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Dec. 7 --	27	19
Dec. 8 --	21	8
Dec. 9 --	15	-8
Dec. 10 --	25	-7
Dec. 11 --	39	11
Dec. 12 --	45	21
Dec. 13 --	58	21
Moisture for week --	.50	
Moisture for year --	17.59	

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Weather Dominates Local Picture

Football Income Exceeds \$21,000

Total football income for 1978 was \$21,565.07, according to figures presented by members of the Muleshoe School District Board of Trustees during their meeting Monday night. Of this amount, \$15,039.32 was for regular season play, and \$6,525.75 for the two playoff games.

Income for each game included, Portales, \$1,563.65; Floydada, \$1,468.00;

Tulia, \$1,302.10; Abernathy, \$1,747.00; Idalou, \$2,261.76; Friona, \$919.98; Littlefield, \$1,615.98; Olton, \$1,362.62; Dimmitt, \$1,090.50 and Morton, \$620.50.

Income for the Idalou playoff game was \$2,900.50 and \$3,625.25 for the Childress game, both of which were played at Buffalo Bowl in Canyon.

This represented an increase of \$13,916.77 over the 1975 figures of \$8,648.30. It is an increase of some \$11,000 over the 1976 figures of \$10,181.64; almost \$10,000 over the 1977 figures of \$11,968.65.

Reviewed was the current financial report, tax collection report and it was noted that 57.35 percent of the current tax levy has been collected.

They also approved employment of Wanda Horn as a clerk in the tax office and discussed a statement from Joseph A. Califano Jr., secretary of HEW about Civil Rights, Handicapped Persons and Education. Secretary Califano said he has issued a regulation, that will open 'a new world of equal opportunity for more than 35 million handicapped Americans—the blind, the deaf, persons confined to wheelchairs, the mentally ill or retarded, and those with other handicaps.'

The new regulation, as outlined, would make mandatory increased programs in the schools, and according to the regulation, 'no exceptions to the program accessibility requirement will be allowed.'

The Superintendent of Schools Neal B. Dillman said the new regulation would be prohibitive in costs to local school districts, as it is outlined and Cont. page 6, Col. 4

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Members of the Muleshoe Youth Activities Committee of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture met Monday night at Trinity County Savings and Loan Association meeting room to discuss the plans for the miniature golf course.

Galen Bock presented slides of various miniature golf courses he had visited and Wayne Holmes presented a scale model of a golf course. Members decided on plans for a miniature golf course for Muleshoe.

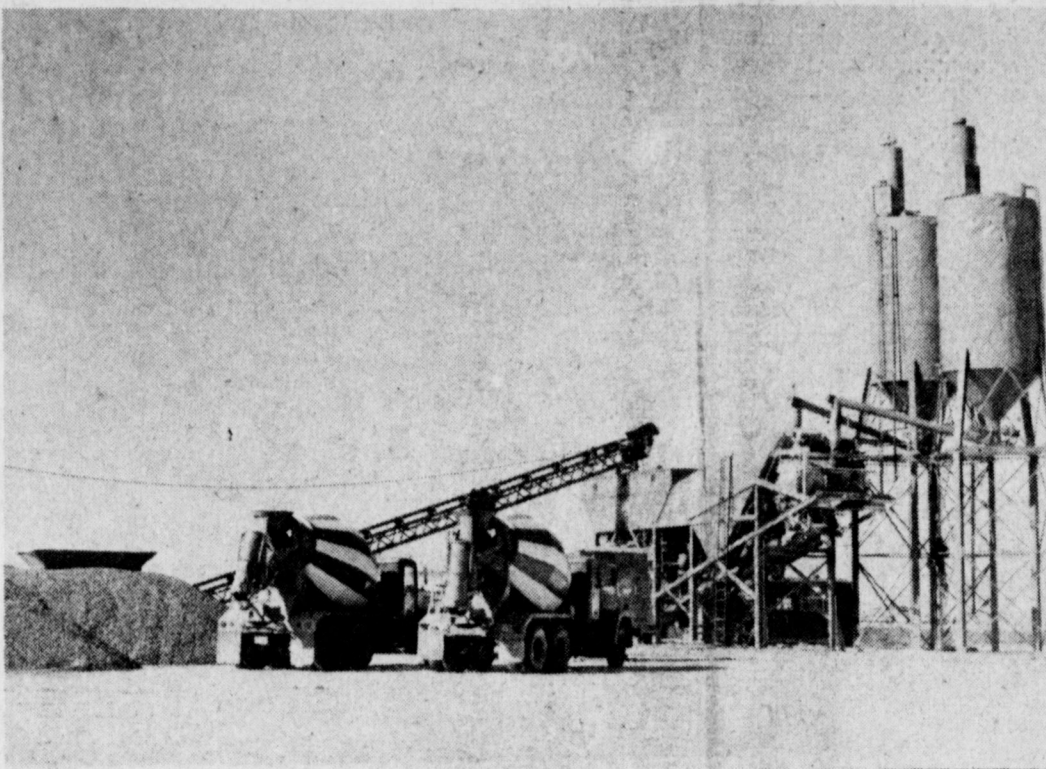
Kevin Tucker said the Pheasant Hunt breakfast Saturday morning was considered a great success and that 24 Jaycees turned out to work on the early morning project.

Youth Activities reports were given by Johnny St. Clair and Galen Bock. They reported that considering the weather, and no time to announce the last Saturday's free movie in the schools, the attendance was good. Bock also said a movie will be conducted from 6-8 p.m. Friday and again at 10-12 a.m. on Saturday morning.

Discussed briefly was the proposed miniature golf course which will be constructed on donated city property, along with a possible regulation - size croquet court.

It was also reported that a possible 'disco' dance for youth will be upcoming in the near future.

State director Terry Gunter reported on two upcoming area meetings and urged the local Jaycees to attend, if possible.



CONCRETE PLANT UNDERWAY...With the completion of a concrete plant at the Tolk Electric Generating plant site nine miles from Muleshoe, work continues at a steady pace at the new plant being constructed by Southwestern Public Service Company. Extensive dirt work is also underway at the plant site.

Young Assault Victim Identifies Assailant

Late Sunday night, the dispatcher at the Bailey County Law Enforcement Center received a telephone call that a local young girl had been sexually assaulted.

Responding City Police officers Wayne Holmes and Ray Lynk found a hysterical 12 year old girl with torn clothing, and suffering cuts. The officers took the child to West Plains Medical Center.

After initial treatment at the local hospital, it was recommended that the victim be taken to a hospital in Lubbock for extensive examination and testing. Lubbock hospitals work such cases in conjunction with the Rape Crisis Center.

Muleshoe City Police Chief Johnny Richards, Police Lt. Jerry Hicks, Clea Williams and the child's guardian took her to the new Health Sciences Center in Lubbock shortly after midnight Sunday.

Approximately three hours after reaching Lubbock early Monday morning, a Rape Crisis Center worker appeared at the hospital and after filling out several pages of information, a doctor conducted the examination.

City officers continued the investigation through Monday, with a 28-year old man from Farmer County being apprehended following the filing of a

complaint charging him with forcible rape. He was jailed after being arraigned before Muleshoe Justice of the Peace K.B. Martin, who set his bond at \$3,000. He was released from the Bailey County jail Monday night after posting bond.

Monday afternoon, Chief Richards met with Dr. Gary Albertson, chief of staff at West Plains Medical Center. Chief Richards explained the lengthy process undergone at Lubbock, during which time the young victim was forced to just sit and wait for examination.

Dr. Albertson said the doctors would conduct a staff meeting sometime this week, and consider the question of making the tests and conducting the examinations locally, as it would appear to be in the best interest of the victims.

Patrolmen for the Muleshoe Police Department drove nearly double the mileage in November of this year than last year, and already the mileage for the year exceeds the 1977 mileage by more than 12,000 miles.

But, at the same time, thefts are down and traffic citations issued have increased. This year to date, 521 traffic citations have been issued, compared to 395 at the end of November last year. Thefts were down from 82 to 78, with 15 reported during the month of November this year, compared to seven during November last year.

Officers investigated 12 accidents, compared to 15 during November last year; answered 114 complaints or calls; issued 19 traffic citations; handled 25 criminal cases; checked seven cases of breaking and entering; 15 thefts and 38 officer oriented calls.

All the items above were in addition to checking doors, alleys and businesses while on routine patrol for the city police department.

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Youth Dance Set Saturday At Coliseum

Attention all area youth. You don't have to be from Muleshoe, or even from Bailey County to have fun in Muleshoe Saturday night.

The Triangle CB Club will be presenting its second youth dance from 8 p.m. to midnight at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum.

All young people are invited to attend the dance and dance to a live band. A concession stand will be available.

Not only will the youth have an evening of enjoyment, but proceeds will be used to help future youth activities in this area.

Crop Residue Will Benefit Soil Surface

"Many benefits can be obtained from leaving crop residues on the soil surface," says Ernest Moravec, Muleshoe soil conservationist. "Soil moisture is conserved, the infiltration rate is increased, soil losses are reduced and the soil tilth is improved."

He added that crop residues trap winter snows as well as provide a cover that helps control sheet and rill erosion from spring and summer rains. He added that the most important benefit of crop residues in Bailey County is in the control of wind erosion. "Crop residues reduce the effects of winds on the soil surface," commented Moravec. "Without residue, soil losses are high, which is evident by the frequent dust and sand storms during the winter months as well as damage to young crops at planting time."

According to the soil conservationist, the minimum amounts of residues needed for protection depends on the soil type. Sandy soils require more than loam soils. Crops that will produce the desired quantity of residues are small grains, corn, grain and forage sorghums.

Tillage operations used should be those that will leave sufficient amounts of crop residues on the soil surface to protect the soil. Examples of this would be stubble mulching and minimum tillage, he continued.

"Crop residue management is only one part of a sound conservation farming operation and is used in conjunction with other conservation practices," Moravec concluded.

For more information on crop residue management, contact the Soil Conservationist, Cont. page 6, Col. 1

-15 Temperature Recorded Saturday

Extremely cold temperatures continued to dominate the weather picture throughout the area during the weekend, with a December record-breaking -15 degrees reported early Saturday morning.

Very few local residents found their vehicles would start Saturday, and most of them would start only if they had been left in a garage with the doors closed during the night Friday.

By 9 p.m. Friday, the temperature had dipped to -2, reaching the low -15 just at sunrise Saturday morning.

Several motorists reportedly 'blew' their motors when they froze up from the bitter cold, and more than one motorist was attempting to start vehicles with jumper cables.

Accidents continued, but lighter than the estimated 15-20 fender-benders occurring Thursday morning when surprised motorists found an ice glaze under falling snow.

Friday at noon, the only potentially serious accident occurred on West

American Blvd., with one man taken to West Plains Medical Center for emergency treatment.

A lot of residents found themselves without water as frozen pipes failed to yield water in many homes, especially mobile homes. Some water started thawing late Saturday, only to refreeze in the near zero temperature recorded again on Saturday night.

Monday, the frozen pipes started thawing, and many home owners and local residents had another problem. A lot of pipes burst, sending out floods of water and creating an additional shortage of plumbers who were trying to stop the floods. City workmen remained busy both Monday and Tuesday, as temperatures warmed into the high 40s as they turned off water to stop the flow of water from the many burst pipes. More than 10 persons reported burst pipes.

Jess Winn of Pioneer Gas Company said this was probably a record-breaking December low. in Cont. page 6, Col. 1

Rural FmHA Loans Show 'Big' Increase

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), the rural credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, reported that its loans for rural development in Texas during the fiscal year, FY, 1978 reached a record high of \$525 million - 43 percent above the FY 1977 level, according to W.H. (Bill) Pieratt, State Director.

Of the \$525 million, 98 percent of which are loans repayable with interest, over \$345 million are farm loans. Housing loans accounted for almost \$96 million, over \$50 million went for community facilities improvements and more than \$33 million were used for business-industrial financing.

State Director Pieratt said that 1979 will surpass this year's record amount of farm loans through the government agency.

FmHA will be the last resort for many producers who cannot obtain funds elsewhere, Pieratt said. Bankers expect the 1979 interest rate for farmers to average about 10 1/2 percent, the most that can be charged individuals by national banks. State banks, due to a state usury clause, may charge no more than 10 percent.

New farmers, depending on their particular situation, may have problems getting financed. The FmHA interest rate of 8 1/2 percent looks good to producers, even though

they would rather stay with their local banker or Production Credit Association Office.

Pieratt said that although FmHA funds come from the federal budget, most FmHA customers repay loans. "So far our losses have been extremely light," he said. "Farmers have stayed in there. It is the characteristic of Texans to pay their bills."

In speculating that 1979 FmHA loans would exceed those in 1978, Pieratt says he believes there will be adequate funding from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

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Trinity Baptist Plans Program Sunday Night

Sunday, December 17, will be a busy day at Trinity Baptist Church in Muleshoe.

Usual services will be followed by a Christmas dinner at noon in the fellowship hall of the church. The church will provide turkeys and church members are asked to bring the 'trimmings.'

Then, at 7 p.m. Sunday, a Christmas play, "In the Fullness of Time" will be presented by the choir and children of the church.

At the close of services, an offering for missions will be taken.



Friday night from 6-8 p.m., young people are cordially invited to attend a free movie at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum. Those who can, are asked to bring a can of commercial fruit or vegetables of some type or a used toy. These will be given to needy persons at Christmas.

Again from 10-12 noon on Saturday, another free movie is scheduled for young people at the coliseum.

A concession stand will be operating during the movie.

Guests at Rotary Tuesday at noon included Muleshoe City Police Chief Johnny Richards; Jeep Shanks, student guest; Johnny Actkinson, Charles Aycock and Ed Blackwood. Kerry presented the program for the day on 'Rotary Information.'

Through a typographical error, the new telephone number for the Farmers Home Administration was incorrectly given in the last issue of the Journal.

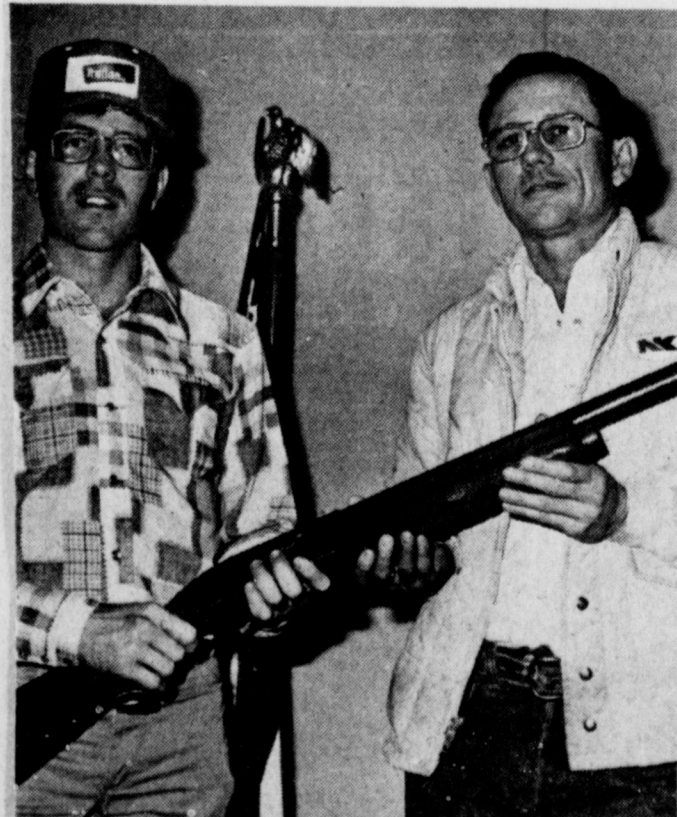
The correct telephone number for the office is 272-5549.

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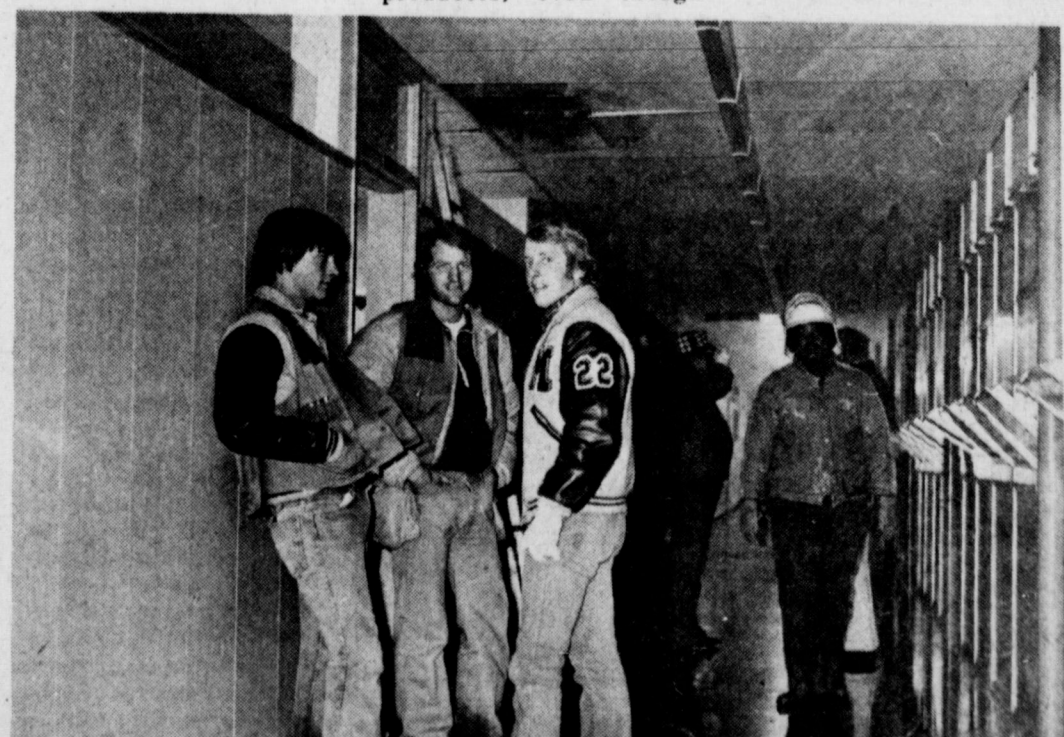
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SHOTGUN WINNER...J.C. Gatewood, right, was presented this .12 gauge shotgun Monday by Dr. Barry Cowart, member of the Muleshoe Jaycees. Gatewood's name was drawn as winner during a drawing conducted Saturday at noon.



FIRE DAMAGES SCHOOL...Muleshoe School officials were waiting at mid week for an insurance adjuster to complete checking results of a Saturday night fire that damaged Mary DeShazo Elementary School. The fire was first reported by Lester Elmore, who lives near the school. It started in a heating system in the east end of the school. Some damage is shown at the top and to the left in this picture.

EDITORIALS

Carter's Taxes, Loan

Two new disclosures about President Carter's financial affairs prior to his election deserve comment. First, it was found the Carter peanut facility at Plains was undervalued. New valuations have now been made; as a result, Mr. Carter and his family will pay the difference, plus nine percent interest.

Second, a federal grand jury has questioned the circumstances surrounding a million dollar loan Carter got from a bank formerly headed by Bert Lance, in 1975 and 1976, when Mr. Carter and his entire family were running for the Democratic presidential nomination. The loan was for improvements to the same peanut business.

That loan, according to the New York Times, was not properly secured for more than a year! These are not lapses comparable to Watergate and in any event Mr. Carter was not President at this time. But coupled with half a dozen other disclosures this year and last, the latest involving Robert Vesco, they do not enhance Mr. Carter's image, even if everything done was legal.

New Oil

The news from Mexico is that new oil fields discovered there contain at least 100 billion barrels of high quality oil. That's as much oil as is thought to exist in the vast fields of Saudi Arabia. It hasn't heretofore been taken into consideration in computing world oil supply and demand.

Additionally, the news from China is that this country also has vast new oil reserves, which further increase the world supply. As a result, estimates of an early energy crunch for the world's industrial nations are being revised.

Some now believe Mexican oil will very shortly alleviate the U.S. supply problem. Mexico isn't a member of the Organization of Oil Exporting Countries (OPEC), and has indicated a willingness to sell the U.S. large quantities of oil, reducing American dependence on Arab oil.

All of which goes to show, again, that economic predictions and estimates are subject to constant revision--and can never be taken as final certainty. It may take a decade to get Mexican fields into large-scale production but world supplies are adequate until then. Thus the energy supply picture is better, as 1978 comes to an end, than when it began.

WASHINGTON NOTES

CHILDREN & ASBESTOS

Ralph Nader reports that recent spot inspections of schools have revealed "widespread exposure" to the fibrous mineral used to fireproof and soundproof buildings, scientists believe, may cause cancer.

Agriculture Department shows that if the government banned the use of drugs in animal feed to make them grow faster, consumers would see food prices go up an additional 1.2 percent in the first year.

WESTINGHOUSE FINED
District Judge Barnington Parker fined the Westinghouse Electric Corp. \$300,000 for hiding a bribe to an Egyptian cabinet minister to win a \$31.4 million power plant deal.

DRUGS & GROWTH

A study released by the



tian cabinet minister to win a \$31.4 million power plant deal.

CHINA & TRADE

Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland's recent trip to China has prompted more excitement among America's farmers over the possibility of future scientific and technical exchanges between the two countries.

ON INFLATION

Inflation cooled off considerably during the summer quarter and economic growth was moderate, the Commerce Department said.

VANCE ON SALT

Secretary of State Cyrus Vance said the administration

still may reach a strategic arms limitation treaty with Moscow before year's end, and that the accord could lead to better overall relations with the Soviets.

SMALL BUSINESS AID

The Small Business Administration said it will use its existing loan programs to help small businesses that suffered losses because of the government ban on the use of the flame retardant chemical Tris in children's sleepwear.

ON THEFT CRIMES

The Law Enforcement Assistance Administration said a federal report says crimes of theft appear to be falling as a result of the government's

widely heralded "sting" operations--fake fencing rings set up to snare thieves.

CASE DROPPED

Charges have been dropped against the young woman accused of presenting a fraudulent drug prescription signed by President Carter's former drug abuse adviser, Dr. Peter Bourne.

ON-THE-JOB DEATHS

On-the-job deaths jumped 21 percent in 1977, marking the first rise in occupational fatalities in four years, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reports.

WASHINGTON NEWS REPORT

The Millionaires' Club--Half Millionaires?

Good Or Bad--Domestic Aid Programs--
WASHINGTON, D. C. -- Casual checks indicate about half the members of the new U.S. Senate are millionaires. This isn't necessarily bad. Some are the most generous voters--for aid programs to the poor.

Millions of Americans look forward to a future when they too will have made it, and are wealthy. These voters feel wealthy Senators will go slowly in destroying a free enterprise economy which makes it possible.

A third factor in favor of the rich is the assumption they don't need the job for its salary. They can vote more independently, as a result, the reasoning goes.

Nevertheless, few members of the upper U.S. legislative body have been on food stamps recently, or welfare, or receiving housing aid. And few of them know from experience how the many U.S. aid programs are being administered or abused today. For example, William Raspberry recently pointed out that sons and daughters of these millionaire Senators, and others, can draw welfare, food stamps, etc.

Abuses of the food stamp program are legion. Some members of the upcoming 96th Congress propose to abolish all the various aid programs and establish, in their place, a minimum income system. The trouble with that is that this system works even worse, and is subject to even greater abuse.

The best hedge against abuse in aid programs, some Senators believe, is give as much control as possible to city, county and state governments. The closer dispensers of aid are to recipients, the harder it is for slicksters to feed off the program at the taxpayers' expense.

The 96th Congress is to be faced with hard decisions on aid and welfare programs. Unless abuses are curbed, and some programs curtailed, the federal budget can't be balanced for a long time. Many members of the new Congress know the nation's economy, and the dollar, don't have that much time to wait.

special exclusive

OPEC Meeting December 16th To Set Oil Price Increases

By Edward H. Sims

JEDDAH, SAUDI ARABIA

The real question at the upcoming December 16th meeting of OPEC nations is not whether there'll be an oil price increase but how much the increase will be, and when it takes effect.

OPEC hasn't raised prices since June, 1977; in that time a declining dollar (the oil world's currency) has reduced the buying power of dollars received by oil exporting countries.

Saudi Arabia has in the past been Washington's staunchest ally in moderating oil price hikes. Its official position on the eve of the upcoming OPEC meeting is support for a continuation of the price freeze on oil--\$12.50 a barrel.

But Saudi officials here know, and privately admit, they'll have to accept some increase, go along with the will of a heavy majority. In 1976 Saudi Arabia alienated many OPEC member countries by steadfastly refusing to raise prices. The Saudis increased their output from 8 1/2 million barrels daily to more than 10 million, to prevent other nations from raising prices.

The resulting flood of oil on the market held the price line for a time. But in May, 1977, a serious fire erupted in the main Saudi fields (cause undetermined), which cut production. This and pressure from brother Arab nations induced Saudi Arabia to agree to a 5% increase in June of 1977.

At the next OPEC meet, in December of that year, Washington called on the Shah of Iran to support Saudi Arabia--in holding the price line. The Shah changed Iran's position to opposition to an increase (Iran is the second largest oil exporter in the area, 5 million barrels daily). Those countries seeking increases were again thwarted, this time by Saudi Arabia, Iran, and a few OPEC countries siding with them.

In June of this year--the last OPEC meeting, there was a glut of oil on the market, caused by lower consumption than had been expected. Thus a price increase was impractical.

Treasury Secretary Michael Blumenthal was here in

late November and, with U.S. Ambassador John West, presented the view of the U.S. Treasury on what the consequences of an increase in the price of oil would be for Saudi Arabia.

"It was an impressive performance," West recalls. "Blumenthal showed convincingly that if prices are increased, that will actually cost Saudi Arabia money." U.S. experts arrived at their conclusion as follows:

Assuming a 10% oil price increase, that would net Saudi Arabia from \$3 to \$3 1/2 billions of additional revenue. But a reduction in volume shipped would produce a loss of 1/8 to 1/4 billion dollars. Inflation caused by the increase would cost Saudi Arabia 1/4 to 1/2 billions.

The resulting reduction in the value of Saudi assets in America (caused by inflation) would cost the Saudis 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 billion dollars. The increase in the dollar cost of goods purchased by Saudi Arabia would cost another 1/4 to 1 1/4 billion dollars. The net effect of all this would be a loss of 1 to 1 1/2 billion dollars for Saudi Arabia!

Blumenthal also pointed out to the Saudis that a ten percent appreciation of the dollar, plus no increase in oil prices, would net Saudi Arabia a gain of from 6 to 7 1/2 billion dollars. Ambassador West says Saudi leaders were receptive to Blumenthal's arguments.

But, because of pressure from so many brother nations, West and others realize a price increase this month is a near certainty. The belief is strong here that the increase will take effect in stages, perhaps the first stage being only 2 1/2 percent.

"If there's an increase of only five percent, we'll consider this a triumph for restraint," West says. "If it's ten percent or higher, we won't be happy." Whatever the increase, its effect on world prices, and inflation, will be widespread.

Energy Department plans strategic-reserve program.

Attention Corn Growers
A Meeting Of Farmers From Olton, Bovina, Friona, Earth & Muleshoe
Resolved That We Would NOT Produce Corn At Less Than: 90% Of Parity
(Approximately \$6.25 Per Hundred)
Basis No.2 Yellow Corn & 100% Of Parity For Food Corn
Paid Advertising By Area Farmers

This Is What It Cost To Produce An Acre Of Corn!
(Figures Based On 8000 # Corn At \$4.20 Per. Avt.)

Water	\$83.00
Fertilizer & Herbides & Insecticides	\$77.00
Repairs	\$11.00
Operation	\$33.00
Harvest	\$30.00
Rent	\$83.00
Depletion on Water ? (Land Values Affected)	\$10.00
Living Expenses	\$22.00
Labor	\$17.00
Interest	\$18.00
Total	\$394.00

Per Acre
Cost For Last Year Approximately \$363.00



CHECKING FIRE... Cold firemen were on top of DeShazo School early Saturday night checking the results of a fire which damaged the east wing of the school. The fire which started in the heating unit shown, apparently blazed up, alerting a nearby homeowner, Lester Elmore, who first reported the fire. Edwin Cox drove upon the blazing unit, and also notified authorities. Apparently no severe damage resulted, although students are attending class in a 'cool' building.

Weather...

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agreement with unofficial reports. He also said that it has been 'a long time' since all three regulators kicked on. He did not have figures to see if record-breaking gas amounts were used, but said 14 gas line freeze-ups were reported on irrigation wells

in the country. Winn said it is common for two or three plastic gas lines to freeze on irrigation wells in low temperatures but the 14 established a new record.

Another cold front was tentatively expected to whistle through the area late this week, after a slow

Police...

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being handled in November, 1977. A total of 36 animals were impounded in November, with 54 being impounded last year. At the same time, officers in the city police will be conducting additional training sessions periodically, according to Muleshoe City Police Chief Johnny Richards, who said he is emphasizing "upgrading the department."

warming trend during the early part of the week.

Loans...

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Pieratt said 10,229 FmHA loans were made to farmers in fiscal 1978. "A lot of people have criticized the bureaucracy of Farmers Home Administration, but it has saved a lot of farmers," he said.

Pieratt said, "a state reorganization will be completed this year, but it does not involve the closing of any field offices serving Texas farmers and ranchers." Under the plan, new district offices will service all community, multiple-family housing and organization project loans. County FmHA offices will concentrate on improved service to families applying for farm and individual housing loans.

Income...

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set out at this time. Enrollment in the four local schools is up this year, by 18 students, from 1,649 on December 9 last year to 1,667 on December 8 this year.

Muleshoe High School has shown the greatest increase, with 504 students enrolled now, compared to 483 on this date last year. Junior high school lost two students from 400 last year to 398 this year. De Shazo gained 14 students, from 384 last year to 398 this year and Richland Hills lost 15, from 382 last year to 367 at the same time this year.

Board members discussed the Saturday night fire at Mary DeShazo Elementary school, and it was announced that the insurance adjuster has not yet assessed the total damage.

It was approved to make a survey in high school to determine if there is an interest among students to make a three day tour of Washington, D.C., at their own expense during Eastern Vacation. This would not be school sponsored.

With both scheduled inclement weather days and winter not even officially here yet, it was decided that if more days are lost due to weather conditions, they will probably have to be made up either at the end of the second quarter, March 1, or by reducing the length of Easter holidays.

Maintenance projects were discussed, including painting in the high school auditorium, which has been completed; roof repairs which will be done on the schools; a sidewalk and pipe fence under construction on the west side of the playground at Mary DeShazo and other maintenance.

Consumer Food News

Best buys at Texas grocery markets include chickens, grapefruit, apples, potatoes and many other fresh vegetables.

Also, many other "on special" items offer bargain buys, says Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist.

Beef forecasts predict a production decline -- way below levels of recent years -- for the next few years, she adds.

Mrs. Clyatt is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Price-quality trends this week are the following: **POULTRY...**Whole fryer chickens and parts have attractive prices. Compare prices on chicken hens, too, since some stores may offer bargains. Egg prices may drop due to an unsettled-market situation.

FRESH FRUITS...Grapefruit and apples are budget buys. Most economical grapefruit is medium-size fruit "by-the-bag." Other values are bananas, pears, red grapes and avocados. Compare prices on tangerines, oranges, tangelos and pineapple.

Cranberry prices may rise due to tight supplies.

FRESH VEGETABLES...Best buys include potatoes, onions, sweet potatoes, rutabagas, and hard-shell squash. Also, cabbage, carrots, cooking greens, escarole and endive.

Prices are steady on cucumbers, eggplant and peppers.

DAIRY...Features include cheeses, low-fat milk, half and half, sour cream and

whipping cream. Chill bowl and beaters as well as the cream before whipping it.

FISH...Nutritious, protein-rich fish offers economical, convenient menu choices. **GROCERY MARKET AISLES...**'Holiday' features' are numerous, appliance supplies adequate, but there are smaller supplies of canned peaches, pears and fruit cocktail.

FROZEN FOODS...More features now than last week include vegetables, pumpkin and mince pies and ice cream.

BEEF...Most often advertised features include chuck roasts and steaks, ground beef, round steak, standing ribs and liver.

PORK...Occasional features include Boston butt roasts, end chops, rib- and loin-end roasts and liver. Some smoked hams and bacon also are on special.

HOLIDAY WATCHWORDS

In buying mixed nuts and dried fruits, remember several guidelines about packaging and prices.

MIXED NUTS Mixed nuts that carry the U.S. "Extra Fancy" or "Fancy" grade must have at least 10 percent--and no more than 40 percent--of each kind of nut in the mixture.

When buying nuts with no "grade" follow these buying rules:

*Make sure they have been inspected by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

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MISS RHONDA COLQUITT AND DONALD LONG

Miss Colquitt Honored With Bridal Shower

Rhonda Sue Colquitt of Lubbock, bride-elect of Donald Glen Long of Muleshoe, was honored with a bridal shower on December 9 in the home of Mrs. Gene Hamilton.

Guests were greeted upon arrival by the honoree, Miss Colquitt; the prospective groom, Don Long; her mother, Mrs. John Colquitt, of Lubbock; his mother, Mrs. Dot Long, Muleshoe and the hostess, Mrs. Hamilton. The guests were registered by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mark Long.

The honoree was presented with a corsage of white carnations with red bows. The serving table was laid with a red cloth with a white lace overlay. It was

centered with an arrangement of red and white carnations and greenery in a brass holder. Brass and crystal appointments were used to serve coffee, juice, fruit bread, sausage rolls and blueberry muffins. Miss Jan Colquitt, the honoree's sister of Lubbock, served the guests.

The couple was given a ten piece Faberware cookware set by the hostesses. Helping with the hospitalities were Mrs. James Crane, Mrs. Gene Hamilton, Mrs. Lou Ann Black, Mrs. S.P. Stockard, Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. W.G. Harlan, Mrs. M.D. Locker, Mrs. Dwan Wheat, Mrs. Bill Jim St. Clair, Mrs. Clarence Weak and Mrs. Barbara Milburn.

Miss Frisbie, Foster Nuptial Vows Repeated

A marriage ceremony, December 2, at 4 p.m., united Miss Mary Paulette Frisbie of Plainview and Steven Eddie Foster of Lazbuddie in the First United Methodist Church Chapel in Plainview. Henry Heck, Hale County Judge, officiated the double ring ceremony and Paul Frisbie followed with a prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frisbie of Plainview are parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster Jr. of Lazbuddie are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Jack Hickman of Plainview was matron of honor. David Lovelace of Longview was best man and Ashley Foster, Lazbuddie, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Mark Foster of Canyon, brother of the bridegroom, and Scott Brown of Lazbuddie were the ushers.

Selected music was presented by Mrs. H.M. Bain, organist and Pattie Frisbie, sister of the bride, Judy McGowan and Lane Langford, all of Plainview, were vocalists. They sang, "If", "You Are So Beautiful" and "The Wedding Song."

Mrs. Steve Tye of Plainview was in charge of the guest book.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents at an altar decorated with a burgandy and mauve wreath and twin candleabras bearing burgandy candles, accented with greenery.

The bride wore a floor length burgandy gown fashioned with cummerbund and gathers at the waist. Three-quarter length sleeves were draped and tied with draw strings. Wine and navy seed pearls graced the collarless bodice which featured ties at the neck that matched those on the sleeves. She carried a bouquet of baby's breath and gardenias accented with her chosen colors.

The matron of honor wore a gown of mauve crepe, with a rounded neckline and long angel wing sleeves slit from cuffs to the shoulders. She carried a bouquet of mauve and burgandy carnations with baby's breath.

The flower girl wore a

long dress in a mauve and burgandy print with long sleeves. It featured an apron of a coordinated print. She carried a basket of burgandy chrysanthemums.

The bride's mother wore a two piece burgandy floral street length dress. The mother of the groom wore a mauve and burgandy tweed street length dress. Their dresses were completed with white orchid corsages.

The ensuing reception was held in the church parlor. Assistants were Kathi Heck of Morton; Darlene Ferrell, Mrs. Buddy Laing, Mrs. Lytton Start, Mrs. Wayne Ross, Mrs. Charles Godfrey, all of Plainview and Mrs. Rocky Shelton of Borger.

The bride's table featured a two tiered, columned wedding cake with burgandy and mauve roses. The table was centered with an arrangement of silk burgandy and mauve roses. A silver candleabra with mauve candles was also used on the table. Cake, punch, divinity, mints, nuts and punch were served from crystal and silver appointments.

The groom's table featured a silver candleabra and silver service. Nutbreads with cream cheese topping and sausage balls were served.

Among the wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hodges and Heather of Hereford, sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Reinhold Steinbock of Lazbuddie; Ben Foster, Sr. of Lazbuddie; Mrs. Ed Steinbock of Lazbuddie and Mr. and Mrs. Tim Foster of Lazbuddie.

As her traveling outfit, Mrs. Foster wore blue

Rev. Hunter Spoke For Alpha Zeta Pi

Alpha Zeta Pi met Tuesday, December 5 in the home of Mrs. Dave Marr with Mrs. Gary Glover serving as co-hostess.

Rev. H.D. Hunter presented the program on living. He spoke about thinking right on life, involvement in life, facing reality, having a sense of humor, self pity, setting goals, staying active and the determination to succeed.

The meeting was called to order by President, Mrs. Tim Foster. She discussed the State Convention which will be held in Dallas in June. Also discussed was the possibility of the sorority submitting a Service Project which the winner would be announced at the State Convention. The theme for this year's convention will be "Dallas Goes Hawaiian". After the convention members and friends can have

the opportunity to take a trip to Hawaii.

It was announced that Alpha Zeta Pi had won first place in the Christmas Parade with their float. The sorority was presented with \$75.

Mrs. Gary Glover announced that the Christmas social will be held December 19 and that everyone should bring a gift for their rose-buddy.

Refreshments of chips and dips, strawberry pound cake, hot chocolate and cokes were served.

Members present were the Msrs. Steve Black, Scott Brown, Dee Treadwell, Danny Shipman, Mike Wartes, David Saylor, Stan Black, Gary Toombs, Gary Renner, Terry Hill, Tommy St. Clair, Lee Stillwell, Randy Crook, Tommy Little, Alec Schuster, Tim Foster, Dave Marr, Gary Glover and Mac Brown.

Pre-Nuptial Shower Held For Miss Street

Miss Ruth Street of Earth, bride-elect of Fred Locker of Muleshoe, was honored with a gift coffee on December 10 in the home of Mrs. Bill Loyd.

The honoree was presented with a corsage of white carnations and holly accented with red bows.

The guests were registered by Miss Margaret Street, sister of the honoree. They were greeted by Miss Street; her mother, Mrs. Donald Street of Earth; his mother, Mrs. Morgan Locker of Muleshoe and Mrs. Loyd.

The table was laid with a sheer white ruffled cloth with white flocked flowers. It was accented with red bows. A Christmas arrangement of pinecones, holly, evergreen and red candles centered the table. Silver appointments were used to serve cookies, nuts, coffee and hot spiced tea. Mrs. Kent Kelley and Mrs. Perry Stockard served.

The hostesses' gift to the couple was a Sunbeam mixer.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. S.P. Stockard, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Betty Bruns, Mrs. Gene Hamilton, Mrs. H.A. Douglas, Mrs. Winona Jordan, Mrs. Ross Goodwin, Mrs. Charles L. Glover, Mrs. Don Harmon, Mrs. Dot Long, Mrs. Vivie Purcell and Mrs. B.E. Loyd.



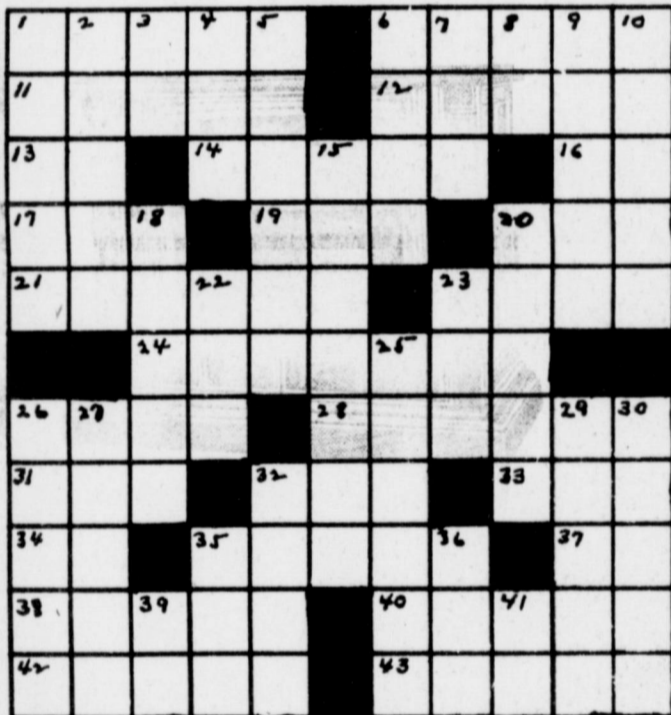
MRS. STEVEN EDDIE FOSTER (nee) MISS MARY PAULETTE FRISBIE

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster hosted a rehearsal dinner December 1 at K-Bob's in Plainview.

The groom is a 1975 graduate of Texas Tech University with a BS in business administration, graduating in 1969 from Lazbuddie High School. After graduation in 1970 from high school in Goodland, Kansas, Mrs. Foster attended Fort Hays State College in Kansas.

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 - 19-Fasten
 - 20-Tennis bout
 - 21-Obliterated
 - 23-English politician
 - 24-Like our government
 - 26-Use the teeth
 - 28-Short pleasure trip
 - 31... royal majesty
 - 32-Swamp soil
 - 33-Patriotic organization
 - 34-Printer's measure
 - 35-Outmoded
 - 37-Scale note
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 - 3-Scale note
 - 4-Was corrosive
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 - 7-Boat blade
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 - 10-Grimy
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 - 18-Thin cake
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 - 32-Actress Martin
 - 35-Russian river
 - 36-Pair
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Miss Susan Murray Feted With Bridal Coffee

Miss Susan Murray, bride-elect of Mack Hall of Petersburg, was honored with a gift coffee on Dec. 9 in the home of Mrs. J.E. McVicker.

Miss Murray was presented with a corsage of holly and white bows.

Upon arrival, the guests were greeted by the honoree, Miss Murray, her mother, Mrs. Lindal Murray; the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. Curtis Hall of Petersburg and the hostess, Mrs. McVicker.

The serving table was laid with a red cloth with an overlay of white embroidered with a red Christmas pattern. The table was centered with an arrangement of poinsettias in a copper urn. Copper

appointments were used to serve cinnamon coffee cake, sausage rolls, cranapple juice and coffee.

The hostesses presented the honoree with a mixer and blender.

Special guests were her aunt, Mrs. Ava Huchingson, Clovis; and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Mark Hall.

Hosting the occasion were Mrs. Harold Allison, Mrs. Oscar Allison, Mrs. Jewell Anderson, Mrs. Harold Cowan, Mrs. James Crane, Mrs. Neal Dillman, Mrs. J.E. McVicker, Mrs. Fred Mardis, Mrs. Frank Ellis, Mrs. Kathleen Fancis, Mrs. Dorine Harbin, Mrs. Robert Hooten, Mrs. Tom Jinks, Mrs. Pat Nickels and Mrs. Eric Smith.



LATEST ARRIVALS

Melissa, one and a brother Richard, eight.
Grandparents are Mrs. artis Ivy of Lazbuddie and Mr. and Mrs. U.W. Henson of Clovis, N.M.

Preston Jonathan Silahn

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Silahn of Littlefield are the proud parents of a new baby boy born December 6 at 8:20 a.m. in the Littlefield Hospital. He was named Preston Jonathan and weighed seven pounds and nine ounces. He has a sister, Stephanie who is six years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Autry of Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silhan of Morton. His great-grandmother is Mrs. Mary Silhan of Morton.

Jonathan Keith Ivy

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kent Ivy of Friona are the proud parents of a new baby boy born December 9 at 8:45 a.m. in the West Plains Medical Center. He was named Jonathan Keith and weighed eight pounds and two ounces. He has three sisters, Charlotte, ten; Trisha, seven,

Mr. & Mrs. Scarbrough Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. (Gene) Scarbrough were honored with a reception on their Golden Wedding Anniversary on December 10 in the Community Room of Muleshoe State Bank.

The reception was hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Julian and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Scarbrough.

Gene Scarbrough and Grace Conner were married in Littlefield on Dec. 8, 1928 and have been Muleshoe residents since 1946. They have six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Guests were registered by Lisa Hamilton, the couple's granddaughter, in a gold book with the couple's picture on the front.

The book was a gift from their granddaughter, Mrs.

Sherri Dunham. The table featured gold praying hands, a white feather pen and scrolls rolled with gold wedding bands for the guests.

The serving table was laid with a gold cloth with a white lace overlay. An arrangement of gold spidermums and carnations with baby's breath and greenery centered the table. The three tiered, columned cake was decorated with gold flowers and topped with a golden 50. Milk glass appointments were used to serve coffee, nuts, punch and the cake.

Mrs. Scarbrough was presented with a corsage of gold carnations, white bows and accented with a golden 50. Scarbrough wore a gold carnation boutonniere.



MR. AND MRS. A.E. SCARBROUGH

Xi Omicron Xi Christmas Dinner Held

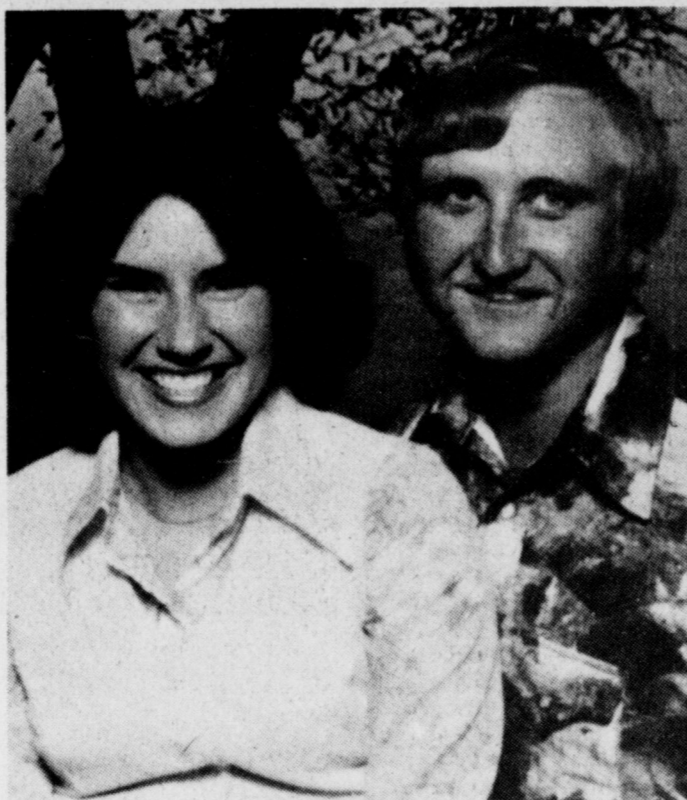
The Xi Omicron Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, December 5, in the home of Mrs. Jerry Wenmohs. Mrs. Nell Craig gave a program on genealogy. She instructed the chapter how to research their family history and presented much useful information.

You can usually judge your friends by what they do rather than what they say.

The chapter held their annual Christmas progressive dinner, December 12. It was hosted in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Corky Green, Mr. and Mrs. Max King and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pummill.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ron Kidd and Mrs. Wenmohs.

Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Don Peterson, Mrs. Dick Chitwood, Mrs. Mike Miller, Mrs. Bob Finner, Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. Corky Green, Mrs. Don Rempe, Mrs. Max King, Mrs. Paul Poyner, Mrs. Ken Box, Mrs. Doyce Turner, Mrs. Kidd and Mrs. Wenmohs.



JANUARY WEDDING ANNOUNCED...Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt H. Cavlin of Odessa wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cheryl Ann to Billy Dean Cunningham, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham of Lubbock. Vows will be exchanged by the couple on January 6, 1979 in the Slide Baptist Church with the father of the prospective-bridegroom officiating. The bride-elect is a senior at Texas Tech University and has a double major in fashion designing and home economics education. Cunningham is employed with Custom Drilling of Lubbock. The couple will make their home in Lubbock, Cunningham is the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless of Enochs.

Sudan Y.H. Hamburger Supper Held

The Sudan Young Homemakers met Monday night, December 4 at the Home Ec. building. A hamburger supper was held before the regular meeting.

The program was given by Nita Floyd of Pioneer Natural Gas Company. It was entitled, "The Sweetest Time of the Year".

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She demonstrated recipes from the booklets she passed out. The guest speaker was presented a gift by the president, Deanna Humphreys.

The regular meeting was held and the Christmas Party was planned for December 16.

Those attending were Celia Kuykendall, Jan Smith, Nancy Harrison, Linda West, Dorothy Hill, Debbie Phillips, Phyllis Roy, Shelly Chester, Ann Carson, Joan Gaston, Jo Ann Ellison, Kim Hurst, Deanna Humphreys, Jana Synatsch, Nell Ingle, Jodel Tennyson, Donna Fields, Sharron Downs, Norma Burnett, Kay Wiseman and Rita Conley.

The next regular meeting will be January 8 and Art Lynch will present a program on "self image", soc hurst birthday

Kurt Hurst of Sudan was honored on his First Birthday on December 2 in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Kerry Hurst. Kurt was one on November 30.

The cake and table was decorated with clowns.

Guests were Mrs. Sandra Nix and Kaylenn, and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Stephens and Christy, all of Sudan; Mrs. Kenneth Turner, Mrs. Peggy Elliot, Mrs. Karen Taylor, Lori and Craig, all of Tahoka and Mrs. Roxanne Hurst, Clint and Clay of Friona.

KMUL Will Present Piano Students

The Muleshoe Music Teacher's Association will present a radio program on KMUL featuring Christmas music played by area piano pupils. The program will be Saturday morning, December 16 at 11:15 a.m. This is the first of a series of radio programs to be presented by the Association for the next five months. January's program will encompass the four major periods of music. February will feature hymns; March is American composer month; and in April, the winners of the jazz festival to be sponsored by the Muleshoe Music Teachers will be presented. The purpose of the programs is

to give all the piano pupils of the area opportunities to perform and to acquaint the public with what the association does, as well as to entertain them.

Teachers that are members of the Association, who will be having pupils play are Ann Sowder, Carolyn Craddock, Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Susie Rhodes, Jean Craft, Mary Kate Belew and Elaine Damron.

Pupils playing on the Christmas program this Saturday are, Belinda Wheeler, Tiffany Parham, Deena Burris, Brenna Mathews, Polly Harrison, Joey Kramer, Laura Leal, Tina Lander, Cynthia Curtis, Lezlee Jones, Kristi Taylor, Chantil Robinson, Mandy Plank, Joy Parish, Vonda Stephens, Karen Clayton, Lisa Hamilton, Cindy Hamblen, Laury Grant and Linda Shafer.

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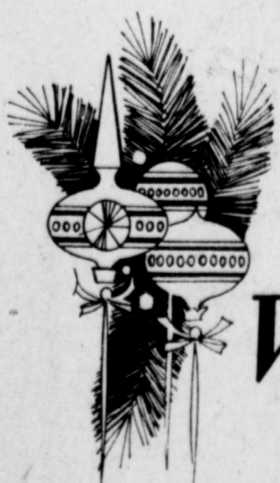
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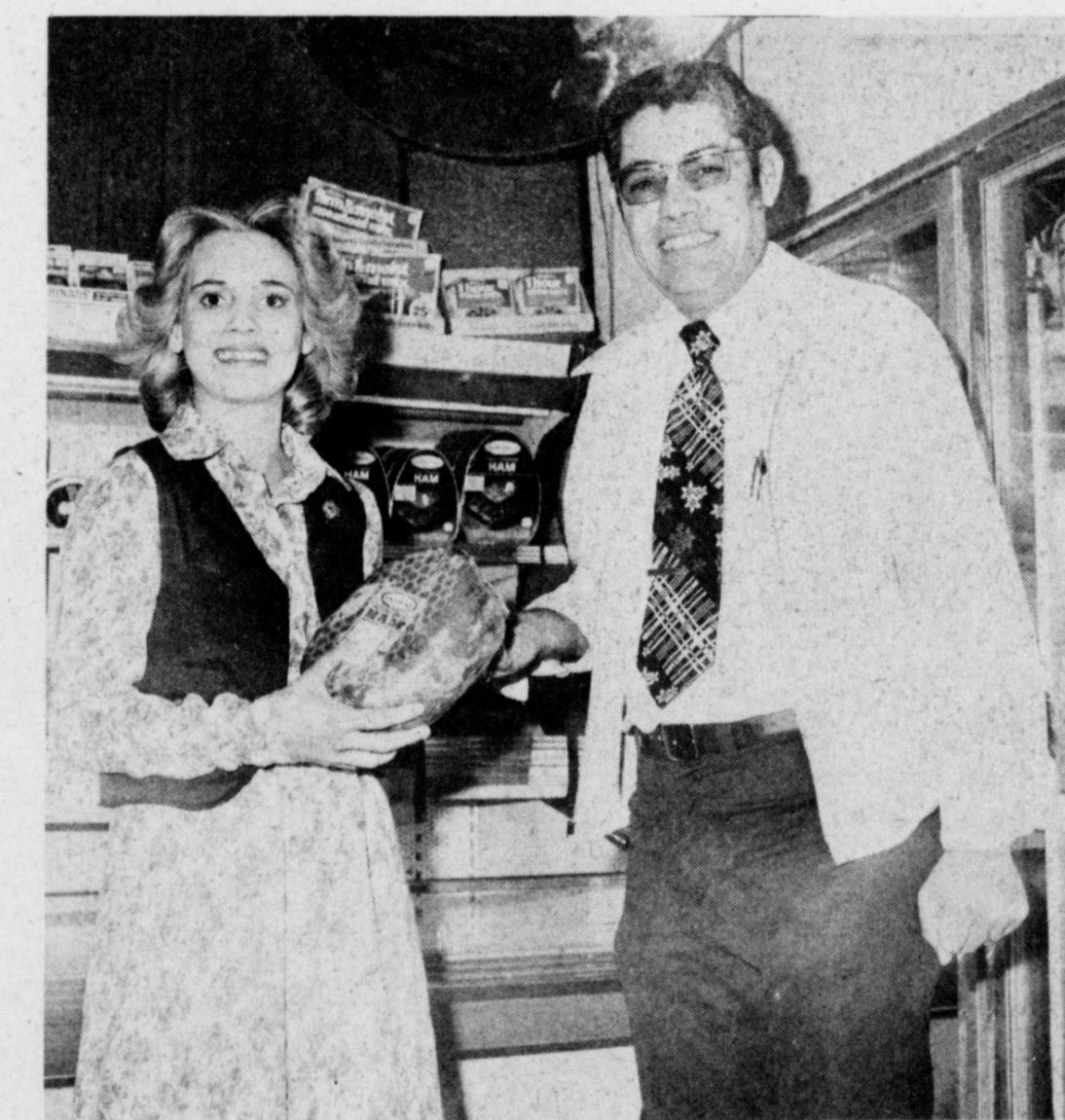
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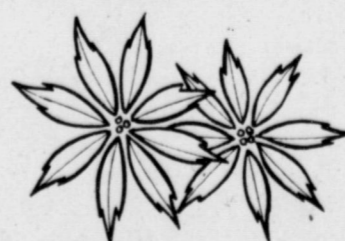
ANA'S HOUSE OF BEAUTY...Before starting on her shopping tour, Miss Merry Christmas made a stop at Ana's House of Beauty to have her hair done by Jana St. Clair. Ana's also has many beautiful gift sets so for those gifts or for a new cut or perm before Christmas, call for an appointment.



Ana's House of Beauty



LET'S WATCH T.V...Haney Poynor shows Miss Merry Christmas a RCA XL100 Color T.V. The perfect gift to watch those holiday shows on. Poynor's Whites has gifts for every member of the family.

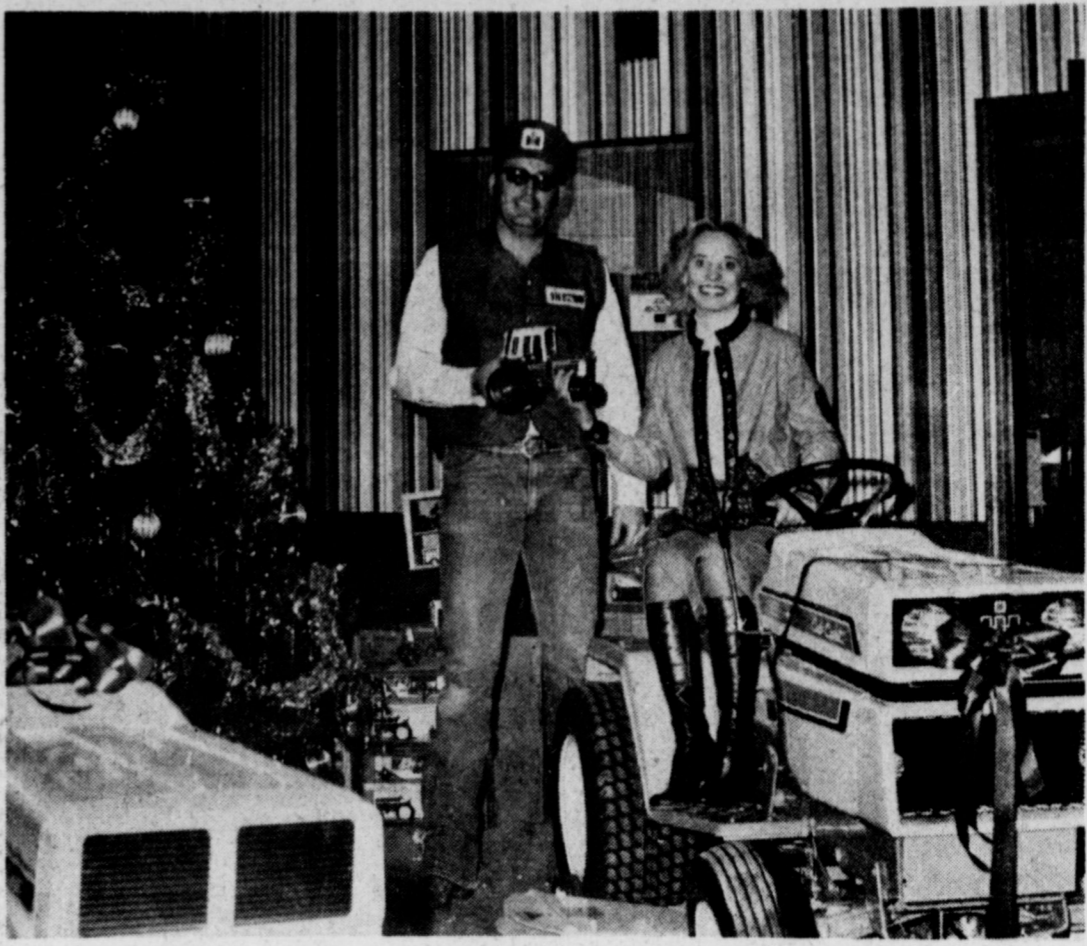


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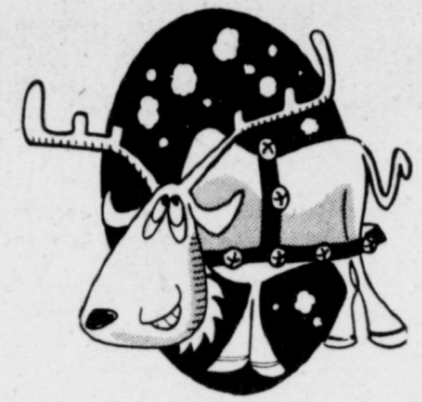
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HOLIDAY PARTY WEAR...Sandy Dunbar shows Miss Merry Christmas a black satin jumpsuit by "Jones Jrs. of Dallas", perfect for those holiday parties.

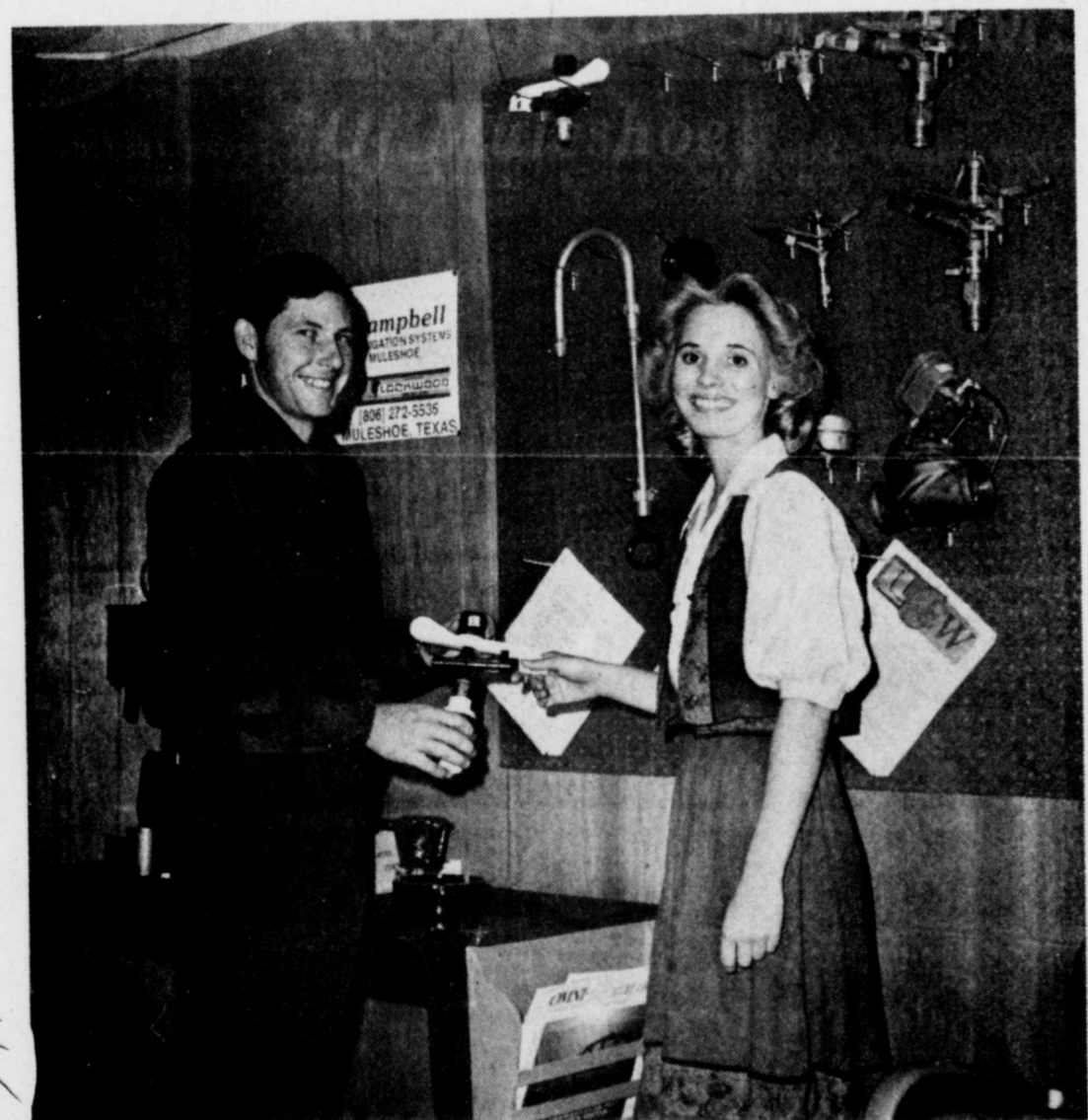


NEED A NEW TRACTOR?...Miss Merry Christmas visited Wooley-Hurst Inc. and found the perfect gift for that man about the house, an International Cub Cadet Lawn and Garden Tractor or for those "little" guys about the house, Lanny Trussell shows her a toy International tractor.



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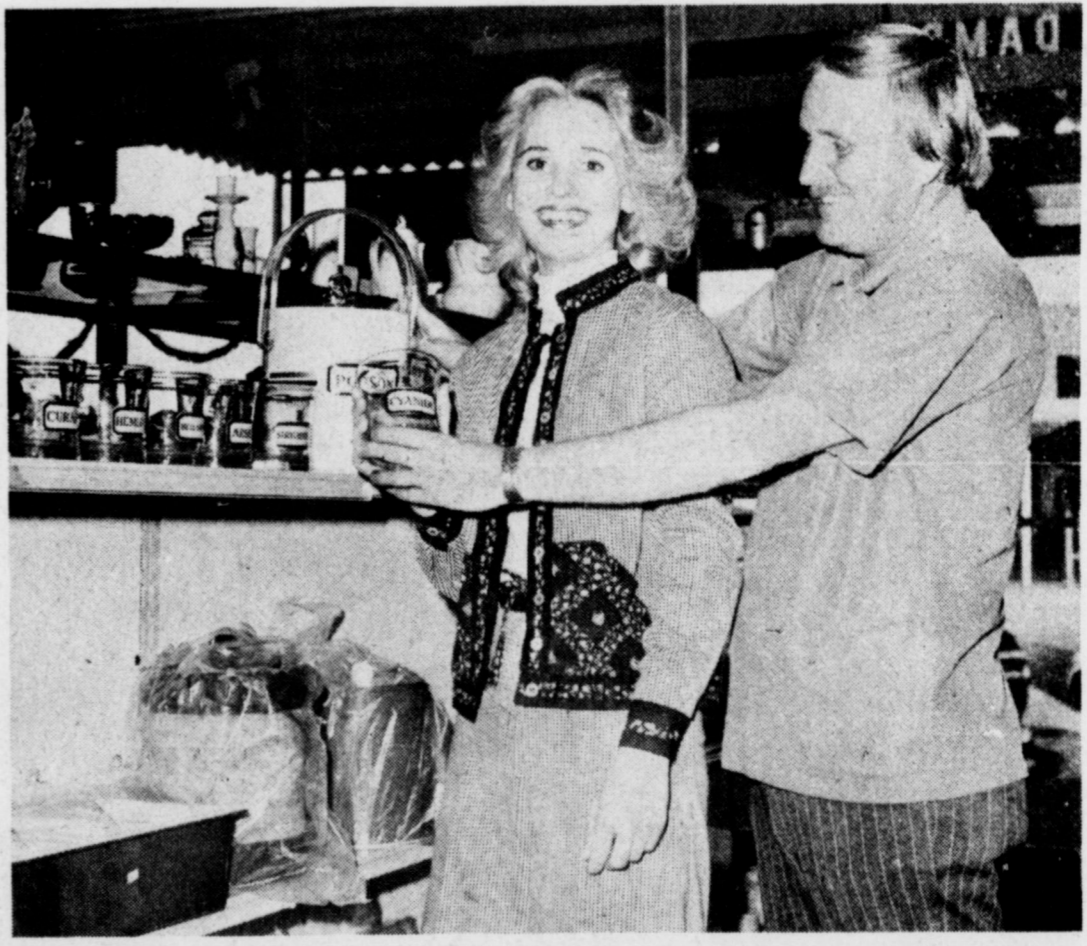
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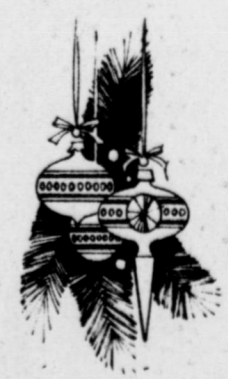
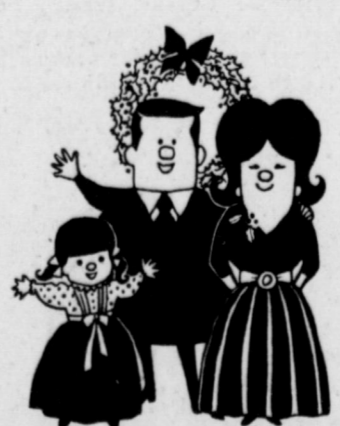
NEED A NEW SPRINKLER SYSTEM?...Arnold Price, of Campbell Irrigation Systems of Muleshoe shows Miss Merry Christmas a new Senniger Sprinkler head for that sprinkler system. Arnold says come by and see him at Campbell Irrigation for you new Lockwood Sprinkler System.



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Of Muleshoe



JUST THE GIFT FOR MOM...Sam Damron of Damron Rexall Drug shows Miss Merry Christmas his new line of Gift Ware. Damron is also your Helena Rubenstein cosmetic headquarters.



Damron Drug

Enochs News
By
Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mrs. Dale Nichols was admitted to the Highland Hospital in Lubbock, November 30, where she remains a patient.

The members of the Enochs Methodist Church had their Christmas dinner at the church last Sunday with turkey and all the trimmings. They also exchanged gifts. Bro. Floyd Rowland of Morton brought the message and they had a testimony meeting.

Mrs. Flo Nichols spent Monday through Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. L.D. Davis and family at Shallowater and did some shopping in Lubbock.

Mrs. Leland Finley of Odessa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless, underwent surgery in Odessa last Tuesday. She is doing good.

The farmers were busy gathering their cotton till the cold front blew in Tuesday with snow Thurs. and Fri. morning. The temperature dipped to five degrees below zero Sat. morning.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E.N. McCall recently were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Robert George, Brent and Marthan; Mr. and Mrs. Don Vanlandingham, Chris, Kim and Kerry of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rowden of Morton.

Guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw, Monday to Wed. was her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Baker of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

The Baptist women met at 9:30 a.m., Monday and Tuesday for their Week of Prayer Mission program. They cancelled their program Thursday and Friday due to the weather. The theme of the program was "Tell It Out With Gladness". Mrs. Harold Layton was in charge of Monday's program. There were eight present. Attending were Mrs. Chester Petree, Mrs. Harold Layton, Mrs. C.C. Snitker, Mrs. J.W. Layton, Mrs. Bill Key, Mrs. J.E. Layton, Mrs. Charlie Shaw, Flo Nichols and two visitors, Mrs. L.R. Baker of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Linda Key.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Robertson of Arizona visited their sons, Randy and Larry at Lubbock and came through the community last week.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree last Sunday was their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Petree and children and Mrs. Petree's sister, Mrs. Audrey Hill, all of Lubbock.

The Bula-Enochs Lion's Club met at 6:30 a.m. for their meeting and breakfast on Thursday. E.M.

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6-PC. COUNTRY KITCHEN SET
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Autry and Rudolph Marrow were the cooks. There were nine present.

The Lion's Club will have their annual Christmas party at 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 16. Everyone is invited to attend the covered dish luncheon and exchange gifts.

Trading stamps will be accepted for Girl's Town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Smith were in Morton Tuesday night and visited Mrs. Alma Altman. They also attended the Eastern Star Christmas party.

Rev. and Mrs. Charlie Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Baker drove to Post Tuesday to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Shaw and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson from Yucaca arrived at noon, Sunday for a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless.

Self-control is a great virtue but few individuals ever seek to attain it.



Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
I am Crystal Dawn Ma-

nasco, and this Christmas I am 20 months old. and I am very excited about you coming to see me this year. I would like for you to bring me a baby doll. I have been looking at a lot of dolls in stores and books. And anyone of many would do. Just one

for me to love and take care of.

Please remember, Santa, I will be spending Christmas eve at my Grandad and Nannies house. So please visit me there. We will have some goodies waiting on you.

Merry Christmas
Santa
Crystal



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FREE Movie "Lassie"
Fri. 6-8p.m. At Civic Center
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ROUND STEAK
\$1.79
LB.

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JUST IN TIME FOR YOUR HOLIDAY BAKING
18 1/2-OZ. PKG.
66¢

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
ALL PURPOSE ENRICHED FLOUR
5 LB. BAG **568¢**

Barney's Butcher Shop Sale
BE SATISFIED WITH PIGGLY WIGGLY MEAT OR DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK!

COMBO PACK
PORK CHOPS
\$1.39
LB.
10 CHOPS
4 END CUTS-6 CENTER CUTS

GLOVER SLICED
BACON 12-OZ. PKG.
\$1.29
FOR A SIZZLING GOOD BREAKFAST

QUARTERS
PARKAY OLEO
1-LB. PKG.
49¢

VEGETABLE SHORTENING
CRISCO
3-LB. CAN
\$1.88

KRAFT
MAYONNAISE
32 OZ. JAR ONLY
\$1.18

PIGGLY WIGGLY
POTATO CHIPS
8-OZ. PKG.
59¢

OXYDOL
POWDERED DETERGENT
171-OZ. BOX
\$4.99

TEXSUN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE
46 OZ. **59¢**

KRAFT MARSHMALLOW CREAM TOPPING
7 OZ. **49¢**

PILLSBURY BISCUITS BUTTERMILK COUNTRY STYLE
7 1/2 OZ. **2/35¢**

PALMOLIVE
LIQUID DETERGENT
SOFTENS HANDS WHILE YOU DO DISHES
32-OZ. BTL.
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CAMPFIRE
MARSHMALLOWS MINIATURE 10 1/2 OZ. REGULAR 10 OZ.
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VAN CAMP S
PORK & BEANS No. 300 Cans
3 89¢

USDA HEAVY WESTERN BEEF BONELESS BOTTOM
ROUND ROAST LB.
\$1.79

FARMER JONES
SAUSAGE 1-LB. **\$1.09** 2-LBS. **\$2.15**

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\$1.99

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CALIFORNIA SWEET, JUICY, NEW CROP
NAVEL ORANGES 10 F O R **98¢**

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BULK IN SHELL MIXED, HOLIDAY
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PIE CRUST JOHNSTON GRAHAM CRACKER 69¢

REYNOLDS BROWN-N-BAG TURKEY SIZE 2-PK. **67¢**

CONDENSED MILK EAGLE BRAND 14-OZ. **73¢**

BAKERS COCONUT ANGEL FLAKE 14-OZ. **\$1.29**

PIE CRUST STIX BETTY CROCKER 22-OZ. **\$1.15**

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DURACELL ALKALINE BATTERIES AA 4 PACK **\$2.99** 9 VOLT 1 PACK **\$1.89**

FROZEN VEGETABLES PIGGLY WIGGLY BROCCOLI SPEARS BRUSSEI SPROUTS CAULIFLOWER 8-OZ. **43¢**

MUSHROOMS PIGGLY WIGGLY STEMS & PIECES 4-OZ. **59¢**

SALAD CHERRIES WILLIAMETTE VALLEY 10-OZ. **65¢**

CANNED PUMPKIN PIGGLY WIGGLY 8-OZ. **35¢**


SNACK CRACKERS NABISCO ASST. CRACKERS 10-OZ. **83¢**

MIXED NUTS & PEANUTS PLANTERS 12-OZ. **\$1.99**

PILLSBURY COOKIES ASSORTED REFRIGERATED 19-OZ. **\$1.09**

FOOTBALL Contest

SPECIAL ANNUAL BOWL CONTEST



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Muleshoe Publishing Company, Box 449, Muleshoe, Texas
 . Contestant must be 12 years of age or older.
 . Only one entry per person may be made.
 . Weekly contests are open to everyone except employees and families of this newspaper.
 . Bring or mail your entries to the Journal office. Mailed entries must be postmarked not later than Friday, December 15, 1978
 . Winners names will be published in the newspaper following the close of the Bowl Game contest.
 . Choose the team you think will win.
 . there will be only one winner.
 . in the event of a tie, names will be drawn from a hat

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PICK THE WINNING TEAMS

ORANGE BOWL

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2. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA... ROSE BOWL MICHIGAN.....

3. ALABAMA..... SUGAR BOWL PENN STATE.....

4. OHIO STATE..... GATOR BOWL CLEMSON.....

5. GEORGIA TECH..... PEACH BOWL PURDUE.....

6. ARKANSAS..... FIESTA BOWL U.C.L.A.

7. NOTRE DAME..... COTTON BOWL HOUSTON.....

8. STANFORD..... BLUEBONNET BOWL GEORGIA.....

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REG 99c **88c**

FLEX SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER 16 OZ.
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GIBSON'S
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Sudan News
By Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Earl Williamson and Dusty and Kurt of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson and Kristy of Lubbock visited during the weekend in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Williamson, their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Minyard and girls joined them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rogers were in Lubbock Saturday for dinner and a show to celebrate their 30th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rogers, Monte and Gaylene attended the Rogers' family reunion in Wheeler last weekend.

Guy Walden was released recently from the Methodist Hospital where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ford were in Denton during the Thanksgiving holidays to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Donny Ford. They also visited other relatives in Paris and Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Pal Legg, their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Muller of Austin and Mrs. Velma Reasner and children were in Arkansas during the holidays to visit their father and grandfather, Mr. Turentine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown of Weatherford, Oklahoma visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Henderson of Whiteface visited during the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson. Also visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Bruton of Levelland.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day were Thanksgiving guests in the home of their daughter and family in Dimmitt.

Sonny Kropp visited a few days last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp. Also visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. Butch Waller and children of Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lynskey and Brad of Lubbock visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Provence and Darren.

Mrs. Bonnie Sutton visited in Dallas during the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Art Lynch met her in Lubbock when she flew home Friday.

Dewey Bandy remains a surgical patient in the Methodist Hospital where she underwent back surgery, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Williamson hosted a dinner Friday for those who work on his shift at Plant X. Following the meal they exchanged "gag gifts". Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rogers, Mr.

and Mrs. Weldon Wiseman, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster of Earth and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Waldrop of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson and boys were in Levelland Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith and Keith of Lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of Fort Sumner visited this week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ingram were in Lubbock during the weekend to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ingram and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Lock were in Wilson Saturday to visit her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Roberts.

Francis Pickett is a medical patient at the Little-

field Hospital after receiving a back injury.

Robert Wells of Amarillo visited during the weekend with his parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Chester.

Mrs. Dick Gatewood of Vernon was recently in Sudan to visit friends.

Carry Logan of Amarillo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Drake of Tulia and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Frick of Lubbock visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sampson of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Vierra of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. and Mrs. Earnest Fish of Lubbock, Mrs. Mary Knoles and children of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cardwell and family of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Williams attended an Art Show in Odessa during the weekend.

Sonny Deviney has returned home from the Amherst Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dood Haragan were in San Angelo to attend an Art Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Williams of Littlefield visited Monday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Williams.

Mrs. Gary Pickrell was in Lubbock during the weekend to attend an Art Show.



WIFE GUEST SPEAKER...Mrs. Jim Majors of Osceola, Neb., the National President of W.I.F.E., was the guest speaker honored at a dinner of Women Involved in Farm Economics on December 8 at 6 p.m. in the Bailey County Civic Center. Pictured from left to right is Mrs. Don McGuire, local president; Mrs. Majors; and Mrs. Charles Saylor, state president.

OPEN SUNDAY 12:00pm - 8:00pm

TOWELS 39¢

BAKING ANGEL FLAKE
COCONUT 14 OZ. CELLO PKG. \$1.19

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TISSUE (200 COUNT BOX) 69¢

TREE TOP
APPLE CIDER 1/2 GAL. JUG \$1.59

DEL MONTE WHOLE
GREEN BEANS 303 CAN 49¢

GOOD DAY MANDARIN
ORANGES 11 OZ. CAN 2/89¢

LUCKY LEAF CHERRY
PIE FILLING #2 CAN \$1.39

HUNTS (HALVES OR SLICED)
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SAUCE #300 CAN 2/89¢

CANADA DRY
GINGER ALE 28 OZ. BOTTLE 2/89¢

GREEN GIANT LONG GREEN
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NABISCO PARTY SNACK
CRACKERS 79¢

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PEANUTS 12 OZ. CELLO PKG. 69¢

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HAMS 69¢ LB.

TURKEY TOMS 79¢

Turkeys 99¢ LB.

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RIB STEAK

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Just In Time For Christmas

13' Circular Tramp

\$469⁹⁵

5' X 10' Deluxe Tramp

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Lazbuddie Longhorn Stampede



The Lazbuddie Longhorns traveled to Threeway, Tuesday, Nov. 28, to take on the Eagles. The Threeway girls remain undefeated with the score against Lazbuddie 54-48. Top scorers for the Horns was Sherrie Seaton with a total of 15 points followed by Barbie Ivy with 12 and Terri Clark with 10. The girls' record is now 3-2. Three way boys won with a score of 59-57. Top

scorer for the Horns was Andy Rogers with 16 pts. followed by Quentin Mimms with 14 and Rus Windham with 9.

The Longhorns traveled to Anton to play in the sixteenth annual tournament this past weekend. Thursday, Nov. 29, the girls and boys both played Sudan. The girls lost by a score of 51-40. Top scorer for the Horns was Sherrie Seaton with 11 pts. followed by Susan Glover with 9. Anglea Matthews and Terri Clark each added 6 pts.

The boys won their game...41-33. Andy Rogers led with a total of 10 points followed by Quentin Mimms and Charleson Steinbock each with 9.

Friday, Nov. 30, the girls and boys both played Spade. The girls won with a score of 55-24. Top scorer for Lazbuddie was

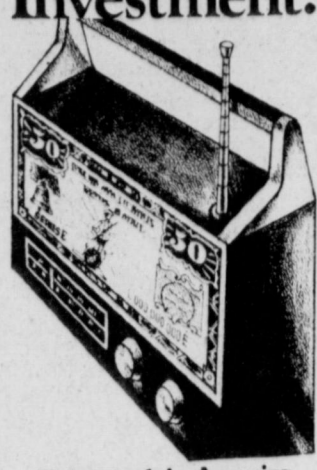
Sherrie Seaton with a total of 14. Barbie Ivy followed with 10 pts. and Anita Gonzales with 8. The boys lost their game by a score of 59-44. Top scorer for the Horns was Andy Rogers with 15 and Quentin Mimms with 13pts.

Saturday, Dec. 1, the Lazbuddie girls lost to Springlake-Earth 51-50 in a very exciting game. Top scorer in this game was Terri Clark with 15 pts. followed by Sherrie Seaton with 13 and Barbie Ivy with 11. The boys won third place by beating Wilson 59-50. Top scorer in this game was Charleson Steinbock with 18 pts. Charleson was also named to the All Tournament Team for the Tournament.

The Lazbuddie Longhorns will play in the Springlake-Earth tournament Dec. 7, 8 and 9. The first game will be Thurs., December 7, against Sudan. The girls' game

will start at 4 p.m. followed by the boys' game. Come on out and support your Lazbuddie Longhorns this weekend.

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Maid Of Cotton Will Model Cotton Wardrobe

Janie Laws, 1979 South Plains Maid of Cotton, will model her all-cotton wardrobe during the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce Christmas Open House, Tuesday, Dec. 19, beginning at 10:30 a.m. The open house will be held in the Chamber offices, located at 14th St. and Ave. K.

A 20 year old freshman at Texas Tech University, Miss Laws won the title in October during the South Plains Maid of Cotton Selection sponsored by the Lubbock Chamber's Maid of Cotton Committee, Howard Yandell, chairman. This will be one of the last times Miss Laws will present her wardrobe before leaving for the National Maid of Cotton Selection in Memphis, Tenn., which will be held Dec. 27-29.

Her wardrobe consists of two presentation formals, travel and casual outfits and several interview dresses. Also included in the collection is a vest made by Mrs. Don Hurdt, a member of the Maid of Cotton Committee. The vest-coat is made out of denim from Texas Tech's Textile Research Center and features scenes from West Texas, such as a cotton field, windmill, outline of the Caprock and a prairie dog.

The Chamber Open House is scheduled for 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

CONDEMN'S ABORTION
VATICAN CITY -- Pope John Paul II has condemned abortion and called on young people to overcome "false and fashionable ideas" and the snares of the devil.



MISS JANIE LAWS

Grazing Management Stretches Pastures

A system of grazing management is important for getting the most out of winter pastures, especially since dry conditions have limited forage growth this fall.

"Some type of grazing management will help stretch winter pastures to feed more animals or give more grazing days for a given number of animals," points out Don Dorsett, forage specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"While grazing management may seem like a lot of planning and work, it may only mean opening one gate, moving the animals and closing the gate. The type of system used can indicate the extent of management required," notes the Texas A&M University System specialist.

A simple rotation grazing system with two or more pastures is the easiest system to start from a management standpoint. This means grazing all animals on one pasture while the other pastures or pastures are being deferred and are growing more useable forage. When the one pasture is fairly well used, the herd is moved to a second pasture for grazing. With total rest, the first pasture should make some regrowth for later grazing.

Dorsett cites a study done several years ago in Oklahoma with four pastures in rotation grazing that showed a weight gain advantage for rotation grazing over continuous grazing with winter pastures. Over four years, steers on the rotation grazing averaged 52 pounds per acre more gain than steers on a continuously grazed pasture. "More high quality forage seems to be the result of rotation grazing of winter pastures," contends the specialist.

For those willing to be more intensive in management, a type of limited grazing may be a good choice, says Dorsett. Dry

cows can be limit-grazed for two to four hours every other day, or Mon., Wed., and Friday on winter pastures. In effect, the winter pasture would be the protein supplement for these animals. Some other forage like hay or standing dry grass would be necessary to give the animals their fill while they are off the winter pasture.

For cows with calves, steers or growing heifers, high quality winter pasture should be available every day, but this could be on a limited basis, explains the specialist. Again, hay or dry forage would need to be available while the animals are not on winter pasture. Such producing animals can be maintained by allowing them access to winter pasture for two hours daily. Weight gains will not be great but should occur. The important feature is that the grazing days per acre can be increased by limited grazing. Either more days grazing will be available or more animals can be maintained on a given acreage.

"Livestock will become trained to the type of grazing management selected," says Dorsett. "Under rotation grazing, livestock will be more than willing to change pastures once the pasture they are on is grazed down. What ever form of limited grazing is used, livestock become trained in about two weeks. Getting them on winter pasture is never a problem, and, after being herded off the pasture regularly for two weeks, they become trained and start leaving on their own accord. After that, limited grazing is more a matter of being there at the proper time."

So, if your winter pastures are going to be restricted in growth and you want to get the most out of them, consider some form of grazing management, emphasizes Dorsett.

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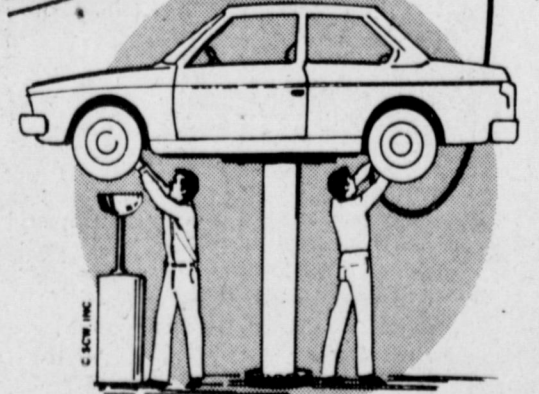
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Nursing Home News
By Joy Stancell

Alex Williams came Sunday and had Bible study with the residents. Those attending were Dottie Wilterdine, Onnie McDaniel, Marie Engram, Docia Parish, Maggie London, Archie Scarlett, Abe Malouf, Marie Patton, Edna Henderson, Carrie Boydston, Lottie Hall, Rose Sebring and Chellie Bradley.

The Needmore and Circleback singers came Sunday at 2 p.m. and sang to the residents. Those attending were Onnie McDaniel, Rose Sebring, Marie Engram, Carrie Boydston, Maggie London, Archie Scarlett, Marie Patton, Lottie Hall, Chellie Bradley, Irma Purdy, Annie Brown, Dottie Wilterdine, Ed Clark and W.W. Parker.

The Nursing Home Auxiliary came Tuesday and worked in the beauty shop. Women having a shampoo and set were Marie Engram, Lottie Hall, Rose Sebring, Edna Henderson, Docia Parish, Maggie London, Chellie Bradley, Dora Slaughter, Annie McDaniel and Annie Brown. Ed Clark and William Parker were given hair cuts.

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Tuesday was craft day. The residents made and decorated candles. Those attending the workshop were Edna Henderson, Marie Patton, Lottie Hall, Rose Sebring, Archie Scarlett, Maggie London, Onnie McDaniel and Annie Brown. Joyce Campbell helped with the crafts.

Janice and Eddie Matthews, Candy and Carrie and Wesley Putnam of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church came to sing and play the piano for the residents, Wed. Those attending were Marie Engram, Maggie London, Docia Parish, Marie Patton, Carrie Boydston, Ann Brown, Archie Scarlett, Abe Malouf, Willie Stienbock, Dot Wilterdine, Lottie Hall, Rose Sebring, Birdie Phelps, E.P. Farmer, Onnie McDaniel and Irma Purdy.

The Muleshoe Young Homemakers came Thursday afternoon to decorate the Nursing Home for Christmas.

Willie Stienbock and Lottie Hall were the residents honored at our birthday party, Thursday. Stienbock is 78 years of age and she is 80.

Visiting with Margaret Jones was her granddaughter, Jenny Milburn of Austin; Juanita Polk; Lou Emma Edwards, Levelland; Jo Lewis; Mrs.

Ralph Wade, Whitharral and Kathy Wade, Houston.

Visiting with Lena Stienbock was Benny and Wanda Dyke, Annie McNeil, Myrtle Stienbock, Mrs. Fern Broyles, Vickie Copley and Mrs. Bobby Broyles.

Doris Jackson of Hereford visited her father, Walter Underdown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sebring visited Rose Sebring.

Earl and Eldon Parish visited their mother, Docia Parish.

Mrs. R.C. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Henderson, Mrs. John Gunter and Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Robertson visited with Edna Henderson.

Carrie Boydston was visited by her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Boydston and children of Tahoka.

Ella Chambers was visited by her granddaughter, Dana Blue and by her great-grandchildren, Jason and Jana Blue.

Onnie McDaniel was visited by her sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Dobbin of Arlington and by her niece, Christine Scheller and baby.

Lona and Kathy Embry and Mrs. Norman Head visited with Dottie Wilterdine.

Marie Engram was visited by Mrs. Hardage and Gina Angeley.

The Nursing Home Christmas Party will be December 19 at 2:30 p.m.

COSMONAUTS RETURN
MOSCOW -- Cosmonauts Vladimir Kovalenok and Alexander Ivanchenkov parachuted onto the steppes of Soviet Central Asia, ending the longest space flight in history--139 days, 14 hours and 49 minutes, the Tass news agency reported.

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll, a ring, Dancerella.
Love,
Angel Hurtado

Dear Santa
I want a baby This-N-That, and super star Barbie and 2 Barbies and a Dancerella, 2 Santa Claus rings, a Mickey Mouse watch, Raggedy Ann, and a Baby Rash.
Love,
Anita Perez

Dear Santa,
I want a ballerina doll, a doll that rashes, a new toy box, a stuffed rabbit, a new little stove with a face, a real B-B gun, Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls, a new wagon, a new bicycle, a stretch octopus and I want a playhouse and a new beanbag and a little angel doll.
Love,
Misty Hillin

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Dancerella Doll, a play-dough hamburger set, a swimming pool, a playhouse, a stuffed dog, a Baby Wet and Care, a Barbie set, and that's all.
I'm going to leave you some cookies and milk from Craig and Missy.
Love,
Missy Smyer

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Jaws set, a Star Wars set, a B-B gun, and a giraffe, a stretch octopus and some boots and that's all.
Love,
Loy Niavez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a real B-B gun, and some B-B's. And some stretch octopus and some pants and a real turtle and a rifle, a hen and a baseball glove. And a football helmet and suit.
Love,
Alex Aguirre

Dear Santa,
I want some dishes, a play sink, and also a play stove, also a play cabinet, a purse, and some puzzles. That's all.
Love,
Elsa Mendoza

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me some Hot Wheels, a pellet gun, a stretch octopus, and a Max Machine, play pick-up and that is all.
Love,
Zack Farr

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me some different colored rings, and a stuffed rabbit, also a doll, and a bicycle, a doll house and chinese checkers and a whole bunch of books.
I wish you a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Sandy Patterson

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a doll, a stretch octopus, and a Baby - Come - Back and that's all. Also a purse, some shoes and boots.
Love,
Sonia Flores

Dear Santa,
Please bring a Baby - Wet and Care, a stretch octopus, and a trampoline, a playhouse, a calendar, and that's all. Also a Baby This and That.
I'll have some cookies and milk for you.
Love,
Monica Swint

Dear Santa,
I want a doll, and a Ballerina dancer, and a toy that takes pictures, That's all.
Love,
Annette Gutierrez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me some dolls, some dishes and a bicycle, a ball, a playhouse and that's all.
Love,
Graciela Alfaro

Dear Santa,
I want a play rifle, a jeep. That's all.
Love,
Augustine Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an airplane, a car, Hot Wheels, roller skates, a Mickey Mouse, a bat and ball and that's all.
Love,
Rogelio Baeza

Dear Santa,
I want a Ballerina, a play refrigerator, a play stove, and a play sink. I want a stuffed tiger and a kissing doll. That's all I want.
Love,
Julie Kimbrough

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Stretch Monster, and a real rabbit, a truck, a boat, and a giraffe.
Love,
Justin Obenhaus

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a real B-B gun, Stretch Octopus, a walkie-talkie, a Big Wheel, a play gun. That's all.
Love,
Kevin Morris

Dear Santa,
I want a slide and a swing, some "Woller" skates, some dolls, a wadio, some new shoes, and that's all.
Love,
Lisa Coleman

Dear Santa,
I want a Dancerella doll, and some perfume, and a doll house, and some Barbie dolls, some new clothes, new shoes, I love you.
Love,
Brandi Este

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Spider Man, and please bring me a godzilla game, and a play godzilla, and a Stretch Armstrong. Please bring me a real dog. That's all.
Love,
Damon Parker

Dear Santa Claus,
I want a Baby Wet 'n' Care, a Ballerina doll, a make-up set, a desk, a garden set, a ballerina suit. I'll leave you something to eat.
Love,
Jaimee Kelton

Dear Santa,
My name is Allan, I am 7 years old.
Please bring me a diesel truck, a Football uniform
Love,
Sonia Flores

and hot wheels set. Please bring my brother Ray and Jeff and me a Ping Pong table. We haven't been too good, but forgive us and come early, because mom and dad are going to Las Vegas, and won't be here Christmas Eve.
Love,
Allan Vinson

Dear Santa Claus
I wish you bring me a bike and a play stereo. I been a good little girl all year remember to look under the tree there will be milk and cookies.
love you,
Rosemarie Quiroz age 9

Dear Santa
I would like to have a kick-n-go Doll and a pair of skates.
Love
Diana Flowers

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football suit and football. I want a cowboy hat and belt buckle, too.
My brother, Nathan, wants a ball and truck.
Love,
Stevin Noble

Dear Santa,
My name is Billy. I am 4 years old. I have been a good boy. I want a backhoe with two driggers, and a big boss truck, and some little trucks, forlifc and two boxes, and a speed burner, please bring my little brother, Gage, some toys like mine. Their will be some cake and coffee, for you to warm up by.
Love,
Billy

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musical teddy bear. She is 20 months old. She has been very good too. I will leave you some cookies, cake, and milk.
Thank you,
Tina Remer
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Dear Santa,
I am three years old. Please bring me a concrete truck, a doctor's kit and a road grader. I have been a good boy.
I will leave you some milk and cookies to eat.
Thank you,
Clay Grant

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a van, pick-up, play money, bike, belt and a spiderman and a Hulk for Christmas.
Thank You,
Richard Flores

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a God-zilla, warrior, football, Jaws game, Little Brute, little cars and a Penny Arkade.
Thank-you,
Gebe Delgado

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a high-ho-Cherry-O game some books, pants, doll and doll clothes and a kitchen to play with.
Thank-You,
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Dear Santa,
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Thank-you,
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2-ALABAMA	7-NOTRE DAME	12-MARYLAND	17-STANFORD
3-NEBRASKA	8-MICHIGAN STATE	13-GEORGIA	18-PITTSBURGH
4-OKLAHOMA	9-HOUSTON	14-U.C.L.A.	19-MISSOURI
5-MICHIGAN	10-CLEMSON	15-TEXAS	20-OHIO STATE

Saturday, December 16

GARDEN STATE BOWL:	Arizona State	33	Rutgers	14
INDEPENDENCE BOWL:	East Carolina	24	Louisiana Tech	14

Wednesday, December 20

HALL OF FAME BOWL:	Iowa State	21	Texas A & M	17
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Friday, December 22

HOLIDAY BOWL:	Brigham Young	23	Navy	20
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Saturday, December 23

LIBERTY BOWL:	Missouri	31	L.S.U.	20
SUN BOWL:	Texas	20	Maryland	17
TANGERINE BOWL:	Pittsburgh	24	North Carolina State	20

Monday, December 25

FIESTA BOWL:	Arkansas	24	U.C.L.A.	17
PEACH BOWL:	Georgia Tech	22	Purdue	21

Friday, December 29

GATOR BOWL:	Clemson	23	Ohio State	17
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Sunday, December 31

BLUEBONNET BOWL:	Stanford	27	Georgia	24
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Monday, January 1

COTTON BOWL:	Notre Dame	24	Houston	23
SUGAR BOWL:	Alabama	22	Penn State	20
ROSE BOWL:	Southern California	23	Michigan	22
ORANGE BOWL:	Oklahoma	27	Nebraska	23

HIGHLIGHTS

The power quotients give Nebraska the number three position in the country over fourth-ranked Oklahoma, but our hunch is that the Sooners, bent on revenge for the 17-14 loss to the Cornhuskers in November, will beat Nebraska in the Orange Bowl. If six turnovers, Oklahoma's total against Nebraska in their earlier contest, occur again, forget it! If not, the Sooners will win by four points.

In the national championship Sugar Bowl clash between Penn State and Alabama, there's so little difference it's difficult to pick a winner. The Nittany Lions sailed through eleven straight wins, climaxed by a 17-10 victory over Pittsburgh. Alabama still looks back to late September when the Tide was beaten by Southern California, 24-14, the only loss in a ten and one season. Upsets seem to be the rule in post-season competition... we're picking Alabama by two points.

After the millions of upsets (well, it seemed that way to us winner-pickers!) during the first half of the season, the forecasting average came on strong the past few weeks and finished at a respectable .747. We picked the results of 2,253 football games... guessed right on 1,853, flopped on 560, and there were 40 ties.

The biggest surprise that resulted from calculating the final conference ratings for 1978 was the drop of the Southeast Conference from 2nd place to fourth. And the Atlantic Coast Conference climbed another notch this year, edging the Big Ten for fifth. Ratings for football conferences are based on each league's power quotient average determined from the ratings of all teams in every conference. Of more than 65 football conferences, here are the twenty strongest in the nation:

1-Big Eight Conference	95.3	11-Missouri Valley Conference	66.5
2-Pacific Ten Conference	92.3	12-Southern Conference	63.7
3-Southwest Conference	91.1	13-Mid-Continent Conference	62.9
4-Southeast Conference	91.0	14-Ivy League	62.3
5-Atlantic Coast Conference	85.7	15-Big Sky Conference	61.4
6-Big Ten Conference	84.8	16-Gulf South Conference	60.9
7-Western Athletic Conference	77.3	17-Yankee Conference	60.6
8-Mid-American Conference	68.7	18-Ohio Valley Conference	57.8
9-Southeastern Conference	68.6	19-Lone Star Conference	57.6
10-Pacific Coast Athletic Conference	67.8	20-Southwestern Athletic Conference	55.6

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ADMISSIONS...
December 7 -- Dorothy Chance, Leonard D. White
December 8 -- S.H. Pierce, John W. St. Clair
December 9 -- Modine F. Elmore, Janice Ann Ivy, Effie Splawn, Bryan Morris, Myrtle Pruitt, Lubertha Steptoe
December 11 -- Charlotte Holt, Tamara Gore, Jess H. Wood, Verda Stern
December 12 -- Roseta Castillo, Dorothy Chance, Estanislado Orozco, Edith Wilmer.

DISMISSALS...
December 8 -- Renee Snell, James Ciyton Myers, Manuel Bermea, Helen Pruitt, Robert Wariner, Henry C. Gregory
December 9 -- Ruby Willman, Letha Patterson, Jack Schuster, Tomasita Gonzales, Romelo Toscano, Dorothy Chance
December 10 -- Leonard D. White, Modine F. Elmore
December 11 -- Bryan Morris, Janice Ivy and baby boy
December 12 -- John St. Clair, Thomas Morris, Esther Posadas, Lubertha Steptoe, Tamara Gore.

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