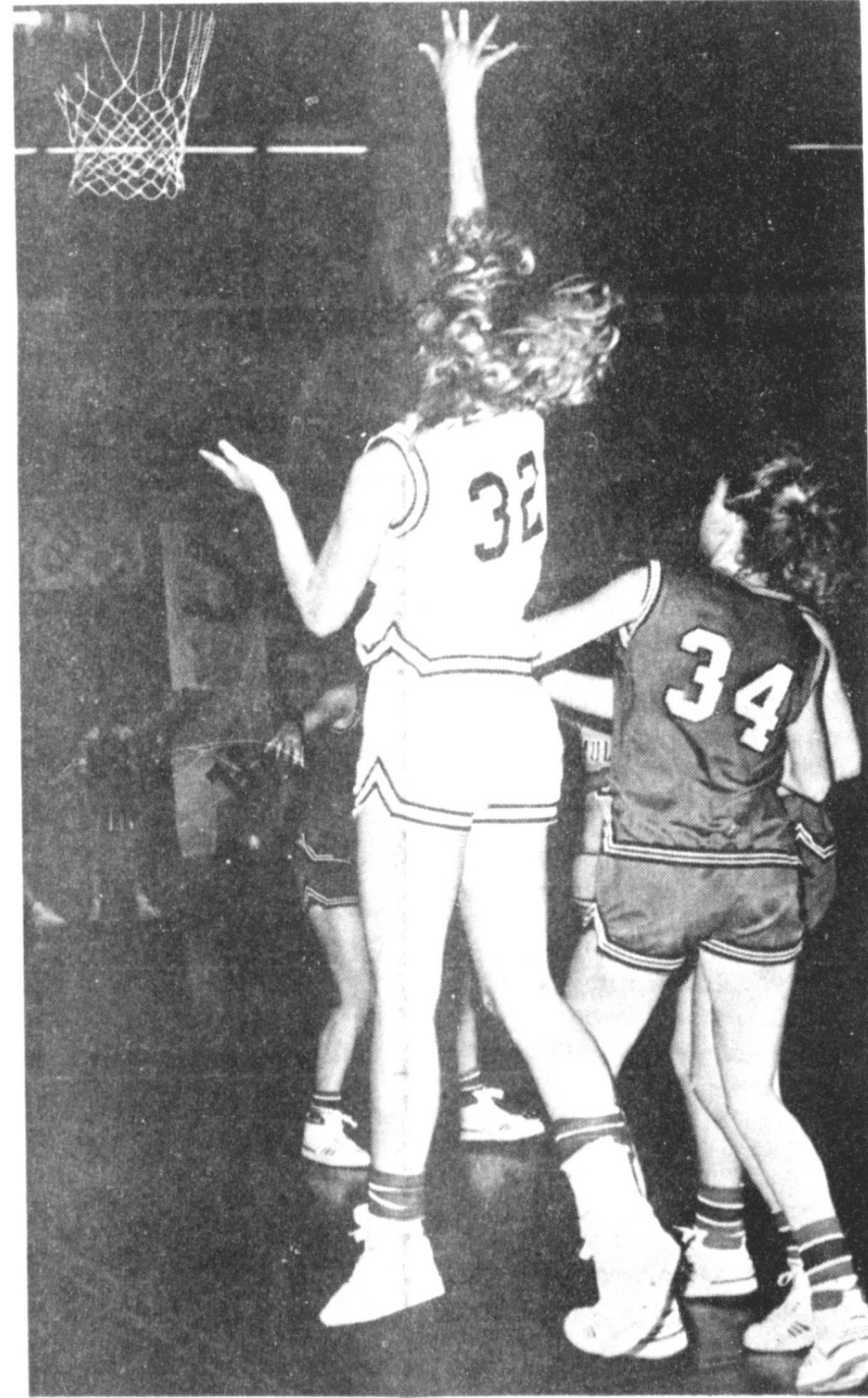
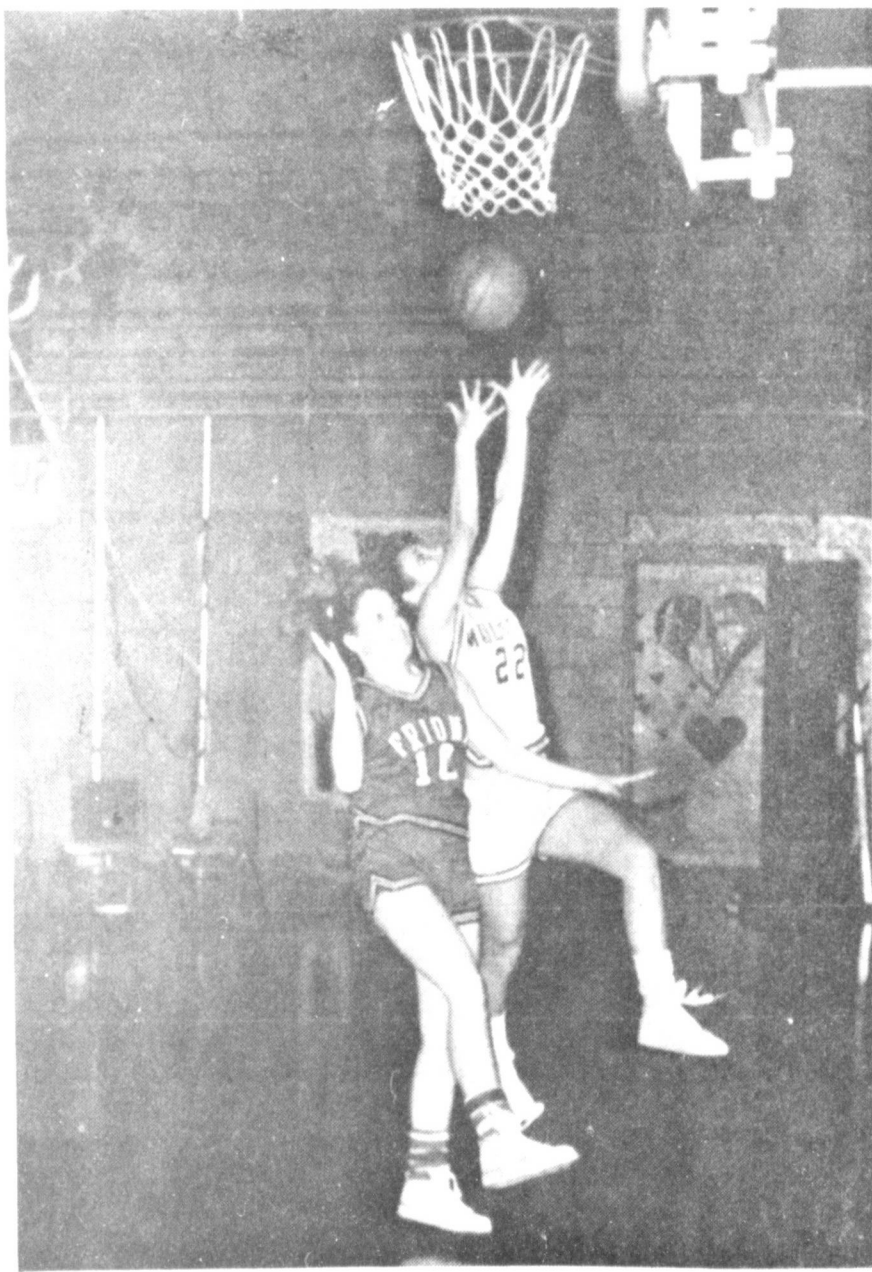
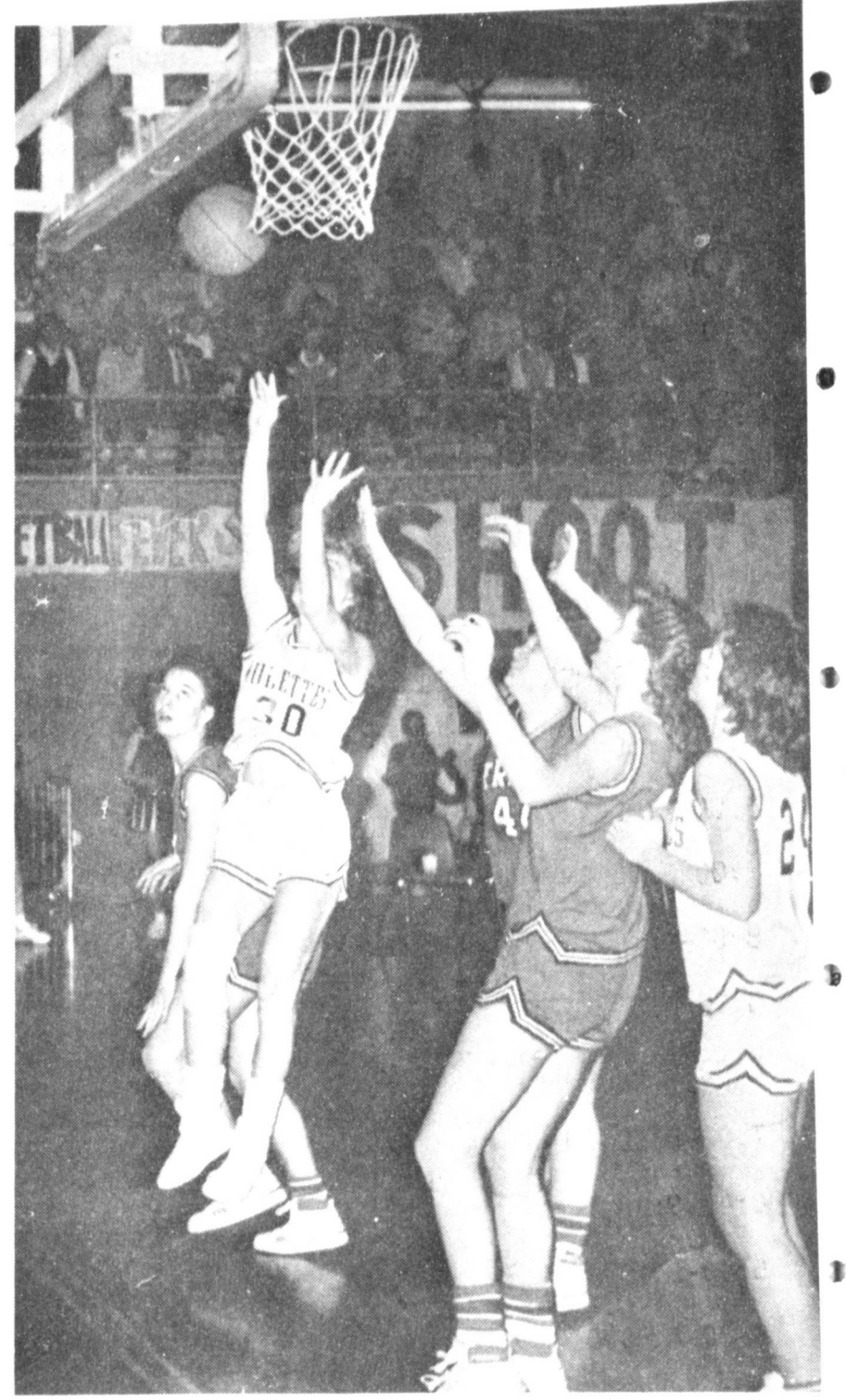
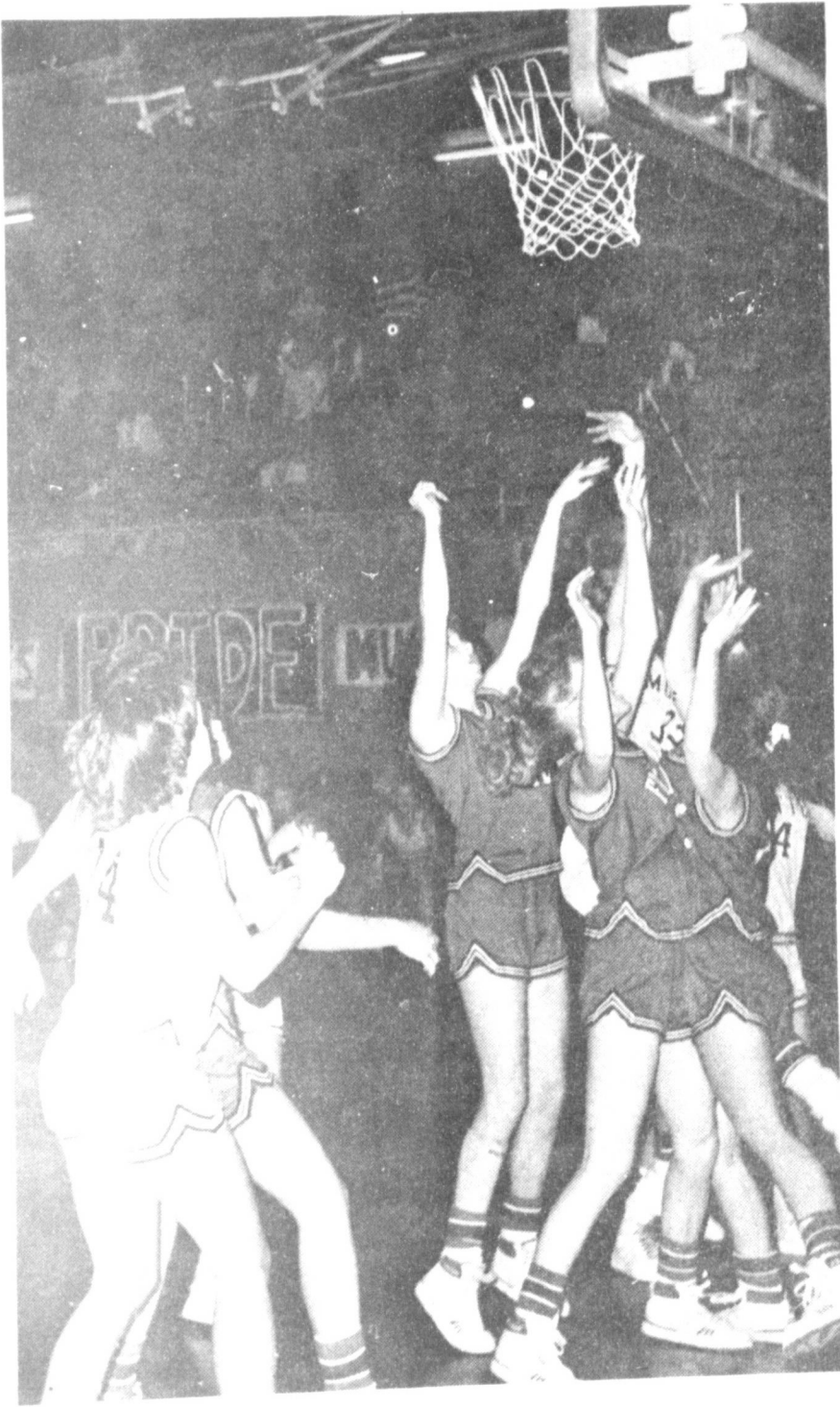
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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18
 5:00-6:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs C & C TRUCKING
 7:00-8:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs WESTERN 66
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs SONIC

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19
 5:00-6:00 BARRETT PRODUCE vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 FIELD INS. vs SHIPMAN
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22
 5:00-6:00 C & C TRUCKING vs CIRCLE T DIESEL
 6:00-7:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 7:00-8:00 SONIC vs WEST TEXAS KARATE
 8:00-9:00 WESTERN 66 vs FIELD INS.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23
 5:00-6:00 WILSON APPLIANCE vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs CIRCLE T DIESEL
 7:00-8:00 SHIPMAN vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs WEST TEXAS KARATE

TUESDAY, MARCH 1
 5:00-6:00 C & C TRUCKING vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 6:00-7:00 BARRETT PRODUCE vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 SONIC vs WESTERN 66
 8:00-9:00 FIELD INS. vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

THURSDAY, MARCH 3
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 6:00-7:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs WESTERN 66
 8:00-9:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs SHIPMAN

FRIDAY, MARCH 4
 5:00-6:00 C & C TRUCKING vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 6:00-7:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 SONIC vs FIELD INS.
 8:00-9:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

MONDAY, MARCH 7
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 6:00-7:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs FIELD INS.
 8:00-9:00 WESTERN 66 vs SHIPMAN

THURSDAY, MARCH 10
 5:00-6:00 C & C TRUCKING vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 7:00-8:00 SONIC vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs FIELD INS.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 6:00-7:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs SHIPMAN
 8:00-9:00 WESTERN 66 vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

MONDAY, MARCH 14
 5:00-6:00 C & C TRUCKING vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 6:00-7:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 7:00-8:00 SONIC vs SHIPMAN
 8:00-9:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs WESTERN 66

TUESDAY, MARCH 15
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs C & C TRUCKING
 6:00-7:00 BARRETT PRODUCE vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs SONIC
 8:00-9:00 FIELD INS. vs SHIPMAN

THURSDAY, MARCH 17
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 C & C TRUCKING vs CIRCLE T DIESEL
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 SONIC vs WEST TEXAS KARATE

FRIDAY, MARCH 18
 5:00-6:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 6:00-7:00 WILSON APPLIANCE vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 WESTERN 66 vs FIELD INS.
 8:00-9:00 SHIPMAN vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

MONDAY, MARCH 21
 5:00-6:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs CIRCLE T DIESEL
 6:00-7:00 C & C TRUCKING vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 7:00-8:00 FIRST BANK vs WEST TEXAS KARATE
 8:00-9:00 SONIC vs WESTERN 66

TUESDAY, MARCH 22

5:00-6:00 BARRETT PRODUCE vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs SPUDNUT SHOP
 7:00-8:00 FIELD INS. vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs WESTERN 66

THURSDAY, MARCH 24
 5:00-6:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 6:00-7:00 C & C TRUCKING vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 7:00-8:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs SHIPMAN
 8:00-9:00 SONIC vs FIELD INS.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25
 5:00-6:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 7:00-8:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs FIELD INS.

MONDAY, MARCH 28
 5:00-6:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 6:00-7:00 C & C TRUCKING vs BAMERT SEED
 7:00-8:00 WESTERN 66 vs SHIPMAN
 8:00-9:00 SONIC vs WES TEX FEED YARDS

TUESDAY, MARCH 29
 5:00-6:00 CIRCLE T DIESEL vs BARRETT PRODUCE
 6:00-7:00 LIVESTOCK AUCTION vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 7:00-8:00 WEST TEXAS KARATE vs FIELD INS.
 8:00-9:00 FIRST BANK vs SHIPMAN

THURSDAY, MARCH 31
 5:00-6:00 SPUDNUT SHOP vs BAMERT SEED
 6:00-7:00 C & C TRUCKING vs WILSON APPLIANCE
 7:00-8:00 WESTERN 66 vs WES TEX FEED YARDS
 8:00-9:00 SONIC vs SHIPMAN

BOY'S POST SEASON TOURNAMENT

MONDAY, APRIL 4
 TUESDAY, APRIL 5
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AWARDS PRESENTATION

FRIDAY, APRIL 8
 (after final tournament game)

Nursing Home News

Saturday afternoon, Thelma Stearns was honored by her daughter and son-in-law, Joe and Joyeline Costen, with a birthday party in the Nursing Home Day Room.

Guests that attended were the Rebekah Lodge, Nursing Home residents and employees, Lona Embry, Ruth Riley, Marie Bradley, Irene Splawn and Ruth Clements. Refreshments were served to those attending, of birthday cake, angel food cake and cups of ice cream.

What a gala occasion it was!

Dannie Winn and girls from Clovis, N. M. visited Ora Roberts recently.

The Calvary Baptist Church came Sunday afternoon for Gospel singing and visitation.

Recent visitors to the Nursing Home were Curtis Shelburne and Paul Poyner, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackwood.

Our 'Thanks' to all the nice ladies who so willingly came to our rescue Tuesday for Beauty Shop. Thank you so much!

Margaret Beard's visitors recently were Josie Flowers on Tuesday and Martha McCormick on Friday.

Jo Lee Truelock visited Sunday in the home of her daughter. Visiting her recently was her daughter, Marie, of Comanche and her children.

Our intercom is now installed that was purchased with the Christmas Card Project money. It not only enables us to listen to pretty music all day, but anyone can be paged throughout the hospital and nursing home facility. We find it not only very useful and step saving, but all so enjoyable.

Conservation Reserve Signup

Ongoing Now

Texas farmers have another opportunity to enroll highly erodible land in the Conservation Reserve Program.

The next signup period is Feb. 1 to Feb. 19. Farmers may enroll land at Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service county offices where previously accepted bids do not exceed 25 percent of the cropland in the county.

"The February signup is the sixth since the program got underway two years ago," points out Dr. B.L. Harris, soils specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Texans have already enrolled 2.8 million acres in CRP, and nationally about half of the 45 million acres targeted for the program are under contract and removed from crop production," notes Harris.

Farmers who participate in the 10-year commitment receive annual rental payments. In addition, the U.S. Department of Agriculture picks up half the cost of establishing a permanent conservation cover.

Only highly erodible cropland is eligible. The highly erodible designation is based on land capability class, soil loss tolerance and the erodibility index, explains the soils specialist.

The land also must have produced an agricultural commodity during any two years from 1981-1985.

"In Texas the maximum, or

cutoff, bids have ranged from \$35-55 an acre, depending on geographic location in the state," says Harris. "Cut-off bids in Texas' seven bids 'pools' have not changed since earlier signups.

"Texas still has many acres of land being cropped that will be subject to conservation compliance provisions, which take effect in 1990. CRP is a good alternate for many of those problem soils," says Harris.

County Extension offices have information to aid farmers in their decision-making about CRP.

Baseball fever is now spreading fast.

A&M's Inventory Day February 14th

A&M Farm & Ranch Stores will be closed for their Annual Inventory on Feb. 14th, 1988. You & yours have a sweet day & we hope this didn't cause you any inconvenience. **Take Heart!**

A&M will be back in business on Monday, Feb. 15th, 1988 at usual times Mon-Fri 7:30 a.m. - 6 p.m., Saturday 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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**Louis Henderson
Former Area
Resident Dies**

Funeral services for Louis W. Henderson, 83, of Levelland, were held at 3 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12 in George C. Price Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John H. James of Lubbock officiating. Assisting was the Rev. Jerry Haley, pastor of South Park Baptist Church in Lubbock.

Burial was in the City of Levelland Cemetery under the direction of George C. Price Funeral Directors. Henderson died at 6 p.m. Wednesday in South Park Medical Center following a brief illness.

Born in Oklahoma Indian Territory, he moved to Levelland in 1973. He farmed in Bailey County until his retirement and was a member of the Three Way Baptist Church. He married Mabel Crews on Nov. 5, 1927, in O'Donnell.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Herb of Wolfforth; two sisters, Ruth Crews of Lubbock and Mary Helen Miller of Dallas; five grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

**Alvis Peterson
Funeral Services
Held Saturday**

Services for Alvis T. Peterson, 78, of Muleshoe, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, in Sanders Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Harold Abney, pastor of Wolfforth First Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Buford Peterson, pastor of Enochs First Baptist Church.

Interment was in Slaton Cemetery under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home. Peterson died at 8:15 p.m. Wednesday in St. Mary's Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Mississippi and moved to Muleshoe in 1967. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Trinity Baptist Church at Muleshoe.

Survivors include his wife, Louise; four sons, Arnold of Lake City, Colo.; Travis of Houston, and Thurman and Reese, both of Kansas City, Mo.; four brothers, Earl of Muleshoe, Luther of Slaton, Gene of Lubbock and Buford of Morton; four sisters, Fay Montgomery and Eloise McRae, both of Idalou; Virginia Meyers of Ralls and Mae Hazel of Lubbock; 14 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Siddie L. Rucker, in 1973.

**Patients At
West Plains
Medical Center**

FEB. 9, 1988
Laura Seales, LaHoma Cope, Lauri Kinard, Gorden Duncan, Betty Vansandt, Andrew Dale, Brenda Stephens and Baby girl Stephens.

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Starkey Services Set Monday

Services for Homer T. Starkey 76, of Earth will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, with the Rev. Brad Reeves, pastor of the Earth United Methodist Church, officiating. Masonic graveside services will be conducted at 2 p.m. at the Lockney Cemetery, under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Earth.

He died at 7:30 a.m. Friday in Family Hospital Center at Amarillo.

He was born March 17, 1911 in Lockney and owned and operated a Steak House Restaurant for 29 years.

He was married to the former Faye Strickland on November 23, 1946 in Farwell.

Homer Starkey was a member of the Earth Masonic Lodge and served in the Army Corps of Engineers in World War II.

His survivors include his wife, Faye; two daughters, Linda Faye Stanley, and Joyce Kaye Starkey, both of Amarillo; two

sisters, Mamie Durham, Plainview and Nola Myrick, Amarillo; and six brothers, Charlie Starkey, Flomot; Bill Starkey, Farmington, N.M.; Floyd Starkey, Floydada; Raymond Starkey, Sacramento, Calif.; Lee Starkey, Arcadia, Calif. and Jess Starkey of Happy.

Ofelia Godinez Pending

Funeral Services for Ofelia Garcia Godinez, 29, of Friona were to be held in Leon GTO Mexico, with services pending at presstime.

Local arrangements were by Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

She died at 5:11 p.m. Thursday at Lubbock General Hospital following an illness.

Mrs. Godinez was born August 23, 1958 in Mexico and was a homemaker. She was married to Armondo Godinez on December 25, 1976 in Mexico.

**Local Church
Plans Dinner
Thursday Night**

Cathy Cope, wife of Jim Cope, pastor of the Community Church has announced a special meeting, a Women's Fellowship to be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, February 18.

Mrs. Cope said all community women have a special invitation to attend the Women's Fellowship, which will be held at the Old Santa Fe Depot.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Phyllis Ross, mother of the senior pastor of Trinity Church at Lubbock, Randall Ross.

Mrs. Ross' husband, Delmer Ross, is Trinity Church Outreach pastor.

Mrs. Ross is the mother of four grown children, three of whom are in full time ministry.

She has been in the ministry for 38 years, preaching, teaching, counseling, conducting family life seminars and women fellowships.

Mrs. Cope said a special invitation is extended to all women of the community, regardless of their church affiliation.

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Corner of West Boston & West Birch M.S. Brown, Pastor

Progress Second Baptist Church

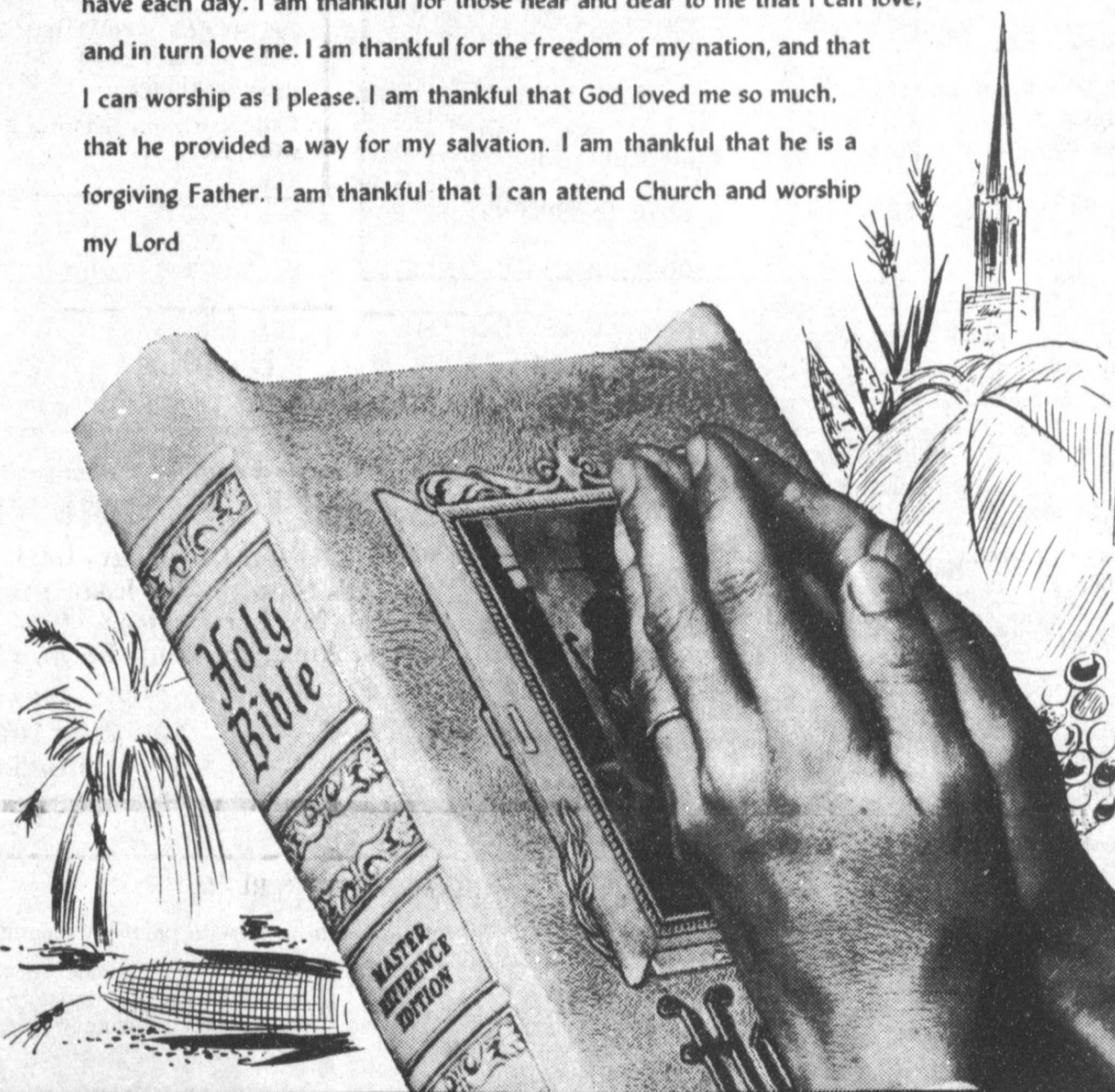
1st and 3rd Sunday Clifford Slay, Pastor

The Community Church

Morton Hwy. Jim Cope, Pastor, 272-5992

Dam Thankful... for good health, and for the food that I

have each day. I am thankful for those near and dear to me that I can love, and in turn love me. I am thankful for the freedom of my nation, and that I can worship as I please. I am thankful that God loved me so much, that he provided a way for my salvation. I am thankful that he is a forgiving Father. I am thankful that I can attend Church and worship my Lord



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.



St. John Lutheran

Sunday School and Bible Classes 9:30 a.m. Church services Church Services 10:30 a.m. Rev. Mac Bearss, Pastor

Templo Calvario

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

New Covenant Church

Plainview Hwy. Sunday 10:00 a.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Jimmy Lowe, Pastor

Lazbuddie Methodist Church

965-2121 Larry Raid Farris, Pastor

Jehovah Witness

Friona Hwy. Boyd Lowery, Pastor

Church Of The Nazarene

9th and Ave. C. Dennis Hayes, Pastor

Longview Baptist Church

965-3413 B.C. Stonecipher, Pastor

Primera Iglesia Bautista

223 E. Ave. F. Roy Martinez, Pastor

Lariat Church Of Christ

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 & 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Services 7:00 p.m. Sam. Billingsley, Minister

Muleshoe Church Of Christ

Clovis Hwy. Bret McCasland, Minister

16th & Ave. D. Church Of Christ

Sunday 10:30 a.m. Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

First Assembly Of God

Rev. David C. McCune 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Morning Worship 6:30 Evening Services 7:30 Mid Week Services 272-3984

Primitive Baptist Church

621 South First Elder George Johnson, Pastor

Spanish Assembly Of God

East 6th and Ave. F. Luis Campos, Pastor

First United Methodist Church

507 W. 2nd Street Richard Edwards, Pastor

El Divino Salvador Methodist Church

5th and Ave. D. Jose M. Fernandez, Pastor

1st Baptist Church

Lazbuddie, Tx. 965-2126 Gary Wilcox, Pastor

Lazbuddie Church Of Christ

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3 Bedroom brick house, available now, for rent. Call 272-5322 after 5 p.m. 8-6t-2tp

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8. Real Estate

FOR SALE beautiful 4 bedroom, 2 bath home at the edge of town, on 1/2 acre. Full grown trees, lots of flowers, water well. NO CITY TAXES, all the amenities of country life, with the convenience of town very close by. All this and more at an unbelievable price. Call now at 272-3813 or 272-5422. w8-2s-stfc

FOR SALE 3 bdrm., house. Large corner lot. \$12,000. For information call 272-5410 after 4:30. g8-6s-stfc

FOR SALE 3 bdrm., stucco house, 1 living room, kitchen and 1 bath on 1/2 lot located at 310 West Austin, Muleshoe, Texas. Call 247-2409. c8-4s-8tc

FOR SALE BY OWNER, Richland Hills 3-2-2 Central A/H lots of storage, nice location. 272-5194. f8-4t-16tc

HOUSE FOR SALE, 3 bdrm, 1 bath, dep, large kitchen & living room 1722 W Ave B, 272-3993 or 272-3994. s8-4s-tfc

9. Automobiles For Sale

1981 Chev. Monte Carlo, clean, excellent care, PS, PB, cruise, R&H. Call 272-4524 EXT. 170 days - 272-5156 evenings. See at 1821 W. Ave. D L.T. Johnson. j9-2t-tfc

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8 row John Deere buster planter used. Top notch condition, duel gauge wheels insecticide boxes, spray boon. Call 925-6485 Panhandle Ranch. p10-6t-6tc

11. For Sale Or Trade

FOR SALE: Cannon 400F Copier, been under maintenance contract. See at 305 E. Ave. B., Muleshoe, Texas or call 272-4504, Bailey County Electric Cooperative. b11-6s-3tsc

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed bids addressed to the City of Muleshoe, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 8:30 AM, February 16, 1988 and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment and performing all work required for seal coating city streets.

Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) percent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute any bonds that may be required within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered. Contract is expected to be awarded at the February 16 meeting in the City Council Chambers.

If contract is over \$25,000 the successful bidder must furnish performance and payment bonds upon the forms which are attached hereto in the amount of 100% of the contract price from an approved surety company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety or other surety or sureties acceptable to the Owner.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

Plans, specifications, and bidding documents may be obtained at the office of Bill R. McMorries & Associates, Inc., 6300 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas, 79109, upon deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per set which sum so deposited will be refunded, provided the prospective bidder complies with one of the following requirements (1) If no proposal will be submitted: All documents will be returned to the office of the Engineer not later than 48 hours before the time and date of receiving proposals; or (2) If proposal is submitted: All documents are returned in good condition at the time and date of receiving proposals. Provided the prospective bidder complies with neither of the two above requirements, the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) shall become the property of the Engineer.

CITY OF MULESHOE, TEXAS
By: Darrell E. Turner, Mayor
c18-5s-2tsc

"NOTICE is hereby given that Carl C. Bamert, heretofore doing business as a sole proprietor under the name of Carl Bamert Farms, has ceased to continue such business as a sole proprietorship and hereby gives notice that such business was transferred to a corporation on January 1, 1988, under the name of Grassland Farm, Inc."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the original Letters Testamentary of the estate of ROY L. FARLEY, JR., were issued to CHARLENE FARLEY, a resident of Bailey County, Texas, on the 10th day of February, A.D., 1988.

All persons having claims against the Estate of ROY L. FARLEY, JR., are hereby required to present same to CHARLENE FARLEY, at 110 W. 20th St., Muleshoe, Texas 79134, within the time required by law.

Louis M. (mickey) Ratliff, Jr.
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P.O. Box 888
Littlefield, TX 79339
(806) 385-3302
State Bar
No. 16577000
Attorney for Charlene Farley
r18-7s-1tc

NOTICE FOR BIDS
The Bailey County Commissioners Court will receive bids until 10:00 A.M., March 3, 1988, for the purchase of one new automobile to be used by the Sheriff's Department.

The specifications for said automobile can be obtained from the Sheriff's Office.

The bids must be submitted to the County Judge prior to the above time. The county will offer in trade a 1984 Ford LTD, which may be examined by contacting the Sheriff. All bids shall reflect the gross sales price of the new automobile, the allowance for the trade of the Ford LTD, and the net amount of the bid.

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JUST LISTED-VERY NICE 3-2-2 Brick, Cent. A&H, newly remodeled kitchen with built-ins, storm windows, fenced yard, storage bldg. and much more!!!!

3-1-1/4-1 Home, wall furnace heat, evap. air, fenced yard. Nice home in a nice area. \$20's!!!!

SPACIOUS 2-1/2-2 Brick Home on corner lot, Cent. A&H, built-ins, fireplace, loads of storage, 2900 plus sq. ft. of LV. area lots of extras, undgrd. sprinkler sys., fenced yard. A GREAT BUY!!!

JUST LISTED-Nice 3-2-2 Brick Home (2 story), on corner lot, Cent. A&H, built-ins, and much more. LET'S LOOK TODAY!!!!

JUST LISTED-2-1-1 home, wall heat, carpet, & more. LET'S LOOK TODAY!!!!

JUST LISTED-Nice 3-2-2 home, Cent. A&H, utility, large fenced yard with lots of trees. \$40's!!!!

PARKRIDGE
IMMACULATE 3-2-2 Brick Home Cent. A&H, built-ins, fireplace, energy efficient, nicely decorated, plus beautifully landscaped yard. \$50's!!!!

HIGH SCHOOL
JUST LISTED- Very well kept 3-1-1/2 Home, Cent. heat, nice carpets, storm windows, storage bldg. & more. \$40's!!!!

3-1-1 home, corner lot, Cent. A&H, built-ins. \$30's....

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