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Burglars Take 'Big Haul' From C.R. Anthony Co.

Loss Will Exceed \$2,000 Merchandise

C.R. Anthony Co. manager Lindal Murray said Friday afternoon that they were still inventorying the department store in an attempt to determine as close as possible the amount of merchandise taken in a burglary.

Murray told the Journal that the burglars tore up the back door of the store in the major burglary which will probably amount in the thousands of dollars in missing merchandise. He said that in 'jeans' alone, the loss may run as much as \$2,000 with hundreds to thousands of dollars of other missing items from the department store.

Apparently the burglary occurred after midnight, and Murray said he thought that from the very large amount of missing merchandise, that several persons were involved in the clean-out of the store.

"We have lots of empty hangers," he said, "and missing luggage which may have been used to take some of the merchandise from the store." He also said that empty 'sheet bags' were found and that he assumed the burglars probably used sheets to wrap up additional clothing and other items to take from the store.

The store manager said that it will take some time to completely inventory the missing merchandise, but did estimate a loss of thousands of dollars of household and clothing items.

Friday afternoon, the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture put up a \$200 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the burglars of the store. Tommy Black, executive director of the CoC said the informant's name will be kept confidential, and that any information will be sent to him at the Muleshoe City Hall or by contacting the Muleshoe City Police Chief, Buddy Black.

Although Murray praised local police for keeping watch on the store in the past, he thought the burglars spent some time cleaning out the store Thursday.

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Commissioners Plan Full Day Of Activities

When Bailey County Commissioners met Monday in regular session at 10 a.m., they will face a full day of activities, if the agenda is any indication of the type day they will be facing.

First of the year routine items will be taken care of, including fixing the terms of county court and justice of the peace court and setting the rate of payment for jurors. They will appoint road overseers, pass an order to pay county officials and employees on a salary basis and set salaries for county officials and employees.

Commissioners will approve and authorize payment to date for contract work completed on the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum and meet with a representative of Texas Health Resources at 11 a.m.

Also during the day, commissioners will pay routine county bills and consider miscellaneous items.

1977 Permits Near \$2 Million For Building

During 1977, 76 building permits were issued in the City of Muleshoe for remodeling or building of new structures. The total of all building permits was \$1,735,240.08.

Largest permit issued was for \$602,000 for construction of the new First National Bank Building, and the next largest permit was to Bailey County for construction of the new Agriculture and Civic Center at \$345,594.

In 1976, a total of 12,093,887.01 in permits was issued, with nearly \$2 million of that amount being for construction of Muleshoe's new hospital. Renovation of the existing portion of the hospital continued in January, 1978.

Community Church To Host Morris Sheats

Morris Sheats, pastor of the interdenominational Trinity Church, Lubbock, called one of America's fastest growing



MORRIS SHEATS

churches, will be speaking Wednesday, January 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Church on the Morton Highway (214) in Muleshoe.

He is the author of many works, including "You Can Be Emotionally Healed" and "You Can Have A Happy Family."

His twenty years in the ministry has provided him with much experience in the field of family counseling which was the inspiration for his two books," said Rev. H.D. Hunter, pastor of Community Church. "We would like to extend a special invitation to everyone who would like to hear him speak attend this special service."

Rev. Sheats has served as president of Lubbock Ministerial Association, served on the board of Lubbock Civic Symphony, helped found Texas Boy's Ranch, and has been active in the United Way Campaign.

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Baptist Plans Family Life Film Series

A fourteen film motion picture series emphasizing Family Life will begin at First Baptist Church at Muleshoe on Sunday, January 8. The films will feature Dr. Henry Brandt, a noted Christian psychologist with over 25 years of experience in marriage and family relationships, said the pastor, J.E. Meeks. After each film, a discussion on family life will be conducted.

The first five films are on personal growth and have as their theme, "I Want to be a Better Person." The second category of four films are about husband-wife relationships and emphasize, "I Want to Have a Better Marriage." Concluding the series will be five films concerning successful parenthood and emphasize the theme "I Want to be a Better Parent."

Members of the First Baptist Church said they would like to extend an invitation to the people of Muleshoe and the surrounding area to be involved in this emphasis on Family Life. Rev. Meeks said, "It is the concern of the church that every family have a Christian concept of Family Life which is one of the keys to a happy home."

Family Life emphasis will begin each Sunday evening at 6 p.m. with the first session scheduled today (Sunday). All sessions of Family Life will be in the auditorium of First Baptist Church. The nursery of the church will be open for all nursery age children.



Visiting over the Christmas holidays in Billie Bayless home were her daughter Jennie and Max Field and children from Warren, Mo. They left December 30, moving to Richland, Was.

Lequice Herman Lasater made the dean's honor list at Texas Tech University for the fall semester. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Herman, she is a senior student in accounting. Mrs. Lasater and her husband, Phil, spent Christmas in the Herman home.

Other recent visitors in the Herman home were another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Nettles and daughter, Angie, of Irving.

Presently visiting in the Austin Herman home are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.W. Herman of Clarksville, Ark.

Mrs. Dee Treadwell, a student at South Plains College of Nursing had a 4.0 grade point average for the fall semester. Mrs. Treadwell's grades and grade point average are among the highest which can be made on a college level.

L.E. Martin underwent surgery at Scott and White Hospital in Temple during the first week in January.

Sheriff and Mrs. Dee Clements are in Tulsa, Okla. with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Arnold of Pawnee, Okla., who is hospitalized at St. Francis Hospital.

"Childbirth Without Pain", the Lamaze classes, will begin Thursday, January 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the Amherst Hospital in the library at Amherst.

The series of classes are for

Bids, Paving Lead Agenda For Council

Discussion and awarding of bids for a backhoe for the Water and Sewer Department and a 1,000 gpm pumper truck for the Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department will lead off the meeting of the city council Tuesday morning.

Aslo to be considered will be an ordinance repealing a former order vacating some streets in Muleshoe will also be considered.

In other action will be discussion of appointment of members to the Planning Commission; release of Unit 18 in the paving program for work to begin and approval of agreements to sell \$100,000 in street improvement bonds.

Other items may be discussed during the bi-monthly meeting.



TOURNAMENT WINNERS--The Muleshoe High School Mulletts were the winners of the Muleshoe Invitational Tournament in the girls' division over the New Year Holidays. Winning three games in a row, the girls were presented the championship trophy. They are from left, back row, Dana Holmes, Jo Rhonda Rhodes, Karen

Stovall and Shawna Eubanks; middle row, from left, Cindy Hamblen, Debra Washington, Evelyn Grace and Elizabeth Isaac and front row, from left, Dani Dunham, Susan Crittenden, Glenda Rasco and Shelly Dunham.

Nine Criminal Jury Trials Beginning Here This Week

This week, prospective jurors will report for duty to hear and consider evidence in nine criminal cases involving 12 persons.

In the District Court of Bailey County, Judge Pat Boone has scheduled the trials to begin on Monday, January 9 (tomorrow) at 10 a.m.

Trials scheduled include: Jerry Craver, (burglary); Roger Chance, (aggravated Assault); Craig J. Guillot and Steve Cook, (Burglary); Juan Alberto Garza, (Non-Support of Children); Vicente R. Daniel, Richard Rodriguez and Juan Lopez Lopez, (Robbery); John Earl Brown, (Theft); Lynn Salazar, (Forgery); Leopoldo Anguano, (aggravated Assault) and Narciso Garza, (Theft).

Jurors asked to report at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 10, are:

D.O. Burelsmith, Kenny Kirtrell, Louise Newton, Ernest

Herman Ramm, Pauline Turnell, Billy L. Turnbow, Glen

South Plains Offers New Local Class

Registration for the spring semester in South Plains College Division of Continuing Education evening classes in the Muleshoe Community College Center will be at 7 p.m. on Thursday, January 12. Registration will be in the Muleshoe High School cafeteria, said Tom Jinks of the Muleshoe School system.

Jinks said late registration will be January 11-19 in the business office of the Muleshoe Independent School District. Classes begin on Monday, January 16 and final exams will be given May 4-11, 1978. He said all credit courses will be in Muleshoe High School.

Three semester hours will cost \$58; six semester hours, \$76 and nine semester hours, \$105, and a minimum enrollment of fifteen persons is required for a course to be conducted here.

Monday classes from 7-10 p.m. will be General Psychology. On Tuesday, 7-10 p.m., College Composition and Rhetoric and Masterpieces of Literature will be offered. On Thursday, from 7-10 p.m. will be History of the Economics I. An added class will be Medical Terminology-131, according to Jinks.

Students must be a high school graduate or possess the GED certificate, and persons without the GED may apply for probationary enrollment to the Dean of Continuing Education at South Plains College.

An application for admission must be submitted, along with an official transcript from high school or college. They must also file an immunization certificate as required by State law. Forms will be furnished all prospective students.

For additional information, contact Tom Jinks at the school business office in Muleshoe or the South Plains Division of Continuing Education at Level-land.

Dalton Harris, Dennis Turney, Joey Kindle, Ronald Dewayne Baker, Louise McCall, David Lynn Hall, Bill Dolle, Billy Mac Seals, Samuel Gordon Harlan and Jeryl M. Bellar.

Also, Godlman E. Stroud, Joseph Ann, Forrest Baker, C.E. Grant, Louise Peacock, Barry Lewis, Stephen Ray Black, Homer Allgood, Mrs. J.R. Furguson, Nancy Cooper Bennett, Wanda Mitchell Baker, Oleta Richardson, Helen Moore Ferguson, Era Richardson, Roxie Stroud, Stanley Eugene Black and Betty Harlan.

And, Douglas Gardner, Ernest Brock, Mildred Mallett James, Ronald Lavern Ashford, Sandra Betts, Gene Caldwell, Renee Dyer Anderson, Gary K. Glover, Gwendolyn Simpson, Curtis

Walker, Johnnie McCormack, J.L. Hodnett, Benny Fred Bruns, Delinda King Alsop, Naomi Julian and Margaret Yvarra Alarcon.

Also, Betty Parkman, Earl Bowers, Ruby Morris Bruns, Winnie Mae Byars, Eldon Byars, Rheba Barrett, Wilma Petree, Burley Lee Roberts, Debbie Thompson Etheredge, Eugene Dale Buhman, Alvin R. Allison, R.R. Kindle, Bobby James Black, Maria Snitker, George Robert Clark, Patsy Dupler, Jerry Nichols, Billie Marie Bradley, Ernest Bass, Lloyd F. Haire, Charles Ball and Evelyn Davis.

Prospective jurors asked to report for possible service on January 12, at 9:30 a.m. include:

Kline Buhman, John Ray Blackwell, Robert H. Claunch, Johnnie Parker, Eloise Gray, Elmer Davis, Phoebe Clark Gray, Billie Bayless, Jimmie E. Burgess, Jarrell W. Pruitt, Johnny Boyce, Lloyd Williams,

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School Board To Accept Resignation

One item on the agenda for the Muleshoe Independent School District School Board Monday night will be approval of the resignation of Don Cumpston, football coach and athletic director. They will also set up a procedure and schedule interviews to fill Cumpston's vacated position.

In other action, the board will announce the annual school board election. The election will be conducted on Saturday, April 1, 1978, with the terms of Ernest Ramm, Royce Turner and Jim Shafer to expire.

They will discuss the contract of the superintendent of schools and the school calendar for 1978-79. Several reports will be given, including all financial reports for the system, and the tax assessor/collector's report.

Members will study the current enrollment and library circulation reports and consider an invitation to visit the Education Service Center in Lubbock. They will discuss personnel rating procedures and the maintenance of school buildings, along with consideration of an invitation to attend a legal seminar in Lubbock on Thursday, January 26.



SECOND NEW YEAR BABY--Henrietta may have been the second New Year Baby born in Bailey County. She was born to Gertrude, who is owned by Sheriff and Mrs. Dee Clements around New Years Day. Here, she poses in front of the Bailey County Law Enforcement Center.



QUILLING BEE--Members of the FFA (Future Farmers of America) Boosters are busy quilling this king size quilt featuring county brands which will be presented to some lucky winner on February 3. With proceeds to be used to help pay for the FFA pickup, the quilt goes on display in downtown stores this week. It has a royal blue back, gold and white top with blue letters depicting the brands.



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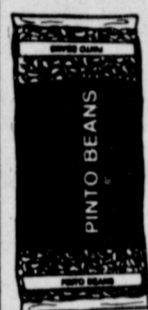


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T-Bone Steak	LB. \$1.49
Sirloin Steak	LB. \$1.29
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Tenderized Steak	LB. \$1.59
Rump Roast	LB. \$1.09
Pikes Peak Roast	LB. \$1.09
FAMILY PAK Ground Beef	LB. 89¢
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BEEF CENTER CUT Chuck Roast	LB. 89¢
EXTRA LEAN Ground Beef	LB. 99¢

HUNT'S WHOLE PEELED Tomatoes	3 14 1/2 OZ. CANS \$1
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HUNT'S WHOLE NEW Potatoes	14 1/2 OZ. CAN 29¢
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We Welcome
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Muleshoe...

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 couples expecting a baby in January or February.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Bartholf, Sr., of Muleshoe have returned this week from taking their daughter, Doris, to Eugene, Ore., where she is attending Northwest Christian College. Miss Bartholf started classes on January 3. She is majoring in Bible and minoring in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Darnon had visiting in their home during the holidays was their daughter, Mrs. Ben (Dana) Marney of Jackson, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and Audra spent the New Year's holidays with her mother, Mrs. Dorothy Urban of Firestone, Colo. They celebrated an early first birthday for Audra with her cousins while in Colorado.

College students home during the Christmas and New Year's holidays were Cindy Isaac, Sheryl Stovall, Johnny Dean, Patty Pena, Johnny Ramage, Jimmy Wedel, Mr. and Mrs. Dusty Davis, Alta Ramm, Gary Gunter, Robby Young, Billy Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Sooter, Mark Benedict, Nancy Ramm, Linnie Davis, Jo Roming, Laura Beene, Fran Dunbar, Judy Precure, Mike Pool, Carol Brown, Kyle Kimbrough and Perri Poyner.

Tim Sooter, a junior student at Texas Tech University of Lubbock, was recently initiated into two National Honor Societies due to his grade point average and scholastic abilities. They are Alpha Pi Mu, National Industrial Engineering Honor Society and Tau Beta Pi, National Engineering Honor Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Sooter both received a 4.00 grade point average for the fall semester of 1977. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sooter, and his wife, Lana, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Wagnon, Jr., all of Muleshoe.

The FFA mothers and booster club members will have the FFA Brand quilt Monday, January 9, at 1:00 p.m. in the Muleshoe Area Public Library. Anyone may come and help, says Mrs. Robert Hunt.

Mrs. Mabel Caldwell had visiting in her home over the holidays besides her mother, who lives with her, and Gene and Laverne Caldwell, also living with her, was her granddaughter, Renee Houchin and son, Jason from Lubbock, also visiting was her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Carver of Livermore, Calif.

Charlie Ray Chandler of College Station, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Chandler, formerly of Muleshoe, is a December graduate of Texas A&M. Chandler graduated as a honor student with a degree in Marine Biology. He has been offered two assistantships and will be of valuable assistance as he obtains his masters degree from Texas A&M.

Chandler's wife Vickie, also is a graduate of Muleshoe High School. They will remain at Texas A&M for future accomplishments. Mrs. Randy Bush, Lariat, is a sister of Chandler. Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Watson of Muleshoe are local grandparents.

Church...

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 paign. He is a member of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, Southwest Lubbock Rotary Club, Water, Inc., Lubbock Economics Council and the National Alliance for Senior Citizens.

A graduate of Texas Tech University with a BA in history and minor in psychology, Morris Sheats is president of Trinity Bible Institute, the first two year Christian Vocational Training Center in West Texas. A senior pastor of Trinity Church, he leads a staff of seven pastors and numerous other employees who minister to a congregation that has grown in eight years from 100 active members to 4,000 today, added Rev. Hunter.

"Being a knowledgeable businessman," added the local minister, "he is directly supervising the construction of a 1.2 million dollar sanctuary on a 'cash as you go' basis with the 2,300 seat edifice completed last fall, totally debt free."

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Life is really more what you make it than what you make.
 -Courier, Waterloo, Ia.

Food Stamp Office To Help With Bills

The Bailey County food stamp office a Muleshoe wants food stamp households to know that if their heating or utility bills go up this winter, the amount they pay for their food stamps may go down.

Under new food stamp rules effective Jan. 1, 1978, households may be able to get prompt adjustments in their food stamp purchase price if heating or utility bills increase.

Food stamp purchase prices are based on net income, after itemized deductions. When deductions for heating and utility costs increase, purchase prices may go down if there is less income available to the household for food.

The food stamp office says Bailey County food stamp households will now be able to use their most recent utility bills to claim a larger deduction, if they have paid the bill or intends to pay during the month and will have enough money to do so.

Burglars...

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 night, even with several persons apparently in the store at the time the burglary occurred.

Friday morning, Muleshoe City Police Chief Buddy Black and Deputy Sheriff James Williams spent most of the morning checking for various clues in the major burglary.

Murray told the officers he found the gouge marks near the lock in the back door when he arrived to open the store Friday morning, and on entering the store, found the burglary had taken place.

First indications are that no part of the store escaped the burglars path, with various merchandise missing from every part of the large store.

Trials...

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 Clara Sudduth, Ila Herrington Ritchie, Vernon Alford Bleeker, Eunice Douglass Bales, Alton M. Carpenter, V.G. Latham, Cynthia Lora Crawford, Douglas Winston Crozier and Roy B. Baker.

If heating and/or utility bills go up by more than \$25, households may have their cases reviewed right away. If the higher bills entitle the households to a lower purchase price, they will be able to buy their food stamps at that lower price within 10 days. If they have already bought their food stamps for the month, they would have their purchase price adjusted for the next month.

Households whose utility bills have increased less than \$25 will have the change processed according to normal procedures.

Allowable utility bills include heating and cooking fuel, electricity, water and sewer, garbage and trash collection and basic telephone service.

Food stamp households will receive a notice explaining the new procedures by Jan. 15. To find out if they qualify for a lower food stamp purchase price, households with increased utility costs should contact their local food stamp office and ask to have their case reviewed.

Adult Basic Education Is Now Underway

Muleshoe Independent School District is offering a program of basic education for adults who have less than a high school education, says Tom Jinks, director of Special Programs. Reading, writing, arithmetic, English, as-a-second language, and other subjects are taught.

Jinks said this program is designed to improve a person's ability to secure employment, qualify for a job promotion, achieve a certificate of high school equivalency, and to become a more effective consumer and a more active citizen.

Supplementary areas of instruction include consumer education, occupational opportunities and requirements, health education, citizenship, government, home and family

PEACE Justice Report

Speeding tickets are still above the average with 19 citations being issued by the Department of Public Safety Troopers in this county through January 4.

No driver's license was next with three citations, and two each being issued for over allowed gross weight and vehicle with defective required equipment.

Other citations issued and noted in the docket book at the office of Justice of the Peace K.B. Martin include one for theft under \$5; defective tail lights; failure to dim lights; defective brake lights; operator motor vehicle with one license plate and defective stop lamps on truck.

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life, science, history and literature. Classes are also available for adults who cannot read, write or speak English.

Card Funds Purchase Monitor

Mrs. Roalnd McCormick of the Muleshoe Hospital and Nursing Home Auxiliary said they would like to thank everyone who contributed to the annual Christmas Card project.

Total contributions were \$3,796 and exceeded all amounts given in previous years, she added. The fetal monitor machine for the hospital has been ordered and will arrive in February.

that although the contributions did not match the total cost of the fetal monitor, the Hospital Auxiliary will pay the difference from funds from the Auxiliary Thrift Shop.

Legal Battle
 Judge--Do you challenge any of the jury?
 Defendant--Well, I think I can lick that little guy on the end.

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 GAL LOWFAT MILK.....\$1.57
 1/2 GAL LOWFAT.....81¢
 1/2 GAL BUTTERMILK....81¢
 1 LB COTTAGE CHEESE...67¢
 2 LB COTTAGE CHEESE.\$1.29
 WHIPPING CREAM.....45¢
 SOUR CREAM.....39¢



COUPLE PLAND WEDDING...Mr. and Mrs. Leland Finley of Odessa announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Donna Sue, to Kevin Bryce Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jones of Odessa. The couple will marry January 21, at 7 p.m. in the Second Baptist Church in Odessa. Dr. James Riddell, Director of the Baptist Student Center at Odessa College, will officiate. The bride-elect is a 1974 graduate of Midland High School and is employed with the Second Baptist Church. Her fiancé is a 1975 graduate of Permian High School in Odessa and received his associate degree in law enforcement from Odessa College. He is employed by Odessa Police Department. Miss Finley is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless of Enochs and Mrs. Inez Finley of Wellington and the late Earl Finley.

Mrs. Harbin Presents Program To Alpha Zeta Pi

Alpha Zeta Pi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday evening, January 3, in the home of Mrs. Gary Renner.

A program dealing with formal and informal education was presented by Mrs. Dorine Harbin, Home Economics teacher at Muleshoe High School.

Following the business meeting, members were served Quickie Lorraine tarts, cheese straws, rum cake, spiced tea,

cakes and coffee.

Those present were Mrs. Steve Black, Mrs. Stan Black, Mrs. Gary Toombs, Mrs. Skip Magby, Ms. Gary Renner, Mrs. Tom Little, Mrs. Mark Gist, Mrs. Tim Foster, Mrs. Rick Hallford, Mrs. Tommy Merritt, Mrs. Alec Schuster and Mrs. Paul Wilbanks.

Hobby Club To Meet January 19

Muleshoe Hobby Club met Thursday, January 5, in the Muleshoe State Bank community room. Mrs. Ruth Bass served as hostess.

Mrs. Dora Phipps, president, presided at the meeting. Dates were drawn for each hostess to serve. Secret pals were drawn for.

An all-day workshop has been planned for every fifth Thursday through the year. The Mothers annual luncheon has been set for May.

Articles shown were porcelain pitchers, compote, decanter, shells, Gods eye plaque and owl plaques.

The next meeting has been set for Thursday, January 19, with Mrs. Verna Dement as hostess.

Members present were Mrs. Mabel Caldwell, Mrs. Dora Phipps, Mrs. C.E. Briscoe, Mrs. S.E. Ethridge, Mrs. Verna Dement, Mrs. Mae Loyd, Mrs. Allie Barbour, Mrs. Ruth Williams, Mrs. Bub Shafer, Mrs. Ethel Julian, Mrs. Ruth Bass, Mrs. H.H. Williams, Mrs. Ola Epperly and Mrs. Levina Pitts.

West Plains Medical Center Briefs

ADMISSIONS

January 3: Barbara Pierce, Ruby Clark, Thurlo Branscum and H.A. Douglas.

January 4: Mary Franco and Elsie Williams.

January 5: Albert Arnold, Jo Ann Locke and A.M. Bradley.

DISMISSALS

January 3: William C. Pruitt and Rosa Limons

January 4: Guy Nickels, Holly Millsap, Ofelia Saucedo, Oscar Marlow and Gabriel Hernandez.

January 5: Elsie Williams and Dale Burhman.



Raquel Michelle Franco

Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Franco of Muleshoe are the proud parents of a baby girl born January 4, at 3:16 p.m. in West Plains Medical Center. The baby weighed seven pounds and twelve ounces and was named Raquel Michelle Franco.



MARCH WEDDING PLANNED...Mr. and Mrs. Hancy Poynor of Muleshoe announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patti, to Jimmy Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson of Lazbuddie. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, March 25, at the 16 and Avenue D Church of Christ.

Reception Honors Mr. And Mrs. Ed Ramm

A reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ramm of Muleshoe on the occasion of their 50 Wedding Anniversary, was held on Sunday, January 1, at St. John Lutheran Church. The reception was hosted by their children Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramm of Carthage, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm, Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll (Alice) Huggins of Clovis, New Mexico.

Eddie Ramm and Minnie Kube were married at St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, on January 3, 1928. Witnesses for their wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kube, both deceased, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Geris of Farwell, Texas, who were at the reception.

Approximately 200 guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Ramm. Miss Sonia Kube, niece of the Ramm's registered the guests at a round table covered with a lace cloth. A double wick candle with the Ramm's 50 wedding invitation made into the candle and a gold vase with gold silk peonies were on the table decorations.

The reception table was covered with a lace tablecloth over gold. A crystal punch bowl held the banana slush punch. A crystal cake plate placed in a gold stand, belonging to Mrs. Ramm, was adorned with a two tiered wedding cake decorated with gold roses and sugar bells. A crystal bowl in the center of the table held a white candle with a gold 50 on it. It was surrounded by gold and yellow silk flowers of peonies, carnations, and small blossoms. This arrangement was made by their granddaughter, Ruth Ramm. The other table was covered with a white lace cloth over white. This table held a copper antique coffee urn and crystal plate with thumbprint cookies, also a crystal Brandy sniffer encrusted with a gold 50, burned an oil candle.

Ruth, Alta, and Nancy Ramm, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm, presided at the reception tables.

Another table covered with a white linen cloth was an album with pictures starting from their wedding day to the present. It included pictures of their homes, family, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. This table also held the many cards they had received.

Charles Turner of Farwell played his accordion throughout the reception and then

played the song Mr. Ramm used to sing to Mrs. Ramm, "Red River Valley", at the supper. After the reception, a salad and ham supper was held for all the 71 relatives present.

Host and Hostesses for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gohlke, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Kalbas, Sharon and Donna, Mr. and Mrs. James Haseloff, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Turner, Lacia and Polly, and Stephanie Kube.

Out-of-town friends and relatives came from Clovis and Texico, New Mexico; Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Mexico and Carthage, Missouri; 29 Palms, California; Wichita, Kansas; Monahans, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Lubbock, Amarillo, Hereford, Borger and Farwell.

LCC Slates Registration On January 9

Spring semester registration at Lubbock Christian College will begin Monday, January 9 at 8:30 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m.

The one day schedule will be conducted in the C.L. Kay Christian Development Center on the LCC campus.

Classes will begin on Wednesday morning, January 11. Late registration will continue until the 12th class day, January 26, in the registrar's office.

Registration for the Industrial Technologist (vocational) programs will also begin the 9th. Electronics classes will register on Monday. Courses in drafting, welding, auto technology and machine trades will register on Wednesday, January 11.

For more information on any course offered in the Industrial Technologist division contact Charles Lee at LCC, 792-3221.



MR. AND MRS. EDDIE RAMM

ESA District Meeting To Be Held At Seagraves

Member of Epsilon Chi chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority and their husbands met in the home of the Derrell Matthews on December 16, for their annual Santa social. The group, along with Santa Claus, visited the chapter's Christmas family before refreshments of sandwiches, chips and punch were served.

The sorority sisters met Tuesday, January 3, in the home of Mrs. Charles Moraw for their monthly business meeting. Mrs. Larry Gulley served as co-hostess.

Mrs. Derrell Matthews, president, opened the meeting with discussion on several upcoming activities. Plans were made for the bingo party at the Nursing Home on January 12. The district meeting in Seagraves

was discusses where the chapter's Beauth Queen, Mrs. David Anderson, will compete for the District Beauth Queen title. Nominations were made for the W.T.S.U. Outstanding Woman of the Panhandle award.

Following the business meeting, a program on "Unity of Heritage" was presented by Mrs. Terry Parham.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to Mrs. Terry Parham, Mrs. Allen Smyer, Mrs. Wayne Tunnell, Mrs. Barry Coward, Mrs. Charles Moraw, Mrs. John Birdwell, Mrs. Terry Hillin, Mrs. Derrell Matthews, Mrs. Robert Montgomery, Mrs. Johnny St. Clair and Mrs. Larry Gulley.

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CLASS FAVORITE... Miss Debbie Smith, a sophomore at Waylan Baptist College, was recently named as class favorite. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Smith of Muleshoe. Miss Smith recently represented Owen Hall in the Miss Wayland Pageant and was chosen as second runner-up.

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CLASS OF '57...Members of the Class of 1957 attending their 20 year reunion were standing from left, Donald Blalack, Mrs. Bob (Virginia Woods) Gage, Bufford Watson, Duane Stevens, Wayland Ethridge, Dean Lackey, Buddy Black, Clark Seales, Kenneth Powell, Ray Precure, Beverly Mardis, Gene West, Joe Roark, Richard Green, J. C. Gatewood, Wayland Chitwood, Ronnie Shafer

and Jimm Gross. Seated from left are, Mrs. Otis (Juanita Williford) Foster, LaVayne Gregory Williams, Mrs. Don (Mary Woodard) Dilks, Charlie Kay Miller Lipsky, Evelyn Bratcheer Moore, Mrs. Jerry (Shirley Mathieson) Hicks, Mrs. Kenneth (Rose Lee Millen) Powell, Mrs. Joe (Quineil Elliott) Roark and Marcia Redwine Henry.

Class Of 1957 Holds Reunion

The 1957 Senior Class of Muleshoe High School celebrated a 20 year reunion, December 23, 1977, at the Muleshoe Country Club. The reunion was attended by 28 class members and their spouses.

Registration was held in the evening with each class member being given a name tag fashioned like a red ball featuring each one's freshman picture edged with Christmas glitter. Their spouses wore green bell name tags showing their names and residence.

A bulletin board was covered with old pictures, letters and family pictures form classmates, Curtis Browder of Santa Rosa, Calif., Don Copley of Burnsville, Minnie, Jerry Lee Hale Billings of Bedford, Ohio, and Senn Slemmons of Austin. Also featured was a black poster with pictures in memory of deceased class members John Lee Howard, Nell Gholson, Shirley Horn,

Darlene Stroud, Jerry Rogers, and Jerry Shankles.

The Class Will and 1957 Prophecy were read. Marcia Redwine Henry awarded "gag" prizes to Donald Blalack of Wichita, Kansas for "The One Who Came the Farthest", "To the Parents of the Youngest Child" a tie was made by Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Black and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blalack for each having a three year old child, and Evelyn Bratcheer Moore was the "Grandmother with the Youngest Grandchild" with a three month old granddaughter.

Also the "Man with the Most Hair" was Ronnie Shafer, the "Man with the Shiniest Pate" was a tie between Donald Blalack and Duane Stevens, the "One Who had Changed the Least" was a tie between Beverly Harold Mardis and Ronnie Shafer, the "Honeymooners" were Mr. and Mrs.

Otis (Juanita Williford) Foster, married in August of 1977, and the "One Closest to Fulfilling the Class Prophecy" was Duane Stevens.

Hors d'oeuvres and punch were prepared by local class members. Bufford Watson expressed appreciation for all to the ones who had worked on making the reunion a success. Those responsible were Shirley Mathieson Hicks, Rose Lee Millen Powell, LaVayne Gregory Williams, Evelyn Bratcheer Moore and Marcia Redwine Henry, assisted by Mrs. Ray (Jeannetta Harrison) Precure and Mrs. Ronnie (Patsy Nowlin) Shafer.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. LeLand (Geneva Bartlett) Gustin of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blalack of Wichita, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green of Lubbock, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Gene West of Reese AFB, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Bufford Watson of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Harold Mardis of Clovis, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Quineil Elliott) Roark of Clovis, N.M., Mrs. Charlie Kay Lipsky of Goldswaithe, Mrs. Don (Mary Woodard) Dilks of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Lackey of Albuquerque, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gross of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Otis (Juanita Williford) Foster of Clovis, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Waylan Chitwood of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Wanda Chitwood Bogard, also of Wichita Falls.

Attending from Muleshoe were Mrs. Jerry (Shirley Mathieson) Hicks, LaVayne Gregory Wil-

Tops Has Weekly Meeting

TOPS Club met in regular session Thursday, January 5, in the Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association meeting room. Mrs. J.O. Parker opened the meeting with the TOPS pledge and some 26 members weighed-in.

Weekly queen was Mrs. Buria Vinson. First runner-up was Mrs. J.V. Peeler and second runner-up was Mrs. Don Martin.

Monthly queen was Mrs. J.O. Parker. Mrs. Ronnie Garner was named first runner-up and Mrs. Claude Don Holmes was named as second runner-up.

TOPS recognition went to Mrs. Harold DeLoach. Mrs. Claude Don Holmes drew the Can-Can. Six months queen went to Mrs. J.O. Parker. She received gifts from all the member of the

funds from weight gains in the past six months.

First runner-up was Mrs. Bobby Newman. Placing second was Mrs. Owen Jones and third runner-up was Mrs. Don Martin. Tying for fourth place was Mrs. Buria Vinson and Mrs. Rayneta Dawson. Fifth runner-up was Mrs. LaVayne Williams and Mrs. Claude Don Holmes was sixth runner-up. Mrs. Ronnie Garner was seventh runner-up and eighth runner-up was Mrs. Evelyn Moore.

In the present contest, the Train Contest, Train Number 5 is ahead with 12 miles, Train Number 6 has moved 11 3/4 miles and Train Number 2 has moved 11 1/2 miles.

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QUEEN AND RUNNERS-UP...Six months queen and runners-up from TOPS Club are from left, Mrs. J.O. Parker, queen, Mrs. Bobby Newman, first runner-up, Mrs. Owen Jones, second runner-up, Mrs. Don Martin, third runner-up, Mrs. Buria Vinson

and Mrs. Rayneta Dawson, tied for fourth runner-up, Mrs. LaVayne Williams, fifth runner-up, Mrs. Claude Don Holmes, sixth runner-up and Mrs. Evelyn Moore, eighth runner-up. Not pictured is Mrs. Ronnie Garner, seventh runner-up.

Welcome To Muleshoe

This week, Muleshoe welcomes Rev. Pat Ridley and his wife Myrtle to Muleshoe. The Ridleys moved to Muleshoe from Clovis. They have two boys an

boys and one daughter. Charles lives in Melton Freeway, Oregon, Dwayne lives in Clovis and Patricia Richardson lives in Santa Fe. They list their hobbies as his work as a pastor of 26 years and Mrs. Ridley works with different crafts. He is the new pastor of the Church of the Nazarene.



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Xi Omicron Xi Holds Progressive Dinner

The members of Xi Omicron Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi entertained their husbands with a Christmas social on Tuesday, December 20. The progressive dinner was planned by the Social Committee with Mrs. Doyce Turner as Chairman.

Members and guests met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe King for hors d'oeuvres, and the main course of the dinner was served in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pummill. Members progressed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Smith for dessert. Members exchanged gifts with their Rose Buddies, and husbands drew numbers for a gift exchange.

Those attending the social were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Barnhill, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Black, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Box, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Dollar, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Finney, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jinks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King, Mr. and Mrs. Max King, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poynor, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pummill, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs, and Mrs. Marcia Henry.

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Three Way News

By Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson visited in Levelland Monday night with the Troy Tyson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Furgeson spent Christmas in Lubbock with their daughter, the Jim Green family.

The T.D. Davis family spent Christmas in Stamford with his mother and then on to Brownwood visiting her sisters and a brother.

Mrs. H.W. Garvin spent Christmas in Lubbock with her daughter, the James Gillentines.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kindle spent Christmas weekend in Roswell with her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. D.S. Fowler spent Christmas in Dallas with their daughters, the Buddy Cooks and Don Morgan families.

The Joe Wheeler family spent Christmas day with her parents, the Fred Carters in Levelland and then went to Comanche to visit the Johnnie Wheelers.

Guests in the George Tyson home Monday after Christmas

were Mr. and Mrs. Tomny Joe Durham from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Tyson and family from Levelland, Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Williams and boys from Enoch and Mrs. H.W. Garvin and Princess Parkman from Maple.

John Tyson had his children home Christmas. They were Mr. and Mrs. Truman Kelley from Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Robertson and family from Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Tyson from Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Gatton Tyson and family from Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Davis from Maple.

Guests in the Adolph Wittner home Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Nitcher and family from Lubbock, the Ed Nuetzler family, Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Emerson from Maple and others. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Dupler family from Mt. Pleasant spent the holidays with their parents, the Leon Duplers and Jay Boyce families.

Mr. and Mrs. Gib Dupler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dupler and family from Maple and Mr. and Mrs. Dammy Sowder and children from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards family from Sundown spent Christmas with their mother, Marie Sowder in Muleshoe.

The Monte Toombs family spent Christmas with his parents, the H.C. Toombs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Pollard and boys from Whitherell, Clarence Benton from Littlefield and Mrs. Addie Masten from Maple spent Christmas with the Rayford Mastens.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller and daughter from Canyon and Mrs. Bulah Toombs and Mrs. H.W. Garvin had New Years dinner in the S.G. Home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tarlton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Clark and family from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Vallie Gandy from Morton and Mr. and Mrs. D.V. Terrell were all dinner guests in the Pete Tarlton home Christmas.

Mrs. Bulah Toombs spent Christmas in Morton with her daughter, the Bob Vinsons.

Glen Fowler from Levelland and Brad Fowler from Lubbock

spent the past week with their grandparents, the D.S. Fowlers.

Mrs. Beadie Powell and her son, the Dutch Powells, from El Campo, her granddaughters Vanessa Vinson from Amarillo and Christene Crow and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roomina from Austin home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler and family and the Ray Fowler family, all from Lubbock spent Sunday with their parents, the D.S. Fowlers.

Mrs. M.L. Dupler had most of her children home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Lee and boys from Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Reed from Midland spent Christmas with their parents, the Elmer Lee family.

Mrs. Sally Robinson fell Wednesday at her home breaking her hip. Mrs. Robinson is in West Texas hospital in Lubbock in room 323 and is doing fine at last report.

Service Center To Show Films On Education

Films and other instructional materials available to the public schools through Region XVII Education Service Center will be shown to interested citizens during a quarterly one-day review session set for January 27. The open house is scheduled for 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Media Division of the Service Center, 1218 Fourteenth Street, Lubbock.

One session has been scheduled for each quarter of this year; the final one is planned for April 28.

"To be sure a specific item is available, a request should be made at least 10 days in advance," said Gerald Rogers, director of media and technology.

Requests may be made by calling 763-5014, the Media Division of the Education Service Center.

ENMU Students Will Register

On January 11

PORTALES -- Regular registration for Eastern New Mexico University's spring session will be held Wednesday, Jan. 11, with students reporting on the basis of their last names as listed in the 1978 Spring Class Schedule.

All students are to enter the east door of the north wing of Greyhound Arena to receive registration materials. Complete registration information will be available with the registration materials and all students must present an ENMU identification card.

Students who participated in New Student Activities on Jan. 9-10 will register as follows: A through F at 8:00 a.m.; G through L at 8:30 a.m.; M through R at 9:00; and S through at 9:30 a.m. Graduates and seniors with last names beginning with A through H will register at 10:00 a.m., while I through P register at 10:30 a.m. and Q through Z register at 11:00 a.m.

Juniors, sophomores, and freshmen will register as follows: L through N at 11:30 a.m.; O through R at 12:00 noon; S and T at 12:30 p.m.; U through Z at 1:00 p.m.; A and B at 1:30 p.m.; C and D at 2:00 p.m.; E through G at 2:30 p.m.; and H through K at 3:00 p.m.

Regular registrations not completed according to the schedule will be held from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m., with the registration for the evening division held from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

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Farm Bureau Group Studies Farm Problems

The American Farm Bureau Federation will grapple with problems associated with the current farm price depression at its annual convention in the Houston Civic Center Jan. 8-12.

Texas will be well represented with 15 voting delegates and input in several convention activities. Some 15,000 persons, representing 2.8 million farm families in all states except Alaska and including 214,000 Texas families, are expected to attend.

Tentative resolutions prepared by a committee consisting of state presidents from recommendations coming out of state

Mrs. G. Osborn Funeral Rites At Kingsland

Funeral services for Mrs. Grace May Osborn, 79, were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Waldrop Funeral Home Chapel in Kingsland with burial in Lakeland Hills Memorial Park.

Mrs. Osborn was born May 7, 1898 to Marion Isaac and Mattie Pullen Golden in Clear Springs, Ark. She was married to Jesse M. Osborn February 11, 1919 in Clear Springs.

They lived in Muleshoe for over 40 years where her husband was a banker and a former legislator. She was a member of the Muleshoe Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Osborn died Thursday, January 5, in Kingsland Hills Care Center in Kingsland.

Survivors include her husband, Jesse M. Osborn, Kingsland; two daughters, Mrs. Mary V. Coleman, Portales, N.M. and Mrs. Norma Dee Mayben, Houston; four grandchildren, Miss Susan L. Coleman, Amarillo; Mrs. Sherri M. Best, Abilene; George W. Mayben, Denton and Miss Norma S. Mayben, Houston; and two great-grandchildren, Darcy Best and Brace Best, Abilene.

annual meetings held recently indicate the organization will take an aggressive attitude in an effort to see that farm producers get adequate prices for their commodities in order to compete with other industries and still make a fair profit.

Emphasis is expected to be on expanding exports markets and keeping trade channels open. A strong stand can be expected on cutting costs of production and limiting government interference in farming operations.

Attention will also likely be given to the new farm bill with a view to keeping it from being administered in ways that would make farmers dependent on government payments on a continuing basis or establish a government-controlled stockpile of agricultural commodities.

In addition to being hosted by the Lone Star State, the national meeting will be heavily Texas-oriented.

Former Resident Harold Freeman Died Recently

Funeral services were conducted on December 29 for Harold Freeman, 59, of Ruidoso, who was a former long-time Muleshoe resident and businessman. He died Tuesday, December 27, of an apparent heart attack in Ruidoso. Graveside services were conducted at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Ruidoso.

He was born October 8, 1918 in Decatur and moved to Ruidoso from Muleshoe in 1964. He was a Lincoln County (N.M.) deputy sheriff and security guard at Ruidoso Downs at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; two daughters, LeQueta Freeman, Ruidoso and Vickie Garner, Muleshoe, one son, Hurschel Freeman, Bothell, Wash.; his father and two brothers; and five grandchildren.

traditionally opens the convention will feature Dr. John C. Stephens, president of Abilene Christian University, as speaker and the ACU A Capella Chorus. Gov. Dolph Briscoe will extend greetings from the state at the opening general session.

Baylor University Head Football Coach Grant Teaff will speak at the Organization Conference, one of several special conferences to be held Jan. 9. The Organization Conference will be chaired by TFB President Carrol Chaloupka.

TFB Executive Director Warren Newberry will speak at the Swine Conference.

Texas Farm Bureau will have representatives in several youth activities. They include Bob Gruner of Canyon who will participate in the Discussion Meet, Elizabeth LePori of Gonzales in the Talent Find, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lindig of Albert (Gillespie County) in the Outstanding Young Farmer Awards Program. Miss Jody Edmondson of Mathis, the new TFB queen, will be presented along with other state queens and beauties during some convention activity.

Several A&M University and Extension specialists will participate in special conferences, as

will Dr. Charles W. Jarvis of San Marcos.

A "Farm Bureau Square Dance" will be held on the evening of Jan. 9 with Richard Beckendorff of Katy calling western style dances. Assisting Beckendorff will be one or more squares consisting of members of the Prairie Promenaders Square Dance Club from Katy.

Farm Bureau rice producers in the Houston area will conduct a tour of rice production areas with demonstrations and

'Texas' Auditions Set In Canyon On January 14

It's time for "Texas" Auditions! The directors of the famous musical drama which played to 98,000 people in its 12th season last year, will be hearing talent for the new season on Saturday, January 14, 1978. They will be in the Branding Iron Theatre on the campus of West Texas State University from 1 to 5 p.m. Dancers will audition at 4:00 p.m.

The first audition is set so that singers, actors and dancers who

exhibits for those interested in this unique Texas crop.

The Texas voting delegates will include Chaloupka, the entire Board of Directors of the state organization, and the immediate past state vice president. They are Jack Osborne, Pampa; S.M. True, Jr., Plainview; Marvin W. Phemister, Weinert; Joe F. Fisher, McKinney; T.L. Roberts, Wills Point; Vester Smith, Loop; Doyle Condra, Talpa; Calvin Rueter, Clifton; Bill Guidry, Nacogdoches; J.R. Day, Uvalde; Donald Herbert, Waller; Milton R. Harborth, Sequin; W. Reed Lang, Rio Hondo, and Henry Burton of Lufkin who went off the Board last month.

Tourists Prove Mecca For Texans In 1977

AUSTIN -- Texas proved to be a bargain vacation mecca in the fall of 1977 for auto visitors from of 1977 for auto visitors from other states and foreign countries.

In fact, they apparently liked Texas' more-for-your-money offerings so well that tourists stayed considerably longer last autumn than during the same period in 1976, according to comparative figures in a quarterly visitor industry study compiled by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation.

Lower expenses per group per day, coupled with a concerted campaign by state tourist bureau personnel to convince out-of-staters to "stay a while, stay a little longer," apparently helped induce last autumn's average tourist party to linger in Texas 10.16 days compared with a stay of 6.39 days in the fall of 1976.

Although tourist expenditures were less per day, the hefty increase of 3.77 days stay boosted total spending per group by 23 percent over the autumn of 1976.

Other comparisons with the previous year's averages show a slight increase in miles driven in Texas 1,120 over 1,098, and the continuation of a trend toward smaller traveling groups, 2.28 persons in 1977 compared to 2.40 in 1976.

The comparative statistics comprising the fall quarterly summary were obtained from a

survey of 4,508 auto visitors to Texas who were here during September, October and November.

The quarterly report for the fall of 1977 is a segment of a continuing seasonal study made by the Travel and Information Division and can be obtained by writing Fall Quarterly Visitor Summary, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Box 5064, Austin, Texas 78763.

The summary provides an interesting miniprofile of the average visitor to Texas during the autumn of 1977. The mean "group" consisted of husband and wife, each over 50 years of age, who call California home; they spent 26 cents of each vacation dollar on food, stayed

in motels, make over \$15,000 a year and have been to Texas more than once.

The "new money" which out-of-state and foreign visitors infuse into the Texas economy makes the tourist industry a viable and increasingly important source of revenue. Auto visitors alone pumped \$3.1 billion into the state in 1976. A total of \$3.8 billion was spent by all visitors.

So, anything the Texas travel industry can do to entice tourists to "stay a while, stay a little longer" is well worth the effort inside Texas tourist industry

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Curtis Brasher Funeral Rites Held

Funeral services for Curtis Brasher, 58, were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday, in the First United Methodist Church at Tulia with the Rev. Bruce Parks, pastor, and the Rev. Bob Metzger, pastor of Oakwood United Methodist Church in Lubbock, officiating.

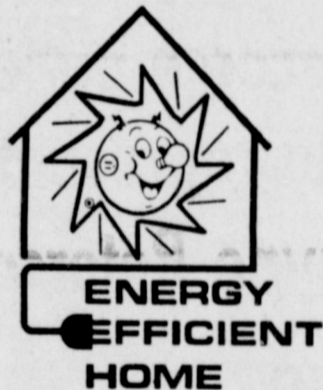
Graveside Masonic rites were in Plainview Memorial Park under the direction of Wallace Funeral Home of Tulia.

Brasher was killed in the head on collision of two cars near Tulia Tuesday night. He was married to Mary Farley, the daughter of Mrs. Mary Farley and the late J.H. Farley of Muleshoe on November 30,

1946, in Muleshoe. They moved to Tulia in 1962.

In Tulia, he was vice president of Tulia Farm Equipment. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Tulia, the Petersburg Masonic Lodge, the Order of Eastern Star, the Scottish Rite Consistory and the Khiva Shrine.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Ann Denison of Aransas Pass; two brothers, Virgil of Lockney and Verus of Petersburg; three sisters, Mrs. Amy Viertel of Cranfills Gap; Mrs. Walter Hunt of Clovis and Mrs. John Farley of Corpus Christi.



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Bala News
By
Mrs. J. Blackman

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones drove to Pampa, Saturday, and spent New Years day in the home of friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams. They also got to be with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Francis Smith, who had flown in from Riverside, Calif. for a visit with her relatives.

Mrs. John Hubbard enjoyed having to be with her over the holidays her two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Barney

Oldfield and girls Kim, Jacque and Shannon, from Grants, N.M. also Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stanley of Hereford.

Garely Lee and Tod Simmons, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmons of Littlefield, spent Friday thru Sunday with their great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Simmons.

Mrs. Lorilla Jones and son, Wendell, enjoyed having with them over the holidays other children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jones and Mickie from Chandler, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Britt and Leslie, from Barto, Georgia. Also Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields and children

of Lelia Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones left for their home Wednesday, with her mother Mrs. Lorilla Jones going home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Latham spent Christmas day with their daughter and boys, Chris and Cliff, in Slaton. Other members of the family to be with them were Mr. and Mrs. Morley DeSautell and family of Hereford, Mrs. Norene DeSautell of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moudy of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Lancaster spent Christmas holidays in Dumas, with their son Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Lancaster and children and also with her sister Mrs. Darcas Senke.

V.C. Weaver was able to return home Sunday, from the South Plains Hospital, Amherst, after a stay of several days. He is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Davila and children, Oralia and Bernie Jr. spent Christmas with their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones and small son Larry Wayne, at Comanche, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. D.J. Cox and children, Yvette, Steve and Miss Jolene Cox of Lubbock, also Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Cox and children, Jamie and Denene,

had their Christmas tree Saturday night, December 24, at the home of their mother, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Whittenburg at Oklahoma Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bryan had all their children home Christmas Eve for dinner and a family tree. To be with them were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Crosby and son, Tommy of Littlefield, also their daughter, Debbie Shepard from Fort Collins, Colo. And Mr. and Mrs. Art Foley, sons Ferris, Danny and Jo Dean. Also her brother Raymon Teston, all from Littlefield. Also Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Claunch and daughter, Sherri, of Bula.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hill of Bedford and her father, Otie Nickles of Meridan, visited with friends in the community, and also with V.C. Weaver at the Amherst hospital the past week.

Tim Marshall of Lubbock and his grandmother, Mrs. Arthur Robbins of Dublin were guests in the Nolan Harlan home Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Walden enjoyed having several of her children and grandchildren with her on Christmas day, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Walden and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Walden of Little-

field and Mr. and Mrs. David Walden and two boys from Grapevine.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Withrow had diner and family Christmas tree at their home on Saturday evening of the 24th. All of their children and grand children were with them to be together were Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Withrow and children of the home, Jarrod and Karla, Jeff from Lubbock Christian College, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Price and children, Timmy and Becky of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and son, Stephen of Jerry Smith and son, Stephen Smith and son, Stephen Hurst. Also her mother, Mrs. Lola Lentz of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman of Clarendon visited in the Tom Bogard home and also with the John Blackmans of Littlefield Monday thru Wednesday. They were here to attend the funeral services for his brother, R.L. Blackman that was held Tuesday morning at the funeral home in Lovington, with grave side services at 3:30 p.m. in the Citizens Cemetery in Littlefield.

Relatives visiting in the John Latham home during the Christmas week were her sister, Mrs. Bill Stewart of Eunice, N.M. and her three daughters,

Kenna Stewart, Tammie Jones and Jackie Stewart. Also Mrs. Martha Vinson of Seymour and Mrs. Bernie Clawson of Littlefield.

Miss Diane Crume, of Temple, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Crume. While there she and her parents drove to Eldorado, Okla. and visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Crume and also his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Newberry.

Mrs. Bobby Cooper of Lovington, came up to her sisters home, Mrs. D.J. Cox, Thursday and they both attended the Christmas party given for residents of the Roberts Nursing home in Morton, that afternoon. Their grandfather, Dave Sheshir, is a resident of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pollard visited with friends, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Morris of Littlefield, Thursday and enjoyed a hamburger supper with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Harlan assisted their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Marshall and daughter Meloni of Levelland move to Clovis this weekend. Rodney will be youth director at 16th and Pile Church of Christ there.

Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Cox and children, Jamie

and Denene, joined other members of her family in a get-together at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin McBee and girls at Enochs. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Phillips and son, Leon of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Phillips and children, Christie and Michael of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Richey and son, Steve of Sudan. Joining them in the afternoon were Mrs. A.M. McBee and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Battles were Christmas Eve guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Battles of Dimmitt. Several of Roy and wives' children were present and they enjoyed seeing them.

Over the Christmas holidays the P.R. Pierces enjoyed having their children with them, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Baker and son, John and grandson Chris from Slaton, Miss Alma Lou Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Jonnie Jackson and son, Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wall of Lubbock. Also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter and boys of Muleshoe.

Brother Eddie Riley took his RAs to Cloud Croft Skiing Thursday returning home Saturday. Boys making the trip were Jamie Cox, Donald Black, Billy Tiller, Lewis Peacock and Bernie Davila.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard had all their children with them during the Christmas holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bogard, Brad and shell from Charley, Mrs. Glenn Gasten and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Roberts and boys, Rance and Kendon from Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kennison and girls, Kim and Dusty of Olton and Dusty of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmons and boys, Gary Lee and Todd of Littlefield and Oliver Simmons of Lubbock, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Simmons Christmas Eve, and they enjoyed a tree following the meal.

Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Battles had her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes of Hollis, Okla., to visit with them Tuesday and Wednesday.

What the nation needs is more statesmen who want to know what is right before trying to ascertain the number of voters involved.

Another part of the bird's diet that is overlooked is grit. Sand particles and crushed shells help grind the food in the bird's crop and provide useful minerals. A cupful of grit on the bird food platter would be welcomed by your feathered friends.

As spring nears, ease off slowly on the bird feed but do not stop suddenly. A transition period between the winter and spring feeding habits will occur but even April and May could be critical as long, rainy days and low temperatures keep the birds from finding natural foods.

With a variety of foods to utilize, the only remaining requirement is water. You may wish to include a pool or birdbath in your bird area and it should be flushed clean every two or three days and refilled with clean water.

View From The Plains
by J.D. Peer
I & E Field Officer

LUBBOCK -- In spite of cats, pesticides, neatly trimmed lawns a few trees, it would be hard to find an area of the South Plains or Panhandle that doesn't have birds of some type during the winter months, but all neighborhoods can have more birds of a wider variety with just a little planning and work.

Duplicate nature as closely as possible having both open areas and densely planted areas to provide cover which birds need to protect them from enemies. Since foliage attracts different birds, vary your plantings and include such trees that fruit, shrubs, vines, and flowers that provide natural fruits and seeds.

For example, the ornamental flowering dogwood attracts over 90 species of birds to its branches and of these, at least 28 species are known to eat its red berries.

In addition to trees, your bird area could contain some of the fruit producing shrubs and vines. Members of the honeysuckle family - elders, snowberries, honeysuckles and viburnums are a good choice. They all produce berries which can be eaten and the foliage provides good cover and nesting habitat.

If you have difficulty in deciding which plant to put in your bird area, contact your local nurseryman who will know which species will grow best in your area.

In addition to natural food, supplemental bird feeding might be necessary for survival of your bird friends.

If you plan to put out food for birds, be sure it is done twice a day as the birds will become accustomed to the food and depend upon you for their dinner.

Eating habits of birds can generally be divided into two groups: a diet primarily of insects and other small organisms, and a diet mainly of seeds.

The various sparrows are the most familiar seed eaters and a display of commercial bird seed, grain crops, sunflowers, or a mixture of those ingredients will draw the birds along with aggressive bluejays. For troublesome birds, place a separate feeder some distance away from the smaller birds a chance at the food.

The insect eaters such as swallows and chickadees prefer suet (all-fat trimmings from meat) or table scraps placed on an aerial feeder.

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Gary Robert Hooten of Muleshoe and Holly Crenshaw of Snyder.

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Jan Nicholas Black and Ava Jaton Scheller, both of Muleshoe.

WARRANTY DEEDS

A.R. Floyd and wife, Annie Floyd; Benny Floyd and wife, Malinda Floyd; N 20A of NE/4 of Sec. 53, Block Y, W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision No. 2, Bailey County.

Fay David Holt and wife, Lettie Ruth Holt to Ronald E. Holt, and undivided 1/16, Sue E. Holt, and undivided 1/16, William Glen Holt, and undivided 1/16, Sandra J. Holt, and undivided 1/16, Jerry D. Holt, and undivided 1/8, Ronnie J. Ausley, an undivided 1/16 and Thomas L. Ausley, and undivided 1/16 of all of Sec. 11, and N 78 A, Sec. 12, Block F, Leon Blum Survey, Bailey County.

Doris Lee Richards and Sam A. Richards to Joe L. Smallwood; All of L. 3, Block 22, Country Club Addition, Town of Muleshoe.

N.W. Lee and wife, Myrtle Lee to Doris Richards; All of L. 3, Block 22, Country Club Addition, Town of Muleshoe.

Jane Wilson Bucy to Joy Elizabeth Bucy Andrus, Diane Bucy Fernandez, Edward Wilson Bucy and Charles Kimmell Bucy; Undivided 1/3 interest in NE/4, Sec. 10, League 142, Subdivision of Hansford County School Land, Bailey County.

Larry E. Haydon and wife, Linda Haydon to Gerald L. Self and wife, Sylvia A. Self; All of L. 45, Block 15, Country Club Addition, City of Muleshoe.

Clarence Bennett and wife, Mary Bennett to Maria Avila; All of Lts. 5 and 6, Block 15, Original Town of Muleshoe.

W.H. Flowers and wife, Betty Jean Flowers to Weldon Tim and wife, Jerrie F. Tims; 4A of W/2 of Sec. 51, Block, W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County.

J.M. (Murrell) Brown and wife, Ruth Brown, Merle Katherine Brown Claypool, Carol Ann Brown and Sheryl Lynn Brown Taylor and heirs of Doris W. Brown; All of L. 6 of E/2 of L. 7, Block 9, Highland Addition, Town of Muleshoe.

King Bros. Grain & Seed Co., Muleshoe, Texas, a private corporation to Barrett Produce Company, Muleshoe, Texas, a private corporation; a 22.318A tract of E side of Tract 4 John DePauw Subdivision of Sec. 38, 39, 54 and 55, Block Y W.D. & F.W. Johnson Subdivision No. 2, Bailey County.

announced support for a cotton recommendation issued last week by the nationwide farm organization's Board. Texas Farmers Union, in a letter to Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland, has called for a minimum 20 percent set-aside for cotton with diversion payments. This is a policy recommendation that will be updated when the Texas Farmers Union meets in its annual state convention in Austin, January 20 and 21.

The state office, headquartered in Waco has issued an endorsement of the National Farmers Union views on cotton and termed the recently announced cotton program "illogical and inconsistent". Jay Naman, President of the Texas Farmers Union, says that the Secretary of Agriculture should be reminded that we have a price depressing surplus now. The 1978 cotton program will encourage expansion of cotton acreage when expansion is not needed. Naman said: "The new cotton program assures over-production and low prices for cotton in 1978. It encourages cotton farmers to expand their production at a time when expansion is contrary to the producers' interest."

Under the new law a cotton farmer may reduce his planted acreage 20 percent below last year and be entitled to full payments on is planted acres.

He may plant as much as he wishes and still take advantage of disaster payments and a high percentage of the total target price payments. (A cotton farmer's share of the national program acreage is computed after the crop is planted, but is expected to be in excess of 80 percent of full payment.) This would discourage cotton farmers from voluntarily reducing acreage, according to Farmers Union.

Naman went on to say that the new cotton program is not compatible with other provision of the program for other commodities and would discourage diversification in areas where cotton is now being planted in conjunction with other crops. He pointed out that the new cotton program will be unsound in terms of conservation of water and land resources and would tend to favor areas where there is unlimited opportunity to expand production and where cotton has not been previously grown.

Cotton producers who attend TFU's Austin convention on January 20 and 21 are expected to be quite outspoken over the current cotton program and reiterate the message to Secretary Bergland if modifications are not made. Both the state and national Farmers Union organizations will be exerting full pressure on the USDA to substitute a minimum 20 percent set-aside for the program which was announced and to add to it a program allowing for diversion payments. This, according to the letter to the Secretary, would be the most economical approach in terms of cost and the most beneficial to family farmers.

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