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Around Muleshoe

Sherrell Rasco Wheeler, a senior business education major, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Rasco, was named to the President's List of academic grades at West Texas State University, Canyon, for the fall semester.

Named to the Dean's List were Benetta A. Roming, freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roming and Prisca L. Young, senior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young.

John Dean, a junior student at West Texas State University, is on the staff of KWTS Radio, a new student-broadcasting station on the campus of WTSU.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Corda Taylor last weekend were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Osborne, of Plainview.

Mrs. Taylor and her guests attended the First Baptist at Progress Sunday, and he was asked to be their new pastor.

Twenty-five juniors and seniors at Lubbock Christian College will be inducted into the Alpha Chi National Honor Society on Thursday, February 21. Local student to be inducted is Mike Mimms, of Lazbuddie.

Mrs. Edd Edmiston underwent surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock Monday afternoon. She is reported to be recuperating satisfactorily. She is in room 419A at the hospital, where she is expected to be a patient for several days.

City, County Receive Drink Tax Rebate

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said this week Texas collected \$77.9 million in gross receipts taxes on mixed drinks during the last year. He said the mixed drink taxes for the year's last quarter reached \$20.3 million and that his office was mailing checks totaling \$5.8 million to 358 cities and 204 counties as their share of the 10 percent gross receipts tax. Mixed drink taxes for the first three quarters totaled \$18 million, \$19.8 million and \$19.8 million, respectively.

For the fourth quarter of the year, Bailey County received a 15 percent tax rebate of \$449.09 of the \$2,993.90 in taxes collected and reported. The City of Muleshoe received a check for the same period in the amount of \$253.20 of the \$1,687.98 for the taxes collected.

Cochran County reported taxes of \$936.16 and received a tax rebate of \$140.42.

In Lamb County, the tax collections were \$7,276.51 and the county received a rebate check in the amount of \$1,091.48. Littlefield had a report showing collections of \$4,202.55 and their rebate check was \$630.38.



GUARDING THE GAME--Janie Richards left, light shirt, and Shelly Dunham, right, move in to guard a Littlefield player Tuesday night to help keep her away from the basket during the Muleshoes 62-48 victory over the Littlefield girls. The Mulettes meet Dimmitt tonight (Thursday) in Friona to determine the district champion.

4-H, FFA Youth Enter Houston Show

Twenty-eight 4-H members from Bailey County and 42 FFA members from Muleshoe will be participating in the 1980 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, February 20-March 2. With more than 27,000 expected livestock entries,

the Houston Show will once again be the largest in the world.

Muleshoe High School FFA students who have entries in the annual show include Robbie Barrett, Lisa Black, Starla Black, Curby Brantley, Brenda Dodd, Tom Dulin, Todd Ellis, Tommy Edmundson, Casey Farmer, Kim Gatewood, Tamara Gilliland, Benton Glaze and Bobby Grumbles.

Ben Harmon, Beth Harmon, Bryce Holmes, Todd Holt, Monty Hysinger, Randy Isbell, Roby D. Kelton, Larry Nowell, Jim Overman, Kelli Overman, Earl Parish, Derek Prater, Kay Lynn Prather, Kent Rempe, Scott Saylor, Lyndal Stovall and Blake Stevens.

Tommy Wheeler, Johnny Puckett, Gina Angeley, Michael Angeley, Ronnie Angeley, Gary Cox, Wade Prater, Darin Shaw, Delia Shaw.

Radio Day Is Re-Set Saturday

Because of the snow and ice storm last weekend, the Bailey County Chapter of the American Heart Association postponed their annual Radio Day at KMUL Radio.

It has been re-scheduled for 6:30 a.m. Saturday, February 16.

Contributions of cakes, pies, handcrafted items will be accepted and will be appreciated, said a spokesman. The items can be left at KMUL Radio or will be picked up by calling Clara Lou Jones at 272-3468 or Joe Harbin at 272-4504.

Michelle Stevenson, David Pruitt, Lee Free.

The 4H members from this county will be exhibiting in the show are Julie

Early March Tourney Set By Optimist

March 3-8, the Optimist Club of Muleshoe will host their second annual Men's Outsiders basketball tournament. Brackets will be filled for 16 teams the same as the 1979 tournament.

Teams wishing to enter the tournament may send the team entry fee of \$60 to Sam Gonzales, program chairman, 226 Main Street, Muleshoe, TX 79347.

Checks for the team entry should be made payable to Optimist Club of Muleshoe. Deadline for entering is February 25 on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Trophies will be presented for first, second, third and consolation, and this year, Optimists will be giving individual trophies to the first place winners.

"We are planning a tournament the last of March or the first of April, a tournament of Champions from all outsider tournament champions in our area," said Gonzales. "This should be a real hum-dinger. Also, if we can get as many as eight women's outsider teams, we will have a women's tournament."

For additional information contact Sam Gonzales at Sam's Sporting Goods. His business phone is 806/272-4414 and after 6 p.m., he can be contacted at 806/272-3853.

Basketball Looms 'Big' For Muleshoe Mulettes

School Personnel Contracts Okayed

During the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trustees for the Muleshoe Independent School District Monday night, management and administrative personnel were approved for re-employment by the board.

Two year contracts were extended for Wayland Ethridge, high school principal; Fred Mardis, junior high school principal; Bill Taylor, elementary school principal; Milton Oyler, primary school principal; Elizabeth Watson, curriculum director; Tom Jinks, director of special programs; and Mike Wartes, football coach and athletic director.

Given one year contracts were Bobby Graves, high school assistant principal; Ronnie Jones, junior high school assistant coach and principal; Ben Gramling, high school counselor; Betty Jennings, junior high counselor; Kathleen Francis, elementary counselor; Georgia Pena, Title I supervisor; Vernelle Craig, Special Education supervisor; Jesse Click, tax assessor/collector; Mike Mayberry, basketball boys and head coach; Robert Brandon, basketball girls head coach; Charles Faulkner, band director and Kerry Moore, speech and drama director.

Trustees heard the current financial report of the school and approved payment of current bills; they also heard the tax collection report and heard that 92.1 percent of the current taxes have been collected.

It was reported that the school district lost \$75,000 from the tax roll because of exemptions now granted for homesteads and to the elderly. It was also explained that the school district will only receive 45 percent reimbursement, which is \$33,750, to be placed in the Local Maintenance Fund of the

school.

In-Service training for teachers and aides was approved for Friday, February 29. School will be dismissed for students on that day.

Ernest Kerr was named as election judge for the upcoming school board election. Aurelio Cuevas is deputy judge and the Bailey County Clerk's office at the courthouse is the place for absentee voting.

The school board election, on page 6 col. 1

Western Dance Slated Here This Saturday

A western dance is scheduled for the local and area youth Saturday, February 16 from 9-midnight at the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum.

Tickets will be \$2 per person and the music will be provided by "Last Of A Kind." Sponsoring the dance will be the Tri-County CB Club.

Disco, Skating Planned

Muleshoe Area Youth Activities Committee Inc. will sponsor skating at the Bailey County Exhibition Center and Coliseum from 7-10 p.m. tomorrow, Friday.

It will only cost 50 cents for the three hour skating. Also, don't forget, the special Valentine Disco for youths tonight, Thursday, also at the Coliseum. It will be \$2 for singles and \$3 for couples, with dance hours from 8-11 p.m.

Several prizes will be awarded during the evening.

Championship Game Scheduled Tonight

Muleshoe's Mulettes really put it all together Tuesday night to waltz off with a second half win in District AA basketball. They defeated the Littlefield girls' team to take the honors, 62-48.

With the win, the season record for the Mulettes stretched out to a big, big 24-3 and tonight (Thursday) they will meet the Dimmitt Bobbies to determine the district championship.

Wednesday morning, the coaches for Muleshoe and Littlefield decided to play the Championship game in Friona.

The game will be played at 7 p.m. tonight, Thursday, the Mulettes will be the home team.

By the end of the first quarter, the Mulettes had stretched out an early lead to 16-2, as the cold Littlefield team found the going tough and they were shooting cold.

At halftime, the Mulettes had widened their lead to 31 points, while holding the Littlefield team back at 18.

Shortly after halftime, the Littlefield team found the handle on the ball and threatened the Mulettes, drawing at one time to within seven points of the Mulettes, who lost it for awhile on the court.

Behind the shooting of Kathleen Patterson, who had 21 points and JoRonda Rhodes with 16 points, the Mulettes were leading by 44-35 at the close of the third period.

Sudan, Lazbuddie Girls' District Playoff Tonight

Sudan and Lazbuddie girls will tangle in the Muleshoe Junior High School gymnasium tonight, Thursday, to determine the district championship for their district.

Action will get underway at 6:30 p.m. and the cost is \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for students.

Late in the final stanza, the Littlefield team started hitting again, but ran into foul trouble, slowing down the visiting team. By the time the game ended, the final score was the big 62-48 necessary for the Mulettes to win the second half of district action in basketball.

Also scoring in the game were Shelly Dunham, 13; Cindy Hamblen, six; Janie Richards, five and Sharon Carpenter, one point.

In their first meeting with Dimmitt, the Mulettes were barely edged out of the first half championship by 44-40 score. They came back in the second half of the season and took the second half away from Dimmitt by 36-33.

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Local 4-H Youth Bring Home Honors From San Antonio

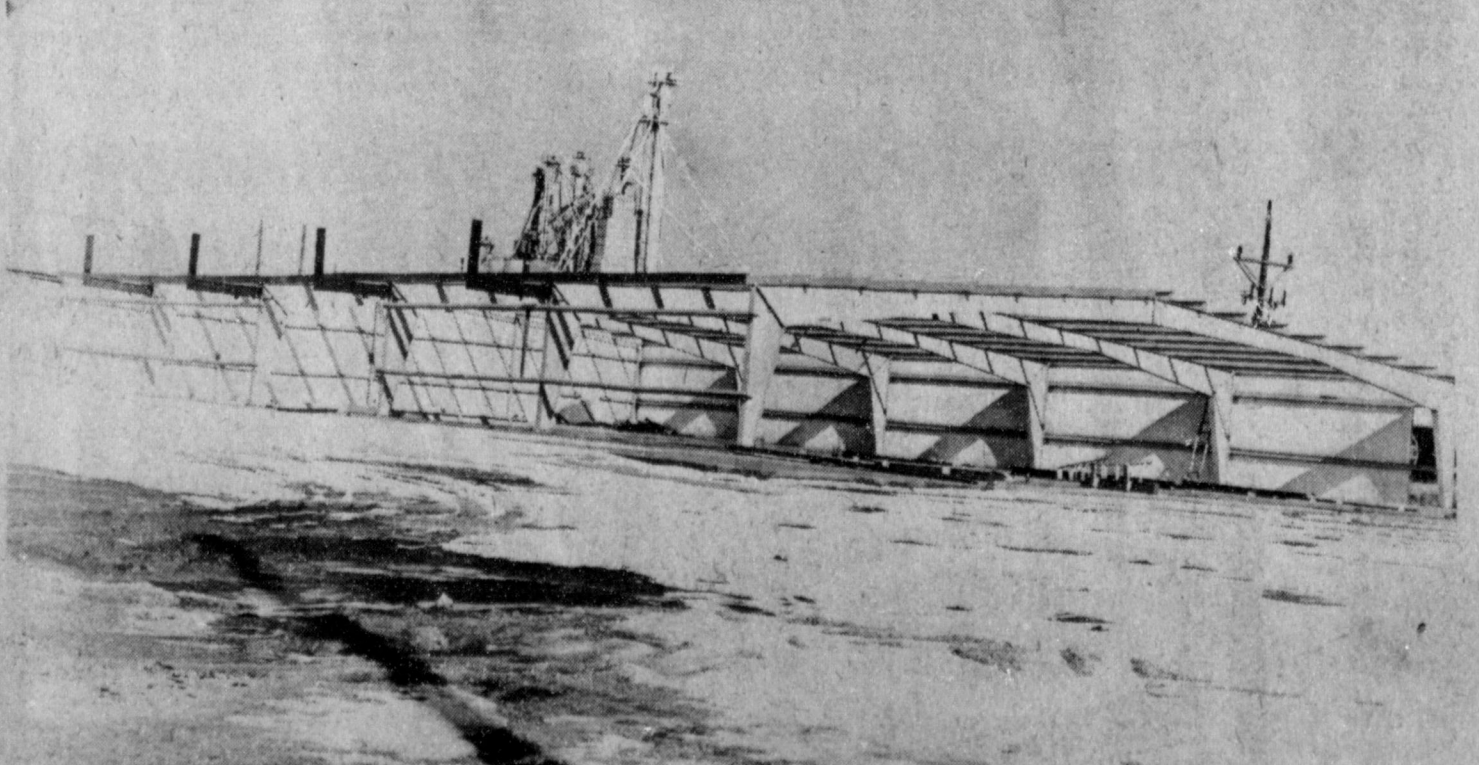
Several local youths brought home honors from the annual San Antonio Livestock Show last week.

Bailey County steer results included: Alan Harrison, second heavy Charolais and Reserve Breed Champion and first mediumweight Maine Anjou.

Also, Kelly Harrison, first mediumweight Limousin and Reserve Breed Champion and seventy heavyweight Angus.

Darin and Delia Shaw, fourth heavyweight Red Angus; Belinda Wheeler, sixth, heavyweight Hereford and Jodie Wheeler, fourth mediumweight Red Angus.

Greg Young, third mediumweight Angus and fourth lightweight Simmental; Christ Young, nine heavyweight British Cross; Shane Claunch, fourth, mediumweight Maine Anjou; 11th lightweight Maine Anjou and 18th heavyweight Simmental and Mitzi Robertson, 12th lightweight Simmental.



SIDING GOING UP--Siding is now being installed on the new building on West American Blvd. to house A&M Farm and Ranch Supply. The branch office in Muleshoe is expected to open around March 15, according to the main headquarters in Clovis. Weldon Stevenson will be manager of the local store when the doors are open. They will be stocking a full line of farm and ranch supplies and buildings, according to the store owner, Nels Anderson.

Enochs News By Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Key, attended the Musical Jamboree, at Littlefield Saturday night.

Harold Layton of Dell City, spent Wednesday till Friday, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Layton.

Mrs. Johnny Cox, was dismissed from the Littlefield Medical Center, Friday after being a patient there for a week.

Company in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Petree Sunday afternoon till Monday, was her sisters, Mrs. Clara Williamson and Ms. Audra Hill of Lubbock.

Yvette Cox went to school Monday, for the first time after spending three weeks, in the Little-

Alpha Zeta Pi

Alpha Zeta Pi of Beta Sigma Phi, met in the home of Cindy Purdy, with Rickie Warren serving as co-hostess.

A short business meeting was held with Anita Allgood, president, presiding.

Karen Renner read the minutes of the last meeting.

Committee reports were given. Anita reported in the absence of Jean Treadwell on the Valentine Ball. A list was taken to see how many would be attending. Janna Wartes, scrapbook chairman, reported that family pictures were due.

The program was presented by Bitsy Mayberry on facial care. She demonstrated the correct way in applying make-up and skin care products and stressed that this was a very important to beautiful skin.

Refreshment of pecan, caramel, banana, and millionaire pies and cokes were served. Members present were: Pat Black, Debbie Nickels, Pam Stockard, Pam Shipman, Marilyn Saylor, Anita Allgood, Claire Brown, Cindy Purdy and Sheri Hawkins.

Janis Nichols, Jana Waren, Marilyn Riley, Jana St. Clair, Karen Renner, Rickie Warren and Janna Brown.

field Medical Center.

Richard Nichols, who is attending South Plains College, this semester was home for the weekend.

Visiting Walter Layton, in the Littlefield Medical Center Sunday and Monday were his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bayless, Jack Austin, Rev. Mike Heady and Edward Crume.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Jones and baby of Nacona, attended the Class Home coming at Pep and he visited his mother, Mrs. Lorello Jones and brother Wendell.

Mr. and Mrs. M.J. McDaniel and Dwight of Sid-

ney came for the Pep Home Coming last Saturday night, and spent the night and Sunday till after dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Autry. Other guests Sunday afternoon was his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Autry and their daughter Marie and husband of Dimmitt.

Welcome home Mrs. Winnie Byars. She returned home Monday afternoon after staying with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Byars since Nov. 1. She cared for the children Alice and Scott and did the house work while Tom and wife Patsy worked at the gin, Tom had ginned 6 thousand bales of cotton there at his gin before she

returned home.

Greg and Jeff Austin of Lubbock, visited their grandparents, the Jack Austins and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cox during the weekend.

Mr. and Ms. Bill Key

visited his dad W.L. Key at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard in Littlefield, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E.N.

McCall visited their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert George and Mr. and Mrs. Don Vanlandingham and family in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

We must all hang together or assuredly we shall all hang separately.

-Benjamin Franklin.

People who know a great deal seldom make positive assertions.

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RAINBOW INSTALLATION...Muleshoe Rainbows held their instalation Saturday, February 9. Pictured from left to right back row is Paula Snell, Kanetha Hysinger, Kristi Henry, Tori Hunt, Gina Bevers, Janet Shain, and Tonya Gray. Front row from left to right is Shelly Sain, Tena Landers, Worthy Advisor, Vana Pruitt, Tammy Nowell, and Rachell Hardage. Not pictured is Melanie Blackwell.

Tina Landers Installed Worthy Advisor

Tena Landers was installed Worthy Advisor of Muleshoe Assembly No. 161 order of The Rainbow for Girls, Saturday February 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

The theme for the installation was, "The Treasures of Life". Linda says With all my love, I dedicate my term to a very special person, sister-Linda Holcomb.

Pink was the chosen color; Symbol, Treasure Chest, Flower, Pink Carnation, Songs, "Climb Every Mountain" and "Over the Rainbow". Scripture for the evening was Mathew 6:19-21.

Darrell McCamish registered the guests, Tracie Webb and Terry McCamish served.

Incoming officers were: Worthy Advisor, Tena Landers; Worthy Associate Advisor, Kristi Henry; Charity, Tori Hunt; Hope, Kanetha Hysinger; Faith, Debra Stevens; Chaplin, Gina Bevers; Drill Leader, Paula Snell; Recorder, Sally Lunsford; Treasurer, Sandy Dunbar; Love, Betsy Lunsford; Religion, Tammy Nowell; Nature, Janet Shain; Immortality, Kim Merritt; Fidelity, Melanie Blackwell; Patriotism, Karen Kelton; Service, Tonya

Mrs. Nelda Hunt presented the installing officers; Kanetha Hysinger Installing Officer, Sandy Dunbar; Installing Marshall, Installing Chaplin; Linda Lee, Installing Recorder; Pam Young, Installing Musician; Kathy Jahay.

Bill Moore gave the Invocation. The officers will be installed, were introduced by signing the "Book Of Time".

Gray; Confidential Observer, Vana Pruitt; Outer Observer, Rachelle Hardage.

Musician, Shelly Sain; Choir Director, Pam Young; Choir, Linette Newman and Kelly Sue

Date Loaf

- 1 box graham crackers, rolled fine
- 1 pkg. dates, chopped
- 16 marshmallows, chopped
- 1 c pecans, chopped

Mix with enough cream to hold together. Roll into logs and wrap in waxed paper. Place in refrigerator over night or freeze. Slice and serve.

Compensation

Doctor-Jones, your wife doesn't look right to me. Jones-To me neither, but close your eyes and taste her cooking.

Hamblen. After the Installation Service, Tena Landers, Worthy Advisor presented her family.

Mrs. Nelda Hunt, Mother Advisor presented the awards. Special introductions were by the Worthy Advisor. They were: Past Grand Officer, Kanetha Hysinger; Past Mother advisors and Past

Worthy Advisors, Master Masons and Eastern Star, Advisory Board; Big Sister, Pam Young; Little Sister, Vana Pruitt and Gina Bevers.

Kristi Henry and Rainbow girls, presented the Flower Drill. Virginia Bowers and Kathy Jahay provided special music.

Steve Holcomb gave the benediction. The Retiring

March and singing of "My Rainbow" was by the Rainbow Girls.

Members of the advisory board are: Alton

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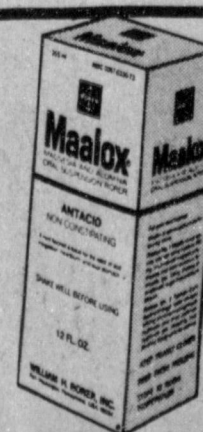
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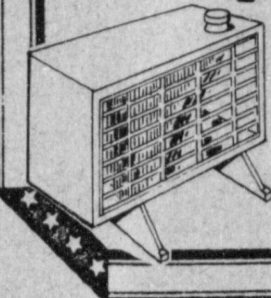
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Thurmans Honored On 60th Anniversary

"After 60 years, my Valentine is still walking around," said Mrs. Mike Thurman Sunday afternoon. Sunday afternoon, the 60th Wedding Anniversary Celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Mike Thurman was hosted in the home of their daughter,

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Edmiston. Guests were registered by Mrs. Bob Palmer at a circular table laid with a red cloth and featuring a Valentine Motif, to commemorate the Valentine Day wedding anniversary. Serving refreshments was Glenna Raney, a granddaughter. She

served refreshments of a white 'heart-shaped' cake, trimmed with red and featuring white doves in a red cage and red punch. Coffee, mints, and a white anniversary candle with red silk flowers and white doves complemented the serving table. The table was laid with white lace over red and crystal and silver appointments.

A gift table was also laid with a red cloth and was centered with a red floral arrangement.

Guests were registered

from Muleshoe, Clovis, Littlefield, and other areas.

Mike Thurman of Ridgeway, Tex. and Mamie Hill of Sulphur Springs, Tex. were married on February 14, 1920 at the courthouse in Sulphur Springs.

For a little while, they lived three miles north of Ridgeway, then moved to Ruff. Their daughter, Mary Jo, now Mrs. Edd Edmiston was born at Ruff on April 23, 1921. The house where Mrs. Edd Edmiston was born is now an antique shop, they commented.

After the Thurmans moved to Ridgeway again, their son, Malcolm, was born on July 13, 1923. He is now resident of Portales.

On September 14, 1938, they moved to Field, N.M.

and from there moved to McIlrose for four years later. At McIlrose, they purchased a farm and stayed there until 1948 when they moved to Clovis. Since February 12, 1977, the Thurmans have resided in Muleshoe.

RECIPE

By Sarah Anne Sheridan
A fine addition to your holiday entertaining recipes would be these two. They can be made now and frozen for later use.

Brandy Balls

Vanilla Wafers, 3 small boxes, crushed.
1 1/2 T cocoa
2 T Karo
1 c powdered sugar
1 c broken pecans.
8 t Bourbon whisky

Mix all ingredients together and form into balls about one inch in diameter. Roll in more powdered sugar and place in sealed cans.

West Camp Valentine Party

The West Camp Community, held their Valentine party, in the community center. Clay Grant's number won a two pound box of Valentine Chocolates.

Leldon Phillips and Brandon Wilson won after shave and Laurie Grant won a wallet.

Name the Tune, was played as well as "42". Those attending were: Joe and Elvay Simnacher, Willis and Mildred James, Guy and Naomi Austin, Bob and Joyce Burd, C.E., Sharon, Kevin, Laurie and Clay Grant, Leldon and Alma Phillips and Heather Finely, Dalton and Leona Harris; Barry, Sondra and Brandon Wilson.

The age of man has little relation to his intelligence.

American Association University Women

The Muleshoe Branch of American Association of University Women met Monday, February 4, in the home of Mrs. David Hamblin, Mrs. Harold Allison and Mrs. Neal Dillman were co-hostesses.

Mrs. Carole McGilvary, District Coordinator from Hereford, was a guest and encouraged AAUW members to assume their responsibilities as educated women at the local, state, and national levels. She reviewed the study topics that were chosen for study during this biennium. Muleshoe Branch chose "Families Facing Change."

Mrs. McGilvary introduced Mrs. Clinton Fornby also from Hereford who was appointed by Speaker of the House Bill Clayton to serve on the Texas Pornography Council from 1976-78. Mrs. Fornby related to the Muleshoe Branch startling facts that were given to this eleven member Council concerning Child Pornography.

The Council made an in-depth study and heard witnesses and reports from attorneys, judges, policeman, deputies and countless others concerning actual accounts of Child Abuse. Pornography in the state of Texas. After this study 39 recommendations were made by the Council to the 66th Legislature to make the penalties stiffer and the laws stricter concerning this terrible abuse of children.

Mrs. Roland McCormick, president, presided and appointed a nomination committee of Carrie Lee Bishop, Ethel Allison and Lyn Box.

Virginia Bower gave a report from the committee appointed to check out some needs of the Muleshoe Public Library. The Branch voted to purchase a portable record cabinet to be placed in the children's section of the library.

Girls of the month were selected by the members. Frantonya Berryhill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Lamb, was chosen the

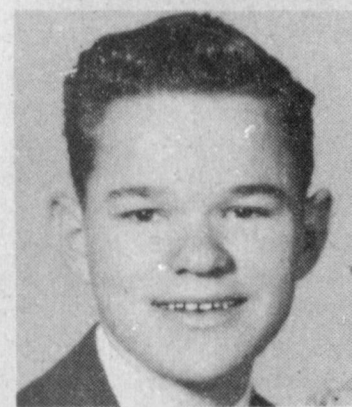
February Girl; Lauri Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burgess, was chosen the March girl.

Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop was selected to represent AAUW at the West Texas University Luncheon in Canyon in April when outstanding women of the area are recognized.

Guests attending the Branch meeting were Mrs. Violet Cudd of Lubbock, mother of Mrs. Roland McCormick; Mrs. Larry Johnson, Mrs. Jack Hicks, Mrs. Dick Pylant, Muleshoe; Mrs. Clinton Fornby and Mrs. Carole McGilvary, Hereford.

Members attending were Mrs. Gerald Allison, Mrs. Harold Allison, Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop, Miss Virginia Bowers, Mrs. Ken Box, Mrs. Charles Brewer, Mrs. Joe Costen, Mrs. Neal Dillman, Mrs. David Hamblin, Mrs. Roland McCormick, Mrs. Oscar Rudd, Mrs. Jim Shafer, Mrs. Eric Smith, Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. Roy Winkle, and Mrs. Al Jones.

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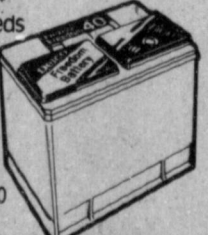
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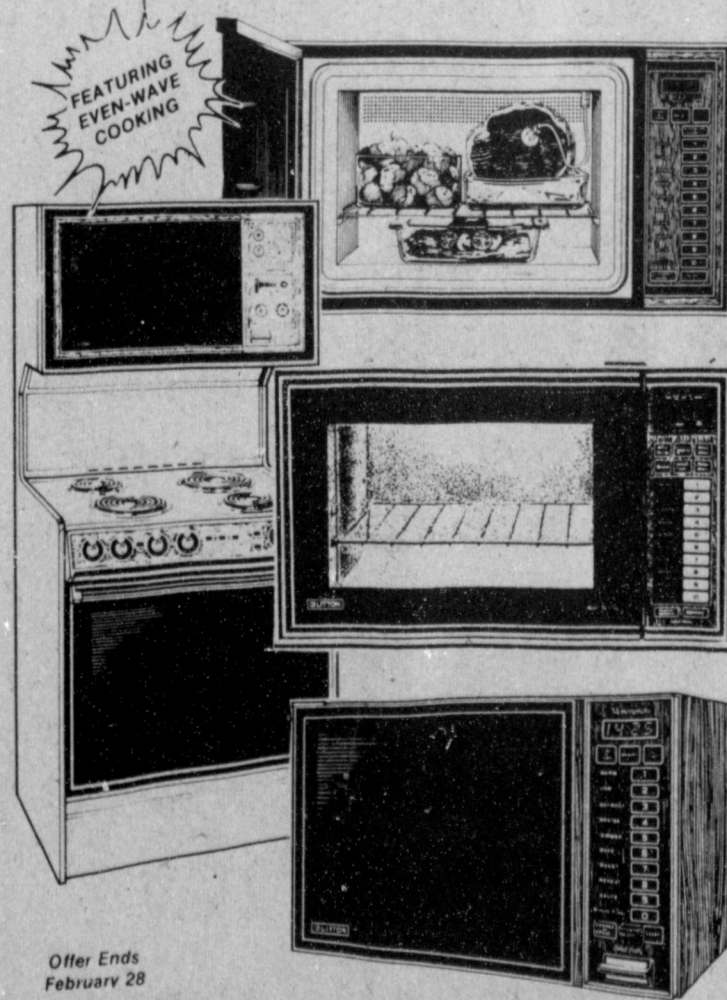
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Eastern Star Chapter No. 792

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams, Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of Muleshoe Chapter No. 792, Order of the Eastern Star, presided at the Stated meeting of the Chapter, Tuesday evening, February 5, in the Masonic Hall.

Routine business was transacted and plans made for the annual Friendship night, to be held March 8, with a salad supper at 7 p.m. All area Chapters are urged to attend.

The Chapter approved the following to serve on the Advisory Board of Muleshoe Assembly No. 161, Order of the Rainbow for Girls: John Blackwell, Chairman; Mrs. Nelda Hunt, Mother Advisor; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Phillips; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Epting; Mrs. Linda Nowell; Mrs. Linda Lee; Mrs. Latrell Hysinger; and Clinton Rogers.

The chapter also voted to assist the girls, financially, in their effort to attend Grand Assembly in Houston, June 15 to June 18.

Invitations to Friendship nights were received from, Lockney Chapter No. 439, February 22, with a salad supper at 6:30 p.m. and Silvertown Chapter No. 900, February 9 at 6:30 p.m.

A letter was received from Mrs. Jane C. Heath, Hale Center, Deputy Grand Matron of District 2, Section 3, requesting an official visit to Muleshoe Chapter, April 1.

The request was granted. Derrell Nowell, Worshipful Master of Muleshoe Lodge No. 1237, A.F. and A.M. announced the observance of Public Schools week, March 3 to March 7, and suggested we visit the Public Schools.

A letter was read from Muleshoe High School DECA, inviting the participation in their Rock-A-Thon, on March 7, in the Bailey County Coliseum, for the South Plains Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Mrs. Vera Clay was appointed Chairman of Community Service Committee. All points accumulated in service to others, will be reported to

her. Resolutions of respect were read for: George W. Johnson, the father of Mrs. Wyle Bullock; John Crim, the husband of Mrs. Lola Crim and the step-father of Mrs. Anna Lucy McAdams; Brend Blackman, the grand-son of Mrs. Grace Morris, and for Mrs. Odessa Pritchard, the sister of Mrs. Robbie Damron.

The carter was draped and a Memorial held for R.R. (Ross) Mick, a member of Muleshoe Chapter, who passed away, January 22.

At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served by Hostesses; Mrs. Lavonne Hinkson and Mrs. Louise Williams.

Put Home In Order

Wouldn't it be a strange sight to see a person's body walking down the street without a head?

Chances are a body would have a difficult time finding the direction it should be moving without the head. It would probably be in great danger of being run over by a car or walking into a building or some other object.

That's the way a lot of families are today - in great danger. Why? Because the family (or body) is so often without a head. It's becoming a strange and sad sight to see families, without a head, exposed to many unnecessary difficulties and floundering for direction.

The "head" referred to here is the father. One parent families are increasing dramatically with that parent most often being the mother. At the present divorce rate of 1 in every 1.8 marriages "headless" families are becoming a way of life.

Divorce is not the only way a family becomes headless however. Many husbands and fathers offer no direction in the home because they have given up their responsibility to lead the family. No thought is given to the direction of the family and many husbands and fathers stand by and watch as family members grope for a sense of stability. Often fathers spend very

Jay Frank Carr

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carr, are parents of a new son, Jay Frank, born Wednesday, January 16, at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Jay Frank weighed 8 lbs, 6 ozs, and was 22 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carr of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Stevens of Morton.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevens of Morton and Annie Clanton of Winters.

Jay Frank has a brother Clay 6 and sister, Mandy 8.

Tanji Nicole Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Williams of Littlefield are parents of a daughter, Tanji Nicole who was born, Friday, January 25 and weighed 7 lbs., 2 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anderson of Littlefield.

Great grandmothers are Mrs. Addie Williams of Sudan, Mrs. Leora Oliver and Mrs. Ruby Anderson of Anton.

Great great grandmothers are Mrs. Lillie McCarty of Nacona and Mrs. Willie Gasten of Clovis, N.M.

Stephen Jay Ramos

Mr. and Mrs. Alyos Ramos are the proud parents of a new son, Stephen Jay born February 6 at 8:30 a.m. and weighed 8 lbs and 4 ozs.

Stephen Jay has a sister, Angel 15, brothers Nives 11, Ricky 9, and Andy 4.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lulo Castillo, Friona, Texas.

Connie May Espinoza

Mr. and Mrs. Jessy Espinoza are the proud parents of a new daughter, born February 9 at 6:25 a.m., in the Roosevelt County Hospital in Portales.

The young lady weighed 6 lbs. 4 ozs. and was 19 inches long. And has been named Connie May.

Connie May has a sister, Mary 8, brother Jessy Jr. 5 and Jolene 1.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carpenter of Hardin, Mont.



ROCKET DURBY...Cub Scouts in the Muleshoe area will hold a Rocket Durby, Monday, February 18, at 7 p.m. in the Civic Center, pictured from left are Kevin King, Mayor, Charles Bratcher, Chad Garlington, and Jeff Farr. The Rocket Durby is open to the public.

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Pleasant Valley

The Pleasant Valley Social Club, met Tuesday, February 5, in the home of Sena Stevens. In the absence of Ruth Holt, Sena Stevens presided over the business meeting.

Roll call was answered with something about Valentine Day.

Those attending were: Hattie Bickel, Sammy Allison, Bonnie Haberger, Lena Taylor, Pauline Green, Lillie Wuerflein, Sue O'Hair, Mae Calvert, Claudine Embry, and the hostess, Sena Stevens.

New officers for the year are: president, Sena Stevens; Vice President, Lillie Wuerflein; Secretary, Pauline Green; Treasurer, Hazel West; Reporter, Claudine Embry; Hospitality Chairman, Hattie Bickel; Historian, Sena Stevens.

New year books were given to the members. Lillie Wuerflein gave a reading on February 29. It only comes every four years.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cheeseloaf and crackers, cookies, spiced cider and coffee were served.

The next meeting will be in the home of Lillie Wuerflein.

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For junior exhibitors throughout the state, the Houston Show is the culmination of a year's hard work of preparing their animals for the toughest of show competition.

It is hard work that often pays off; open show and junior exhibitors will vie for more than half a million dollars in prize monies and premium auction prices above the market value.

Contracts...

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tion will be Saturday, April 5, at the High School cafeteria from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

It was reported that the current school enrollment is 1,654, one more student than the 1,653 reported as the same time last year.

Trustees approved Special Education Five Year Plan, mandated the Texas Education Agency.

Members of the school board approved a high school band trip to Houston for April 17-19 and approved an update for the School Board Policy Manual.

Discussed, with no action taken, was the use of school gyms by outside groups.

From a spectator's point of view, the young exhibitors are centerstage in a two-week extravaganza that begins when Houston, the fastest growing city in the nation, takes a step backward in time and brings a bit of western heritage to its busy streets.

Horses, buckboards and stagecoaches take to the concrete and businessmen don western hats and boots to welcome the largest civic event in the history of this bustling oil and space flight capital.

Competing in the beef scramble on Saturday, February 23, are Jay Lance Gleason, son of Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Gleason and Alan Harrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Harrison.

Winners of the calf scramble receive a \$400 scramble purchase certificate which enables him to purchase a purebred, registered heifer that he agrees to feed, fit, groom, and return to the Houston Livestock Show for special show ring competition the following year.

Rebate...

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their boundaries under the law that legalized the sale of mixed drinks.

Some \$14.4 million in taxes collected during the fourth quarter last year will go into the state's general revenue fund.

The mixed drink tax is collected by the Alcoholic Beverage Commission and the city-county share is rebated on a quarterly basis by the Comptroller's office.

The year-end total of mixed drink taxes means that more than \$779 million was spent during 1979 to purchase mixed drinks in Texas.

Texas Farm Bureau Holding Anniversary

Farm Bureau Week has been proclaimed for the period of Feb. 11-16 by Governor Bill Clements.

Farm Bureau began almost 70 years ago. It is now organized in 2,800 counties in all states except Alaska.

The first Farm bureau began in 1912 as a "bureau" of the local chamber of commerce in Broome County, New York. The first Farm Bureaus were organized primarily to help pay the salaries of the new county agents being hired to relay the latest agricultural information from land-grant colleges.

Most states had organized local county Farm Bureaus before the move was made to organize into states units. The need was recognized for statewide cooperation between producers of various commodities to help solve mutual problems.

The Farm Bureau emerged in the national light during World War I, not as a protest organization, but as a tool for unifying

agriculture producers. The state Farm Bureaus met in 1919 in Chicago to organize the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The state Farm Bureau founded in Texas in 1920 flourished for several years, and was instrumental in beginning numerous commodity marketing cooperatives. As the co-op grew, the state organization became less effective, partly because Farm Bureau began to depend upon fees from the co-op instead of dues from members for its financing.

The first Texas Farm Bureau officially ceased to exist in 1934 when delegates met and dissolved the organization and reorganized it as the Texas Agricultural Association. Within two years, the TAA saw the need for a voice in national affairs and rejoined the American Farm Bureau Federation. The name was changed back to Texas Farm Bureau shortly thereafter.

Increased legislative activity, particularly on the state level, along with establishment of economic service programs, helped push the membership upward in the years just after World War II. By the early 1950's, county units had been organized in almost all major agricultural counties in Texas. Membership reached 100,000 members by 1966 and has more than doubled since that time.

The Texas Farm Bureau, which maintains a full-time legislative office in Austin, has accomplished much in the field of state legislation in the past three decades. Recently, TFB waged a statewide campaign to pass a tax relief bill which provides

for assessment of agricultural land on its productive value rather than its speculative value.

Farm Bureau has also helped secure animal health laws, a new diagnostic laboratory, farm-to-market road system, egg-grading law, tractor gas tax refund, sales tax exemption of agricultural

production items, funds for agricultural research and education, and improved seed, feed, and farm chemical laws.

Nearly all of the 213 organized county units now own their own office buildings. The Texas Farm Bureau moved into its \$2.7 million, four-level state headquarters building in Waco in 1973. The TFB is planning to add an additional two stories to the building in 1980 and 1981.

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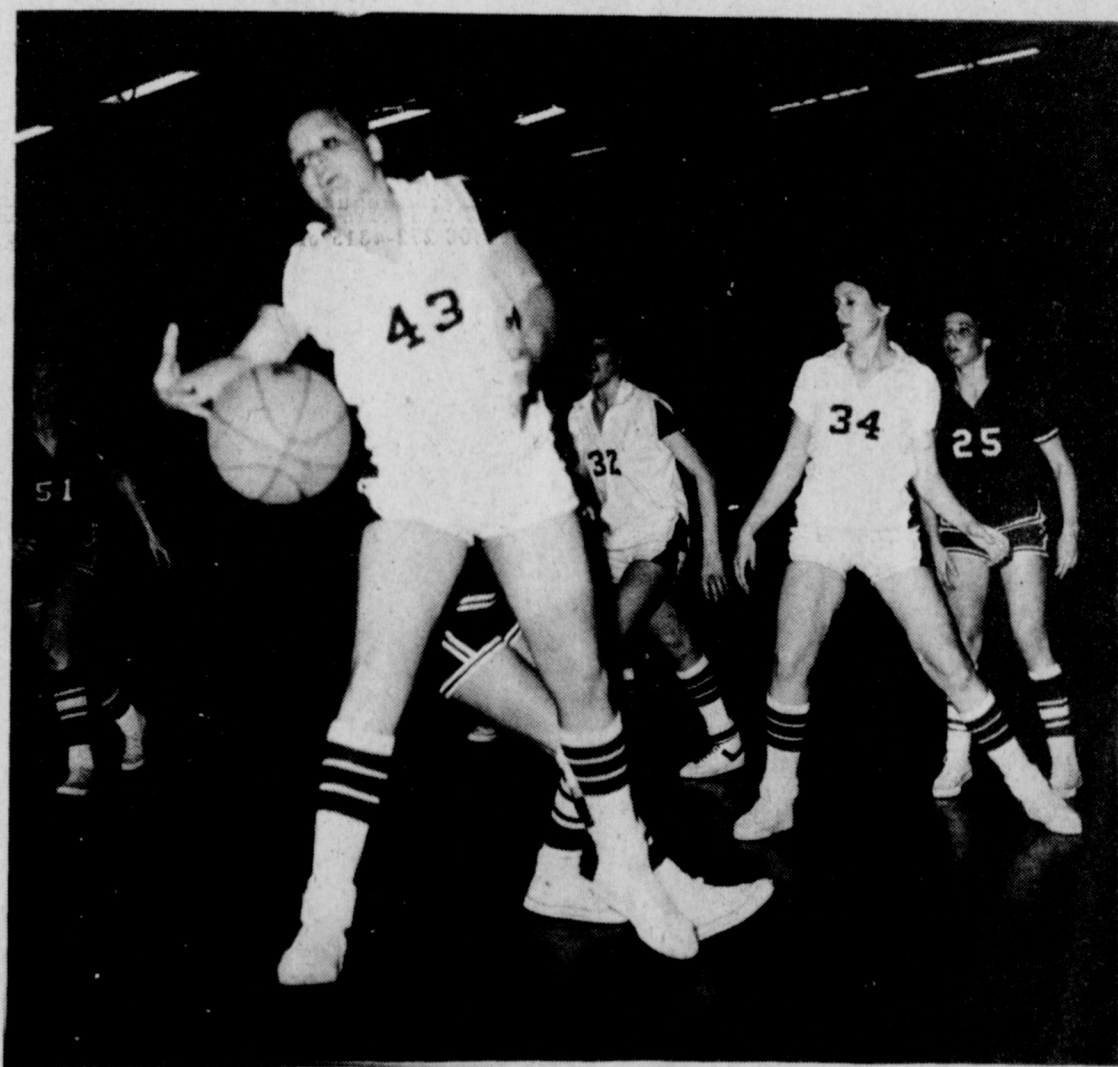
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AM - FM - CB, two-tone
blue, glass sun roof,
34,000 miles, 20 mpg av-
erage. Call 925-6777 after
7:00 p.m.
9-8t-4tc

For Sale: 1975 Chevrolet
Malibu 2 door. Good con-
dition. Call 272-4049 or
272-5173.
9-8t-tfc

For Sale: 1973 Oldsmobile
Stationwagon, 9 passen-
ger, radial tires. Class 2
trailer hitch, air shocks,
all extras good condition
\$1,250.00. Also 1969
Dodge pickup 1/2 ton L.W.
B 318 V-8 4 speed, engine
completely rebuilt, new
brakes, shocks, clutch and
much more. \$1,050.00
Best offer. Call 272-4753 or
Best offer. Call 272-4753 or
work 272-5173.
9-8t-2tp

11. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE: One 403
Moline motor in good
shape, with one 50 HP
Gearhead, in good shape.
New cooling coil, new
drive shaft, concrete motor
stand. \$1,400.00 for whole
package. Call Woody
Lambert at 272-4726 (days)
or 272-4889 (nights) or call
Ricky Barrett at 272-3808.
11-51t-tfc

14x80 Town & Country
Mobile Home. Unfurnish-
ed. To be moved. Equity
and take up payments.
Call 505-392-5605 or 505-
393-1520.
11-6t-4tc

The political gassers
are working overtime this
election year, and by fall
the average voter will be
thoroughly confused.

8-43t-tfc

15. MISCELLANEOUS

**Frank's
Refrigeration
And
Appliance Service**
315 W. 3rd, Muleshoe
Phone 272-3822
15-3t-8tp

Will do sewing in my
home. Specialize in
women's and childrens
clothes. Call Gayle Wil-
liams at 4012.
15-7s-tfc

Nice 14X50 2 bedroom
Mobile Home, 1974 model.
\$7,500. Good water tanks
on 4 wheel trailer \$300.
Good Catalina Cabinet
Stereo \$100. See at 119 W.
3rd.
15-6t-tfc

For Fuller Brush Products
call Elmer Cornelison at
272-3346. Fuller Brush
dealers wanted.
15-7s-tfc

STUD SERVICE
Registered AKC Dober-
man. Call 272-4012.
15-50s-tfc

FOR SALE: Workable
piano. Call 272-3622
15-2s-tfc

Have Brush Will Paint
Call: Charles Harvey
806-272-4059
Muleshoe, Texas 79347
15-5t-8tc

Attention Mr. Cattleman:
Interested in a cross-
breeding program? Reg-
istered Limousine Bulls for
sale. Call 946-3497 after
6 p.m.
15-5t-tfc

**PROFESSIONAL DOG
GROOMING**
By a graduate of Barkers
Barber Grooming Aca-
demy. Call for appoint-
ments 272-3061.
15-49s-tfc

Piano and Voice Lessons
for adults or children. Call
272-3622.
15-2s-TFC

TREFLAN FOR SALE

272-4737
Watson Chemical

15-4s-tfc

Plaster and Stucco Work.
Call collect 885-2471. Re-
sidential or commercial
15-5s-tfc

For Sale: 4 in. flowline
60-30 ft. joints - 5 cents a
foot. Call 272-3708.
15-8t-2tc

16. LIVESTOCK

Clean Country Cattle for
sale: 30 Angus and Black
Baldy cows with calves
up to 400 lbs. 40 mixed
cows with calves up to
400 lbs. 70 bred cows
calving now - Hereford,
Angus, and black baldy.
50 bred, cross bred
heifers weighing 700 lbs.
60 bred, cross bred cows
weighing 1,000 -
1,200 lbs calving now.
100 mixed, cross bred
thin cows - 70 percent
bred. 10 cross bred cows
and calves. From 8 to 5
p.m. call 512-556-3412
Nights call 512-556-5910
16-7s-2tp

SURVIVES JUMP

SAN FRANCISCO --
Todd Sherratt of San Ansel-
mo is the first human known
to have swum ashore after
jumping off the Golden Gate
Bridge. Amazed doctors re-
ported he was in good shape
and spirits. The 17-year-old
youth had severely bruised
buttocks and minor fractures
of three lower vertebrae but
was otherwise in good shape
and "had a sense of humor."

Public Notice NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids addressed
to the City of Muleshoe,
Texas, will be received at
the City Hall until 8:30
a.m., March 4, 1980, and
then publicly opened and
read for furnishing all
plant, labor, material and
equipment, and perform-
ing all work required for
seal coating city streets.
Bids shall be submitted
in sealed envelopes upon
the blank form of the
proposal attached hereto
and marked in the upper
left hand corner.

All proposals shall be
accompanied by a
cashier's check or certified
check upon a national or
state bank in the amount of
five (5 percent) of the total
maximum bid price pay-
able without recourse to
the City or a bid bond in
the same amount from a
reliable surety company,
as a guarantee that bidder
will enter into a contract
and execute performance
bond within ten days after
notice of award of contract
to him. The bid security
must be enclosed in the
same envelope with the
bid. Bids without check or
bid bond will not be con-
sidered.

The successful bidder
must furnish performance
and payment bonds upon
the forms which are
attached hereto in the
amount of 100 percent of
the contract price from an
approved surety company
holding a permit from the
State of Texas to act as
surety or other surety or
sureties acceptable to the
Owner. (If contract is less
than \$25,000, no perfor-
mance or payment bond is
required.)

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

Plans, specifications and
bidding documents may be
secured from the office of
the City Manager or at the
office of Bill R. McMorris
& Associates, Inc., 6300
Canyon Drive, Amarillo,
Texas 79109, on deposit of
Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per
set which sum so deposi-
ted will be refunded, pro-
vided: (1) All documents
are returned in good con-
dition to Bill R. McMorris
& Associates, Inc. not later
than 48 hours prior to the
time for receiving bids; or
(2) The Contractor sub-
mits a bid and all docu-
ments are returned in
good condition to Bill R.
McMorris & Associates,
Inc. at the time that bids
are opened.

**CITY OF MULESHOE,
TEXAS**
By: Charles Bratcher,
Mayor

1-8t-2tc

UT Austin works on fusion device

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) --
Scientists from around the
world are expected to be at-
tracted to The University of
Texas beginning in 1980 when
UT's Fusion Research Center
completes construction of a
new device needed to achieve
nuclear fusion.
The device is the Texas Ex-
perimental Torus (TEXT).
TEXT will permit scientists
to conduct basic research on
nuclear fusion, an energy-
releasing process that occurs
when the nuclei of atoms of
deuterium (found in ordinary
sea water) fuse under high
heat to form helium. It is es-
timated that one pitcher of
sea water contains enough
nuclear fusion "fuel" to
provide an average household
with electricity for a year.

16-7s-2tp

Producers Face Costly New Program

The nation's cattle
producers will be asked to
fork over some hefty out-
lays of cash if the proposed
beef promotion program is
approved. According to
estimates made by the
National Farmers Union,
the "value-added tax" on
cattle producers would
generate upwards of \$60
million during the first
year of operation. The
mid-west region of the
country would contribute
over 60 percent of the total
under the check-off propo-
sal.

Based on recent USDA
figures, Texas cattle pro-
ducers would pay approxi-
mately \$7,060,784 in as-
essments to the Beef
Board.

The mandatory check-
off, which will be voted on
by producers in February,
would apply to cattle each
time they were sold. The
tax, using the "value-
added" approach, would
"ride" with the animal
until it was slaughtered
and the funds would then
be sent to the Beef Board.

Although Texas produ-
cers would be contributing
over \$7 million a year there
would only be six mem-
ber(s) from Texas appoint-
ed to the 60 member
National Beef Board by the
Secretary of Agriculture.
This Beef Board would
decide, subject to the ap-
proval of the Secretary of
Agriculture, where the
producers' money would
be spent.

The federal legislation
which allows the establish-
ment of a beef check-off
program was passed by
Congress in 1976. Under
the law the Beef Board
could engage in promo-
tion, advertising, re-
search, and market devel-
opment programs. A sur-
vey of other federally-

Nursing Home News By Joy Stancell

Charlie Garth was
visited by his daughter
Florene Harvey, and Mr.
Odom.

Charlie Garth, Grace
Kemp, Ora Roberts, Marie
Engram played dominoes
Monday night.

Sunday night Bertie
Hendrix, Ora Roberts,
Grace Kemp, Marie En-
gram played canasta.

The Spudnut Shop
brought spudnuts for the
residents Monday.

Visiting with Onnie
McDaniel over the week
end were: Maxine and Ola
Ragsdale, Mrs. D.B.
Head, Marie Sowder,
Anita Allgood, Denise
Wilson, Claude and Janie
Garth of Canyon, Rudolph
and Janie Moraw, Onnie
received a phone call from
her sister in San Antonio.

Marie Engram was
visited by Maxine Rags-
dale, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Randolph, Nan Gatlen,
Sherry Weason, Dorothy
Beddingfield, Jodie
Whately, Mr. and Mrs.
Edward Engram of
Farewell, and Mrs. Maude
Kersey.

Mrs. Annie Brown is
feeling better. She fell last
week and had to have a
cast put on her hand.

To be eligible to vote in
the Beef Referendum pro-
ducers must register at
their local ASCS office
during the official registra-
tion period, January 28
through February 6. The
referendum will then be
conducted from February
19 through 22. Producers
may register and or vote in
person or by mail. Any
person who owned cattle
during 1979 is eligible to
vote.

**Church of
Christ**
16th and Avenue D
SERVING CHRIST AND
OUR FELLOW MAN
Sunday 10:30 am
6:00 pm

NK Proudly Announces **NK**
Tim Smith
Box 163 Lazbuddie, Tex 79053
806-265-3325
Has been appointed New Northrup King Seed Dealer
handling Corn, Cotton, Sunflower, Milo &
Soybean
More From Every Acre Through Creative Seed Research.
NK NORTHROP, KING & CO.
1000 N. 10th St., Ft. Worth, Texas 76102

**MEET
THE
CANDIDATES**

Rates for listing in the Journal's Political Column
is: \$35 for all offices except those for City Council and
School Board post which is \$15. This fee includes a
front page announcement article and a one-column
photograph at the time the announcement is made, in
addition to the listing in the Political Column from the
date of announcement until the final election.
Charges for announcements are cash in advance,
and this same policy applies to all political
advertising carried in the columns of this news paper.
Names for each office will be listed in the Political
Column in the order they are received at the
newspaper office.
The Journal has been authorized to announce the
following candidates for public office:

DEMOCRATIC

★ **STATE SENATE** ★
DISTRICT 31
Gerald McCathern
Bill Sarpalius

★ **COMMISSIONER** ★
Precinct 1
Raymond Scott
Marshall (Catfish) Williams
Chester Embry
L.K. (Kenyon) Dean

Precinct III
R.P. (Bob) Sanders

★ **REPRESENTATIVE** ★
Bill Clayton

★ **SHERIFF** ★
Bob Henderson
Jerry Hicks
J.D. (Pete) Black

★ **DISTRICT ATTORNEY** ★
Jack Young

★ **COUNTY** ★
Tax Assessor
Lavayne Williams

REPUBLICAN

★ **COMMISSIONER** ★
Precinct 3
James Warren

